



## Jerome Otto Ruder

March 31, 1925 - January 24, 2022

Jerome Otto Ruder, age 96, of Herscher, passed away Monday, January 24, 2022 at AMITA St. Mary's Hospital in Kankakee.

He was born March 31, 1925 in Herscher, the son of Edwin & Alice (Fritz) Ruder.

In December of 1957, Jerome married Donna Ferden in Kankakee. She survives.

Jerome had been a farmer.

Surviving are four sons, Steve Ruder (Jennifer Omman) of Herscher, Stan Ruder (John Gobby) of Chicago, Scott (Leslie) Ruder of Nashville, TN and Shawn Ruder of Bradley; two daughters, Sheila (Mark) Carter of Kankakee and Cheryl (Len) Winnicki of Herscher; four sisters, Beatrice Hinderer of Bourbonnais, Audrey Kyrouac of Bourbonnais, Joan (Robert) Cowgill of Florida, and Betty Sicard of Florida; and two grandchildren, Travis (Kait) Winnicki of Sandpoint, ID and Robert (Kami) Winnicki of Arkansas.

Jerome is preceded in death by his parents; three sisters, Lorraine (Lloyd) LaVoie, Elaine (Harold) Ziemer, and Dorothy (Richard) Schnell; three brothers, Gerald (Lucy) Ruder, Dr. Bernard Ruder, and Leonard Ruder; and three brothers-in-law, Paul Hinderer, Terry Kyrouac, and Robert Sicard.

Visitation will be held from 9:00 a.m. until the 10:00 a.m. rosary service on Saturday, January 29, 2022 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. also on Saturday at the funeral home.

Interment will follow at Sts. Peter & Paul Cemetery in Herscher.

Memorials may be made in the amount of \$20.00 for Masses at Immaculate Heart Seminary, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, or Uplifted Care.

# Cemetery Details

## Sts. Peter & Paul Cemetery

Herscher, IL 60941

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 29. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.  
295 Main St., NW  
Bourbonnais, IL 60914  
(815) 932-1214  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Rosary Service

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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall

VC

“ Dear Scott, Leslie and the Ruder Family,

*I very sorry for your loss, and condolences to the entire family. I was lucky enough to hear many great stories about Mr Otto Ruder, the Herscher farm family from Scott. Mr. Otto Ruder lead a great life which is reflected in an incredible legacy through his children.*

*VIJAI CHAUHAN and Family*

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**Vijai Chauhan** - February 01, 2022 at 11:12 AM

WB

“ So sorry for your loss. God Bless your family. Wayne Berger

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**wayne berger** - January 28, 2022 at 08:51 AM

PF

“ My deepest sympathy to Donna and all the Ruder family. May God comfort you and give you His strength and peace.

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**Patricia Fisher** - January 27, 2022 at 09:26 PM

MP

“ Dear Scott and family,

*Please accept our deepest sympathies for your loss.*

*Jeff & Maureen*

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**Maureen Powell** - January 27, 2022 at 10:52 AM

JC

“ Donna, Sheila and family our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.  
Jan & Carl Coleman



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**Jan & Carl Coleman** - January 26, 2022 at 10:09 PM

CM

“ So sorry for your loss

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**cathy Marcotte** - January 26, 2022 at 10:46 AM

JF

“ Your family has our sympathy.

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**Joe and Carol Fritz** - January 26, 2022 at 10:42 AM