



John Alford

September 24, 1947 - May 12, 2021

John Alford, age 73, of Manteno passed away Wednesday, May 12, 2021 at Franciscan Health Dyer in Dyer, IN. He was born September 24, 1947 in Chicago, the son of Amos & Angelina (Rubino) Alford. John married Sherry Samazin in October 1995 in Overland Park, KS. She preceded him in death on September 26, 2018.

John had worked at the Amazon Warehouse and was an insurance salesman. He was an avid Kansas City Chiefs, Chicago Blackhawks, and Chicago Cubs fan. He loved a good pizza. John especially enjoyed spending time with his family.

He was a parishioner of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Manteno.

Surviving are two daughters and one son-in-law, Samantha & Denis Noftz of Bourbonnais and Heather Hinderman of Oak Forest; five grandchildren, Taylor Moore, Tate Moore, Payton Noftz, P.J. Hinderman, and Alexa Hinderman; one sister, Debbie Kinsella; one brother and sister-in-law, Roy & Teresa Alford; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins. In addition to his wife, Sherry Alford, John is preceded in death by his parents; one brother-in-law, Terry Kinsella; uncles, Joe Rubino, Mike Rubino, John Rubino, Michael Rubino and Michael Barna, whom he was very close with; and aunts, Rose Barna and Dora Rubino.

Cremation rites have been accorded. A memorial Mass will be celebrated at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, May 22, 2021 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Manteno. Please wear a face mask and practice social distancing guidelines.

Memorials may be made to the family wishes.

Previous Events

Memorial Mass

MAY **22**. 9:30 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Church

207 S. Main St.

Manteno, IL 60950

(815) 468-3403

<http://www.stjosephmanteno.com>

Tribute Wall

MB

“ Dearest John, my sweet cousin.

i will always remember your big smile and warm hugs whenever we saw each other (which wasn't nearly enough). I truly appreciated your stories of my Dad, your Uncle Mike and could feel how much you loved him. We love you always. Forever in our hearts.

Mary

Mary Beaver - May 18, 2021 at 01:57 PM

SS

“ My dear cousin and godfather of the family. You always made us laugh, and my most fond memories of you always come with a smile. I will miss you always. Suzie

susan schultz - May 14, 2021 at 11:14 PM

TK

“ Sharp wit! Great humor! Very good conversation always! John will be missed!

Terry Keigher - May 14, 2021 at 12:46 PM