



John J. Fogarty

May 3, 1940 - August 9, 2019

John J. Fogarty, age 79, of Bourbonnais passed away Friday, August 9, 2019 at his beloved home. He was born May 3, 1940, the son of John & Catherine "Kate" (Hurley) Fogarty. John married Janet Thiesfeld on March 29, 1986 at Immanuel United Church of Christ in Peotone.

John was an entrepreneur for almost 40 years and founder of Moka Mechanical Insulation. He was a member of the Heat & Frost Insulators Union #17. He lived the life he had dreamed of as a child. John was a determined man who lived by his own rules. He enjoyed hunting and fishing.

John was a veteran of the United States Marine Corp and a founding member of the Kankakee Marine Corp League #1253.

Surviving are his beloved wife, Janet Fogarty of Bourbonnais; four daughters and one son-in-law, Susan Fogarty of Kankakee, Pamela Fogarty of Bourbonnais, Erin & Matt Weakley of Bourbonnais, and Maureen Fogarty of Manteno; four grandchildren, Justin, Samantha, Ryne, and Raegan; four sisters and three brothers-in-law, Sharon & Charles Miller, Colleen Fogarty, Marian & Jonathan Hayes, and Catherine & Robert Anderson; one sister-in-law, Linda Fogarty; many nieces and nephews; and wonderful neighbors, Georgia & Darvin Smith. John is preceded in death by his parents and three brothers, Carl (Rose) Fogarty, Gary Fogarty, and Michael Fogarty.

Visitation will be held from 2-6:00 p.m. Sunday, August 11, 2019 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais, where a Marine Corp League Service will be held at 4 p.m. A funeral mass will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday,

August 12, 2019 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Bradley, where he was a parishioner. Interment, with military honors, will follow at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood.

Memorials may be made to the Kankakee Marine Corp League #1253 or Hospice of Kankakee Valley.

Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 Hoff Road
Elwood, IL 60421

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 11. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Mass

AUG 12. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
211 N. Center Street
Bradley, IL 60915
(815) 939-3573
<http://www.stjosephbradley.org>

Tribute Wall

TS

“ Thomas Sheets lit a candle in memory of John J. Fogarty



Thomas Sheets - August 14, 2019 at 06:42 PM

TS

“ Our deepest sympathy to John's family. Many years of wonderful memories with our family remain priceless!
Prayers for God's grace and comfort at this time.
RIP John, all our love, The Ross Family



Terri (Ross) Stewart - August 11, 2019 at 08:57 PM

Debi George

“ Janet and family, We were so sorry to hear this sad news. We pray for comfort and peace for all of your family. Our prayers are with you. Love always, Mike and Debi George

Debi George - August 11, 2019 at 03:27 AM

SD

“ Sr Denise lit a candle in memory of John J. Fogarty



Sr Denise - August 10, 2019 at 08:55 AM

DH

My deepest sympathy to the family of John Fogarty. May the memories made throughout the years be with you now and always.

Debra Harrier - August 10, 2019 at 11:35 AM

LK

“ *Dear Janet and family please know you are in my thoughts and prayers. Janet, sending you a (((hug))) ♡*

Loretta Krutsinger - August 09, 2019 at 11:18 PM



“ *I'm so very sorry for your loss...keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers.*

Stacey Jastrzemski - August 09, 2019 at 08:55 PM

MR

“ *Monica Rocha lit a candle in memory of John J. Fogarty*



Monica Rocha - August 09, 2019 at 08:23 PM

MR

My deepest sympathies to you and your family. Sending lots of hugs and prayers

Monica Rocha - August 09, 2019 at 08:26 PM

GK

Janet , I am so sorry for your families loss!

Gary Krapf - August 09, 2019 at 10:10 PM

SA

My deepest sympathies Hugs for you and your family.

Sue Allen - August 12, 2019 at 10:32 AM