



Robert and Nancy Conover

January 1, 1937 - May 1, 2021

Robert Louis “Louie” Conover and Nancy Lee Biittner Conover

Louie, 83, passed away peacefully on May 1, 2021, holding the hand of his wife of 58 years, Nancy, 84, who passed shortly after on May 25, 2021. Louie was born in 1937 in Woodland, IL, and Nancy in 1936 in Varina, IA. They met in Omaha, NE when Louie was serving in the Air Force. After a short romance, they married in 1962 in Omaha and then moved back to Illinois where they worked at Bradley Roper and General Foods, respectively. While raising their three children, they enjoyed archery, bowling, pitching horseshoes, and taking their children on adventures throughout North America. In retirement, they continued their adventure after they sold their home and explored the lower 48 in their motorhome. In their final years, they lived together in a Senior Living Facility in Monument, CO. Throughout their lives, they lived, laughed, and loved inseparably and now continue their journey together in heaven.

They are the loving parents of David (Dawn Breeden) Conover of Kankakee, IL, Michele (Mike) Putnicki of Monument, CO, and Brad (Tanya) Conover of Saint Anne, IL. They have nine grandchildren, Melissa Adams, Amanda Conover, Jacob Putnicki, Autumn Conover (deceased), David Conover, Trace Conover, Michaela Putnicki, Riley Putnicki, and Kayle Conover. They have four great-grandchildren, Alexa Conover, Nikki Conover, Lukas Adams, and

Arya Conover.

Louie was preceded in death by his parents Fred and Beulah (Slater) Conover and his sisters Florence Hoke, Wilma Darche, and Lois Ownbey. He is survived by his brother Fred Conover of Yucca Valley, CA.

Nancy was preceded in death by her parents Edward and Henrietta (Stoullil) Biittner; her brothers Jim, Denis, Eugene, Jack, Billy, and Ronald; and her sisters Gerry Tylski and JoAnne Revers. She is survived by her siblings Rita Childs of Rock Hill, SC, Sandy Friezche of San Francisco, CA, and Larry Biittner of Pocahontas, IA.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

A memorial visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. until the 6:00 p.m. memorial service on Monday, June 21, 2021 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais.

Private inurnment will be held at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood.

Memorials may be made to Pike's Peak Hospice & Palliative Care in Colorado Springs, CO; www.pikespeakhospice.org

Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 Hoff Road
Elwood, IL 60421

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JUN 21. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
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Tribute Wall

CB

“ Claude Burns lit a candle in memory of Robert and Nancy Conover



Claude Burns - June 19, 2021 at 05:25 PM

JB

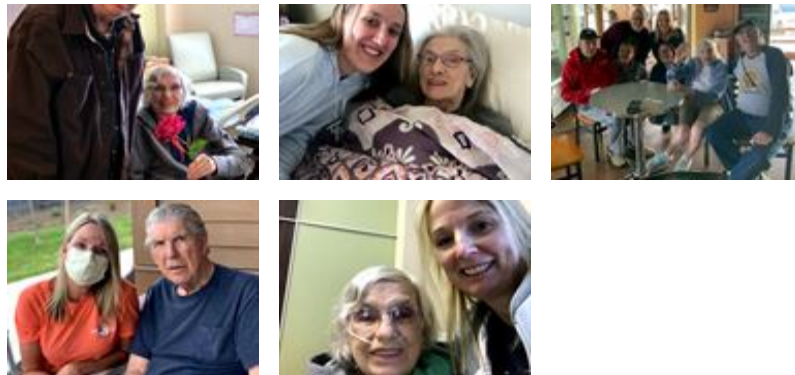
“ I had the pleasure of sharing many conversations & beers with Louie & Nancy years ago at the 102 Tap, what a great couple. And thinking of Louie will always remember that colorful Bucket Hat he used to wear. We will all miss you guys!

Jerry the Mailman

jerry bjick - June 18, 2021 at 03:50 PM



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Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes - June 18, 2021 at 02:54 PM

JF

“ *Jaymie Falkenhan lit a candle in memory of Robert and Nancy Conover*



Jaymie Falkenhan - June 18, 2021 at 11:18 AM

JF

Love and prayers to Michelle, David, and Brad, and to the Conover/Bitner families. My mm enjoyed working with Nancy at General Foods

Jaymie Falkenhan - June 18, 2021 at 11:21 AM

LW

“ *My deepest sympathy to the Conover family. They were great neighbors to us on River St. in Bourbonnais- had many laughs together.*

Lisa Winge - June 18, 2021 at 10:38 AM

VD

“ *My sympathy, prayers, and love too all,*



Virginia R Dominick - June 18, 2021 at 07:33 AM

DD

“ I used to hangout at their house..great couple with great kids..my sympathies to dave.brad.and michele.ant to her brother Lary i used to watch him on the Cubs growing up..this was a huge Cubs family..will miss u mr and mrs C

Dennis Dunlavey - June 17, 2021 at 04:29 PM

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“ Dennis Dunlavey lit a candle in memory of Robert and Nancy Conover



Dennis Dunlavey - June 17, 2021 at 04:24 PM