



Robert J. Boudreau

February 13, 1953 - January 8, 2022

Robert J. Boudreau, age 68, of Kankakee passed away Saturday, January 8, 2022 at Bickford Assisted Living of Bourbonnais. He was born February 13, 1953 in Kankakee, the son of Francis J. & Pauline (Ladd) Boudreau.

Robert attended Limestone Grade School and graduated from Herscher High School. He also attended Kankakee Community College and graduated from Illinois State University, majoring in Psychology. Robert was an Iron Worker with the Iron Workers Union Local 465 & 444 working for over 30 years. He was a hard working man building several bridges and structures throughout the Kankakee and Will County area. Robert enjoyed bicycling and wildlife. He was an avid soccer fan and devoted Cubs fan. Robert was of the Catholic faith.

Surviving are one brother, Tom (Melanie) Boudreau of Toulon; two nephews, Nicholas (Alexis) Boudreau, of Prior Lake, MN and Nathan (Rebecca) Boudreau, of Oglesby and one niece, Rachel Boudreau of Toulon. He also had seven great nephews and nieces: Brendan, Claire, Margaret, Finnigan, Bryson, Sullivan, and Lena. Robert was preceded in death by his parents.

Visitation will be held from 4-7 p.m. on Friday, January 14, 2022 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, January 15, 2022 also at the funeral home. Father John

Peters will officiate. Interment will follow at Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Kankakee. Memorial contributions may be made to Bickford Assisted Living or Uplifted Care.

The family would like to acknowledge the hard working and dedicated staff at Bickford Assisted Living for the outstanding care they showed Robert over the past year.

Cemetery Details

Mount Calvary Cemetery

2000 E. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 14. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

JAN 15. 10:00 AM (CT)

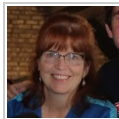
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Tribute Wall

DG

“ So sorry to hear the passing of Robert. My thoughts and prayers are with him and his family at this time. I'm looking for lost cousins. I'm related to over 200 Boudreau's of the Kankakee County area. I'm a Author of a family tree website called: "Charles Granger 1810" about my various French Canadian families who left Quebec, Canada and settled in Kankakee County, mainly in St. George during the 1840's. I would like to know who are the names of Frances J. Boudreau's parents and possibly Grandparents including spouses surnames so I can hopefully make a connection. If I can find a connection, I will invite you to my private password website, so you and your family can review your French Canadian ancestry & heritage. My Boudreau family goes way back to the 1600's Merci Boucoup.

Donald Granger - January 17, 2022 at 02:05 PM



one good resource might be St. George Catholic church; 5272E 5000N Road, Bourbonnais, Illinois, 60914. 815-939-1851

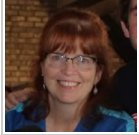
Eileen DalCanton - January 17, 2022 at 06:38 PM

DG

“ Donald Granger lit a candle in memory of Robert J. Boudreau



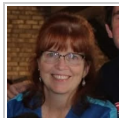
Donald Granger - January 17, 2022 at 01:49 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Eileen DalCanton - January 14, 2022 at 11:24 AM



sometime in the mid 1980's

Eileen DalCanton - January 14, 2022 at 11:26 AM

FD

I am thinking about 1978 or 1979. Bob appears happy!

Frank DalCanton - January 14, 2022 at 01:17 PM

AA

This pic was taken at my apartment! Bob was lots of fun! Fly high my friend! Alice

Alice Alvey - January 15, 2022 at 02:36 PM

JK

“ *To Tom and family: We send our deepest sympathies on the loss of Bob. It is never easy to lose family. Our prayers are with you. Gary and Judy Kolesar*

Judy Kay Kolesar - January 14, 2022 at 09:19 AM

CS

“ To Tom & family, Kevin & I share our deepest sympathy with you at the loss of your brother. Kevin has fine memories of playing baseball with him at Limestone field! Our prayers are with you, Kevin & Cathy Smith



cathy smith - January 14, 2022 at 05:33 AM

BK

“ To Tom and the rest of Bob's family, sorry to hear of your loss. I had the pleasure of working with Bob on a few projects, he always had a kind word. We lost a good man and he will be missed by many. My condolences.

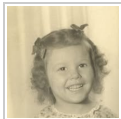
Bill Konitz - January 13, 2022 at 03:20 PM



“ Sharon Pruitt lit a candle in memory of Robert J. Boudreau



Sharon Pruitt - January 13, 2022 at 10:27 AM



Robert will be truly missed.

Sharon Pruitt - January 13, 2022 at 10:28 AM

FD

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Frank DalCanton - January 12, 2022 at 08:41 PM

JD

Some of the best times in my life, is when Bob and Frank would visit the Halloween festival in Carbondale. We would spend the day four wheeling, and then the night on the strip. You could never believe what you were seeing! We always landed at Pizza King, too listen to DaBlooze. Bob was so easy going, he would watch people, talk to total strangers, and by the end of the night be participating in the total chaos, and I mean daylight! What fun!

Jeff DesCarpenter - January 12, 2022 at 11:50 PM

SN

Good story !!!

Steven Norman - January 13, 2022 at 11:00 AM

SN

“ *I just remembered: Herscher High football team was playing Momence. They had a good runningback. Leon Ross and they were at our 1yard line. Bob was defensive tackle and I was defensive back. Bob looked back at me and said: "He's coming our way !!!" And I said: "I know !!!" He did and plowed over the both of us !!! I wasn't much help. And there, in the end zone laid the three of us --- Bob, Me and Leon Ross.*

Steven Norman - January 12, 2022 at 06:17 PM

SN

That was their only score and We won the game.

Steven Norman - January 13, 2022 at 11:32 AM

SN

“ Drank a lot of beers and had even more laughs with Bob over the years !!! I would see Bob occasionally at the Kankakee River State Park. He was one of my most favorite people and is missed.

Steven Norman - January 12, 2022 at 05:54 PM

DF

“ I enjoyed visiting with Bob a couple of years ago. I am so sorry to hear of his passing. Debbie Bone Fulco

Debbie Bone Fulco - January 12, 2022 at 09:05 AM

BG

“ Tom and family. Sending my thoughts and prayers for all of you at this difficult time.
Barb (Emling) Grinstaff

Barb Grindstaff - January 11, 2022 at 07:52 PM

BA

“ To Tom and Family, We are so sad to hear of your loss. You have our deepest sympathy. Bob was always a good friend to us. Lots of Great Memories growing up together. Brian and Mary Albers

Brian Albers - January 11, 2022 at 06:54 PM

MD

“ Tom and Melanie and family. My family is saddened by Bob's passing. My sympathies to you. As well as my immediate family, my uncle Reno knew Bob well. There are many stories being told now. Very sorry.

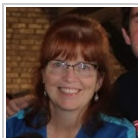
Mary Kate DalCanton - January 11, 2022 at 06:46 PM

MB

“ *Mary Blum lit a candle in memory of Robert J. Boudreau*



Mary Blum - January 11, 2022 at 06:32 PM



“ *Tom and Family: Very Sorry To hear the news of Bob's passing. Please accept sincere condolences from our family to your family. There are many, many fond memories of Bob, his parents, and of course you and your family. He will be greatly missed. The family of Frank and Eileen DalCanton.*

Eileen DalCanton - January 11, 2022 at 06:13 PM

 Jim Adams

“ *tom and family, sorry to hear of bob's passing and your lose. jim and lori adams*

Jim Adams - January 11, 2022 at 01:53 PM

KW

“ *Tom and family. I'm so very sorry to hear of Bob's passing. Keeping your family in thoughts and prayers. Kathy Cross Schultz Wittkofski*

Kathy Wittkofski - January 11, 2022 at 01:17 PM

MM

“ *Tom and family
So sorry to hear of Bob's
Passing.
Are deepest condolence.
May Bob rest in peace 🙏
Mike and Rhonda Marcukaitis*

Mike Marcukaitis - January 11, 2022 at 12:42 PM

LM

“ *To Tom and family, We are so sorry to hear of Bob's passing. We
send our condolences to you and your family. RIP Bob. From your
classmates of Herscher High School Class of 1971, Mark and Linda
Messerle.*

Linda Boyd Messerle - January 11, 2022 at 11:58 AM

MB

“ *Sending Condolences.
Jim & Mary Kay (DalCanton) Beedle*

Mary Kay Beedle - January 11, 2022 at 11:57 AM