



## Sean F. Faber

September 13, 1969 - August 10, 2011

Visitation for Sean F. "Spud" Faber, 41, of Bourbonnais, will be from 10 a.m. Saturday until the noon funeral service at the Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais. Father Richard Pighini will officiate.

Burial will be in Maternity BVM Cemetery, Bourbonnais. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley. He died Wednesday (Aug. 10, 2011) at his home.

Mr. Faber was a radio announcer for WKAN as "Tommy Lynn" and was a paralegal in Chicago and a medical aide in Buffalo, N.Y. He was born Sept. 13, 1969.

Surviving are his father and stepmother, Thomas and Sharon (Francoeur) Faber, of Bourbonnais; one sister, Kathleen Faber, of Bourbonnais; two brothers, Michael Faber, of Kankakee, and Eric Faber, of Bradley; three stepsisters, Kim Matthias and Kelly Matthias, both of Bourbonnais, and Shannon Matthias, of Bradley; and one stepbrother, James Matthias, of Kankakee.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Lynn Lergner Faber; one sister, Erin Faber; maternal grandparents and paternal grandparents.



# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

AUG 13. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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

## Memorial Service

AUG 13. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

TF

“ *Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.* ”



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**Teresa Francoeur** - August 15, 2011 at 07:51 AM

FC

“ *Dear Members of Sean's Family,* ”

*I'm very sorry to hear of the loss of Sean. He and all of you are in my Masses and prayers.*

*With sincere sympathy,*

*Fr. Don Wehnert, CSV*

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**Fr. Donald Wehnert, CSV** - August 13, 2011 at 09:03 PM

CF

“ *Dear Faber Family,* ”

*I am just crushed to hear about the loss of Sean. I am sorry I was unable to attend his services or pay my condolences to you - since I only learned of his passing after his services were already over. We were neighbors and great buddies. We used to go to school together all the time and hang out together after school as well. I did not even know that he was ill. He will be sorely missed and I hope he will find eternal bliss wherever he may be! Sincerely,  
Carol A. Foster*



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**CAROL FOSTER** - August 13, 2011 at 07:06 PM

KW

“ Dear Tom and Fabers, you are all so much in my heart these past few days. Sean was such an amazing man and I am so thankful to have had the opportunity to get to know him again as an adult these past few years. He and I communicated quite a bit, established a lot of common ground and chatted both online and on the phone as well.

A special memory was when Sean was a toddler, when he and Mike were the first two children and I went out to visit Lynn and the boys at a place you were living in the country on a trip home from Chicago. There was a horse on the property and I remember Lynn picking him up and opening his little hand flat to feed the horse an apple. Funny the memories we keep sometimes. It was such a nice peaceful place and such a good feeling memory. I've missed my cousin like I would a sister for years. Now I will miss Sean. Through the years I remember occasional visits and different stages of his life and at all stages, Sean had a smile on his face and a glint in his eye the vast majority of the time as I recall.

Sean always had so much personality and was such a kind gentle soul. I am so thankful to have had him in my life to chat with, reminisce with and share our world views. He was a very smart guy and I loved his energy and his curiosity and love of learning! Nobody can fit the place Sean has occupied in any of our lives. I truly am sorry you will have to miss him for a while but thankful his suffering has ended. I really will miss him too. He was my cousin and my friend.

With Love  
Kay Wilder

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Kay wilder - August 12, 2011 at 04:26 PM

ME

“ I am so sorry to hear of Sean's passing. I have fond childhood memories of Sean and Mike and the Faber family. Praying that God's presence would be very real to your family during this time of loss.

Sincerely,  
Madeleine (Head) Elliott

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**Madeleine Elliott** - August 12, 2011 at 02:36 PM

CC

“ To Tom and Michael and family, My thoughts and prayers are with you. I remember all of you so well. You were like family to me growing up. I held and cared for sweet Sean when he was a baby. I wrote him a few months back on Facebook sharing my memories of him. Aunt Sandy had connected us. I am so sorry that your family has to go through this. I am sure he is with his grandparents, mom and sister now. Wish I could be there in person. My heartfelt condolences go out to the entire Faber family. I love you all. With sympathy, Cheryl Hopper Christensen

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**Cheryl Christensen** - August 12, 2011 at 10:53 AM

SJ

“ Dear Tom, My memories are of you, Lynn, Sean and Mike coming to be with Erin (or should i say Always with Erin)..You were such a devoted family, so loving and true to each other. God Bless you, I will pray for your continued strength.

Sincerly, Sue  
(former SMH Pediatric employee)



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**Sue Jensen** - August 11, 2011 at 07:55 PM

JL

“ I am so stunned by this news. Sean and I grew up across the street from each other on Kim Drive. I remember the struggles the family went through when Sean's sister Erin was sick and again when his mother Lynn was sick. Tom I am so very sorry for all the loss you have had to endure. I have 2 stories I want to share....I remember when the Fabers took a pool out of their back yard and myself, the Faber boys and other neighbor kids built an entire town in the sand that was left behind. We were so proud and even called the Hearld newspaper to photograph this so called sand city. We were so proud of this. Another fond memory is Sean and Mike both went to Bishop Mac HS and so did my boyfriend(who I have been married to for 20 years now.) This was before cell phones, texting and email so Sean and Mike were my "mail men" bringing notes to Steve daily for me and vice versa since I went to BBCHS. I reconnected with Sean about a year ago on Facebook and really had no idea he was so sick. I pray that Sean found peace in his journey with the Lord and was greeted at the gates of heaven by his mother and baby sister. Tom and Mike I am so very sorry for your los- I will pray for comfort and acceptance for the entire family may God bless each and every one of you.  
Jeanie Boudreau Luehrs

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**Jeanie Boudreau Luehrs** - August 11, 2011 at 07:47 PM

BW

“ Becky Wilder lit a candle in memory of Sean F. Faber



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**Becky Wilder** - August 11, 2011 at 03:58 PM

BW

“ My memory of Sean will always revolve around one word - laughter. Just like his mom, Sean had a way of always making sure those he loved were happy, smiling, and usually, having a belly laugh. I've got a childhood full of memories with Sean, Mike, and our other cousins that I will treasure always. In recent years, despite busy adult lives, Sean and I had reconnected and bonded again as adults. I will miss your goofy comments, happy smile, and love of family, Sean. I pray that you found peace in your final days, and that I will see you again. I love you sweetie. We can choose our friends, but we can't choose our family. If we could, I'd pick you all over again. Becky Wilder

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**Madeleine Elliott** - August 12, 2011 at 02:22 PM