



## William Barneck

June 19, 1924 - January 16, 2005

Visitation for William C. "Bill" Barneck, 80, of Manteno, will be from 4-8 p.m. Wednesday at the Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Manteno, where services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday. Rev. Ron Kondziolka will officiate. Burial will be in Skyline Cemetery, Monee. Memorials may be made to the family wishes. He died Sunday (Jan. 16, 2005) at his home. Mr. Barneck worked for the Cook County Housing Authority in Chicago Heights, retiring in 1989. He was born June 19, 1924, in Northwood, Iowa, the son of Clare and Lula Perkins Barneck. His parents are deceased. Surviving are his wife, the former Eleanor Negri, of Manteno, whom he married May 5, 1962, in Pittsburg; two daughters and sons-in-law, Kara and Robert Gbur of DeMotte, Ind., Tina and Eric Milton of Wilmington; one brother and sister-in-law, Richard and Terri Barneck of Florida; and five grandchildren. He was a 1943 graduate of Fork Union Military Academy. He enjoyed reading, golfing and genealogy.





“ I grew up with Bill, Dick and Lou, our families were very close. It has been a long and meaningful friendship that I cherished.  
  
We send our condolences and wish we could be with you at this time.  
  
Our prayers are with you.  
  
Roger and family

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“ Dear Aunt Nore, Tina and Kara,  
  
  
I was so saddened by the news of Uncle Bill. He was such a gentleman, always happy and ready to make you laugh. I will forever remember him with the video camera and his big smile. What a wonderful man.  
  
  
Rob and I send our thoughts and prayers to all of you right now.  
  
  
Love,  
Lisa  
  
Lisa Negri

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“ Uncle Bill will be missed by all, but, he is now enjoying a drink in heaven with my dad. Heaven will probably never be the same.  
  
  
Kathy  
  
Kathy & Tom  
Austin

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“ ANYONE WHO KNEW BILL REMEMBERS HIS SMILE AND LOOKING AT YOU OVER HIS GLASSES.<br><br><br><br>LIVING NEXT DOOR MEANT WE ALWAYS SAW BILL WORKS ON A PROJECT AROUND THE HOUSE OR A PROBLEM WITH WATER THAT WE ALL HAD.<br><br><br><br>HE WAS A MAN SURROUNDED BY WOMEN AND I DON'T THINK HE MINDED A BIT. HIS DEVOTION TO EACH OF THEM WAS SOMETHING THAT WAS VERY SPECIAL.<br><br><br><br>RICK AND I FEEL IT IS A SO IMPORTANT TO KNOW WHO YOUR FRIENDS ARE IN TIME OF NEED AND BILL AND NORE WHERE ALWAYS THERE FOR US AND OUR KIDS.<br><br><br><br>THERE WOULD BE YEARS THAT WE DIDN'T SEE EACH OTHER BUT WHEN WE DID, IT WAS AS IF WE WERE TOGETHER THE DAY BEFORE.<br><br><br><br>YOU KNOW THAT WE WILL BE ALWAYS BE THERE FOR YOU NORE AND MAY GOD HOLD YOU IN HIS HANDS IN THIS TIME OF SORROW.<br><br><br><br>MUCH LOVE TO YOU AND YOUR BEAUTIFUL FAMILY WHICH BILL IS SO PROUD OF AND IS SMILING DOWN ON.<br><br><br><br>RICK AND MARY##imported-begin##RICK AND MARY ALLISON##imported-end##

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“ From the few times I talked to Bill on the the phone, I could tell he was a positive, upbeat person. He always had a great sense of humor. Just like me, he was always curious about the Barneck family tree. I'm just sorry I never had the chance to meet him in person.<br><br>I am saddened by his loss.##imported-begin##Todd Barneck##imported-end##

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“ Nore, Tina, and Eric, Austin, Ross, Clair, Kara, Bob, Thatcher and Aria and oh yes his beloved Miss Abbey. Bill was part of our family and we loved him. He was always there to help if he could. A dapper dresser and always a gentleman. We will miss Bill, not only as a family member but as our friend. We enjoyed many vacations together and a lot of good times in Pittsburgh, Illinois and Florida. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you, as always. Nore, you are the sister I never had and I really wish I could be with you at this time. We have been friends since childhood and ended up related - a real bonus. You and Bill and the girls will always be loved by our family. Bobby is saddened by Bill's passing. They became so close and cared about each other. Poor health has prevented Bobby from being with you but he truly wanted to be as I am sure you know. I really don't know what to say--to express how we feel, just know that we care for all of you. All our love to all of you, Donna and Bobby##imported-begin##Donna and Bobby Negri##imported-end##

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“ im sorry he died##imported-begin##NULL##imported-end##

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“ A truly wonderful man for many reasons. ĩ½Because he had such a loving caring family & many close friends he managed to continue on to celebrate his 80th birthday in spite of his health problems. We are thankful he had a peaceful passing. ĩ½We will always treasure his memory & the family he leaves behind. ĩ½###imported-begin##Len & Doris Molander##imported-end##

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“ We were shocked and saddened to hear about Bill's death. ĩ½He was such a lovely man, and a devoted husband, father, and grandfather. ĩ½We wish we lived closer to offer our condolences in person, but know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. ĩ½I know how much you will miss him.###imported-begin##claire##imported-end##

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“ ĩ½ĩ½Bill will be sorely missed by us. A true gentleman of the old school. Witty, Charming, a snappy dresser, and most of all a good friend. We will keep him in our hearts.###imported-begin##Lesley Hayes & Ken Kesicki##imported-end##

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“ I remember riding in Bill Barneck's convertible while we were attending a family reunion in Mason city when I was around ten years old. ĩ½As we were driving around Mason City, Bill was blowing beautiful smoke rings -- and he convinced me that he had gone to college to learn how to blow smoke rings.##imported-begin##Patricia Burckhalter##imported-end##

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“ We are all so saddened by the news of Uncle Bill's passing. ĩ½He was always such a wonderful man and will always have a special place in all of our hearts. ĩ½Are thoughts and prayers are with Aunt Nore; Kara Bob Thatcher and Aria; Tina Eric Austin Ross and Claire. ĩ½We are sorry that weather and distance will keep us from being with you at such a sorowful time. ĩ½Our love to all, Jan, Charlie, Chip and CJ.##imported-begin##Jan Frederickson##imported-end##

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“ Aunt Nore and kids,<br><br>We are all so saddened by the loss of Uncle Bill. It is also very sad to be so far away, and unable to be with all of you.<br><br>Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you all. <br><br>Uncle Bill will be greatly missed by so many.<br><br>Love to all, <br><br>Gia, Ron, Nina and Natalie##imported-begin##Gia Leven##imported-end##

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“ Thank you Bill for always being the gentleman. Your kindness and honesty was always welcomed. I was happy for Eleanor when the two of you married, had a beautiful family together and also had grandchildren. A blessing always to all who have know you through the years. Bill and I were privileged to have known such a generous heart.##imported-begin##William&Catherine Mears##imported-end##

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“ Dear Aunt Nore, Kara&Bob, Thatcher, Aria, <br><br>Tina&Eric, Austin, Ross and Claire;<br><br><br><br>Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this difficult time. I½I have such fond memories of Uncle Bill and always held him in such high regard. I½I I½Iremember our in-depth talks about life and the future, in particular, the night before Tina and Eric's wedding. I½I was preparing to sit for my boards. Uncle Bill was very supportive and encouraging. He let me know he respected Jan and I in our career choices and was very quick to let us know he was proud of us. I½I know I can speak for Jannie, we were PROUD to be related to such a kind and caring man.<br><br>Dave, Greg, Joanna and I had a small memorial at our home after getting the sad news. I½I shared stories with them about our visits to Chicago, your visits to Mt. Washington, weddings and reunions. So many wonderful memories, such a wonderful man. I½I May he rest in peace.<br><br>Love, Judy, Dave, Greg and Joanna###imported-begin##Judy and Dave Bowser###imported-end##

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“ Nore, Kara, Bob, Thatcher, Aria, Tina, Eric, Austin , Ross and Claire;<br><br><br><br>Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. I½Bill was a wonderful man and we will miss him greatly. Vince and I intend to come to visit when the weather breaks and spend some time with you all. I will call when I get discharged from the hospital.<br><br><br><br>Love, Sis and Vince###imported-begin##Sis and Vince Bianchi###imported-end##

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“ To the Barneck Family,  
  
  
I wish to express my condolences on the passing of Bill. I remember him as a funny man who always had something witty to say in every situation. I am sure you will miss him greatly...  
  
Again, my sympathies to all concerned...  
  
###imported-begin###Edward Piatt###imported-end###

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“ deepest sympathy to all. ginger.###imported-begin###Virginia(ginger holston) Plonka###imported-end###

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“ Very sorry to have heard of Bill's passing. Our thoughts are with you during this difficult time.  
  
Love,  
  
Jeff and Diana Molander###imported-begin###Jeff and Diana Molander###imported-end###

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“ Dear Aunt Nore, Kara and Bob, Tina and Eric, Thatcher, Aria, Austin, Ross, and Claire,  
  
My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this difficult time. I was very sad to hear the news, but glad he did not have to suffer and went peacefully. I'm sorry that the weather and distance kept us from being there with you. Uncle Bill was such a kind, witty and charming man and I have wonderful memories of all the fun times we had with him. He was a great uncle and always made me laugh. I'll always remember him with a big smile behind the video camera and every and any event. I hope we can visit with you some time soon. My deepest sympathy.  
  
Love to all, Laurie###imported-begin###Laurie Negri###imported-end###

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