



## Glen A. "Pete" Borman Jr.

February 24, 1938 - February 25, 2017

Dateline: Alton

Glen A. "Pete" Borman Jr., 79, died at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, February 25, 2017 with his family by his side. Born February 24, 1938 in Alton, he was the son of Glenn Borman Sr. and Eleanor (Hartmann) Borman. Pete graduated from St. Mary's grade school, Marquette Catholic High School and St. Louis University. He immediately went to work at McDonnell Aircraft as a liaison engineer, continuing as it became McDonnell-Douglas and then Boeing. He retired October 23, 2015 after 54 years, most spent on the design and production of the F-15 fighter. He had several hobbies including, Santa's workshop foreman, golf, hunting and woodworking. He enjoyed requests from family to design and produce challenging pieces of furniture. He belonged to the Owl's Club where he presided as president for 20 years and the Sportsman's Club and the Eagle's Club. On May 7, 1960 he married the former Jane Kaveler. She survives. Also surviving are children, Andrew "Big Bird" Borman of Ridgecrest, CA, Tom "Lurch" (Heather) Of Alton, Tim "Moon Dog" of St. Louis, MO, and Scott "Tweety" (Angela) Borman of Godfrey, grandchildren, Clayton, Jessica, Isabel, Lily, Clara, Sophie and Spencer, sisters; Carol (Guy) Nasello of Godfrey and Sue Nagy (Steve Leahy) of Alton, a brother-in-law, Don McCollam of Fountain Valley, CA as well as many nieces, nephews and cousins. Along with his parents he was preceded in death by infants, Paula Jean and Tiny Tim, granddaughter, Emily and a sister, Patricia McCollam.

Visitation will be from 3:00-7:00 p.m. Sunday, March 5, 2017 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. A Mass of Christian burial will be at 10:00 a.m. Monday, March 6, 2017 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Alton. Father John Paul Klein, OMV will officiate. Burial will be at St. Joseph's Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Crisis Food Center or St. Mary's School. Online guestbook and information may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## **St. Joseph's Cemetery**

525 East 4th Street  
Alton, IL 62002

# Tribute Wall



“ Glen A. "Pete" Borman Jr.

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ Glen A. "Pete" Borman Jr.

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ Jane and family, I am so sorry for your loss and pain. May God wrap his arms around all of you at this terrible time. Barbara (Fones) Hayes

**barbara hayes** - March 06, 2017 at 10:15 AM



“ Many great memories of the man who always had an answer, might not of been what you wanted to hear, but he told you anyway because you ask! I can still hear him say" If you would just do your job!" The Boeing parties where a place where you could try and glean information out of Glen, but I always forgot what he told me! My condolences to the Borman clan. Rest In Peace big man!

**Robert J Bryant** - March 05, 2017 at 01:25 PM



“ So sorry to hear about Pete's passing. Our prayers are with you and your family. 🙏

**Larry & Judy Thompson** - March 04, 2017 at 08:01 AM

KD

“ Dear Jane and Family,  
We are so saddened by the loss of our dear friend, Glen. He was an inspiration to so many at McDonnell Douglas and later Boeing. He was a great mentor to many, and our customers loved him for his straightforward answers to their questions. We are sorry that we will miss the services since we are here in Florida. Hope to see you when we return.  
Kim and Trudy Dabner

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**Kim Dabner** - March 03, 2017 at 06:58 PM

AG

“ Dear Jane and sons,  
Our deepest sympathy on the passing of our good friend Pete. We are in Tucson and very frustrated that we can't be there to give you hugs of condolence. You are all in our prayers that God will sustain you at this sad time. Much love to all,  
AJ & Sue Goers

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**AJ & Sue Goers** - March 03, 2017 at 04:56 PM

FF

“ From The Dillard family purchased the Beautiful i  
n Blue for the family of Glen A. "Pete" Borman  
Jr..



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**From The Dillard family** - March 03, 2017 at 09:01 AM

DS

“ Sorry to hear the passing of a good man, he will be missed by all  
that knew and loved him.

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**Darryl Scott** - March 02, 2017 at 09:31 PM

MH

“ Dear Jane and family,  
Our hearts are heavy with the passing of Pete. He was an amazing human being and will be missed by all who were blessed to be his friend. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and all the family during this difficult time. May God bless you all and keep you strong.

*Fred and Mary Ann Hentrich.*

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**Mary Ann Hentrich** - March 02, 2017 at 03:04 PM

AW

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family. Glen was a great guy I miss the story's he had!

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**Alan Whiteside** - March 02, 2017 at 12:15 PM

RS

“ Great guy Glen was. He is and will be greatly missed. Working with and around Glen here at Boeing he became a friend. He invited everyone to the F-15 parties no matter what program you was on. He knew no strangers as he would talk to you as if he knew you for years. To the Family prayers and I'm sorry for your loss Glen is and always will be missed

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**Rick Stanfill** - March 02, 2017 at 09:56 AM

AW

*Glen will be missed by all he had some great story's. Had some great F-15 party's. He was always trying to help all!*

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**Alan Whiteside** - March 02, 2017 at 12:08 PM

JE

*Glen was one everybody he met was a friend He just made a day brighter with his stories and knowledge of the project in work, He will be missed by all who worked and knew him as person.*

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**Jason Edwards** - March 02, 2017 at 02:51 PM



“ *It was a privilege to know and work with Glen, he will be missed. If it's possible, I know Glen snuck an F-15 into Heaven.*

**Steven Coad** - March 01, 2017 at 06:45 PM

GA

*I am sorry to hear the news. Glen was a great guy. When he spoke to me at boeing,he always said , We'll how is GLenn doing today. I answer I don't know, how are you doing today Glen. He will be missed.*  
Glenn Armes

**Glenn Armes** - March 02, 2017 at 01:07 PM

DG

*Glen possessed a rare combination of competence, dedication, humor, and modesty that endeared him to those of us fortunate enough to have worked with him. A sad loss indeed.* David L. Gordon

**David L. Gordon** - March 02, 2017 at 09:56 PM

GW

*Glen and I first worked together in 1977 on the F18. His job was to train me to be an electrical engineer. From that time on he was my boss, then mentor, coach, and career counselor. More importantly through all these years, he was my friend and someone I could depend on. He will be greatly missed.*

*Greg Wolff*

**Greg Wolff** - March 05, 2017 at 10:52 AM



“ *Gift of Grace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Glen A. "Pete" Borman Jr..*



March 01, 2017 at 11:45 AM