



Dr. Ralph H. Baahlmann

September 26, 1924 - December 25, 2012

Dateline: Godfrey

Dr. Ralph H. Baahlmann Sr., 88, died at 11:35 a.m. Tuesday, December 25, 2012 at St. Clare's Hospital in Alton. Born September 26, 1924 in Aviston, Il, he was the son of Henry and Frances (Renschen) Baahlmann. Dr. Baahlmann became a Registered Nurse and worked his way through Dental School at St. Louis University School of Dentistry. After receiving his DDS, he then served in the Korean War. After his service in the war, Dr. Baahlmann built his dental practice in the Alton area and served his community until his retirement in 1996. Of his many activities and achievements, he was a member of St. Ambrose Catholic Church in Godfrey, was a lifetime member of the Knights of Columbus, and was a member of Lockhaven Country Club. He served on the Board of Directors at St Anthony's Hospital and served on the Illinois State Board of Examiners for Dentistry. On June 14, 1952 in Aviston, Il, he married the former Virginia "Ginny" Gangloff. She survives. Also surviving are six children; Ralph H. Baahlmann Jr. of Godfrey, Mark G. Baahlmann of Alton, Barbara M. Boyd (Dr. Tobin Boyd) of Alton, Matthew L. Baahlmann (Teri) of Godfrey, Nancy E. Reese (Tom) of Alton, and John L. Baahlmann (Nancy) of Brighton, nine grandchildren; Matthew and Jill Baahlmann, Matthew Korte and Kortney, Nick Korte, Christopher and Megan Springman, Grace and Jacob Reese, and Ashley Kaid (Anthony), and two great-grandchildren, Keagan Korte and Haylee Kaid. Visitation will be from 9:00 a.m. until time of funeral

mass at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, December 29, 2012 at St. Ambrose Catholic Church in Godfrey. Father Steve Pohlman will officiate. Burial will be at St. Patrick's Cemetery. Memorials may be made to St. Ambrose School, Marquette Catholic High School, or St. Anthony's Hospice. Gent Funeral Home in Alton is in charge of arrangements.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Dr. Ralph H. Baahlmann*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



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“ *On this Thanksgiving day I feel thankful and blessed for having known Dr.Baahlmann and he being my dentist. I remember him as a wonderful, caring man. I know he is missed this and every day, but he will always be with you.*

Terry Wooten

Terry Wooten - November 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.*

Laura Van Buren Nessler - January 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *We are so sorry to hear about Matt's dad. We extend our heartfelt condolences to Matt and Teri and the entire family. We pray God will give you His peace and strength as you grieve.*

Ken and Patti Hise

Ken and Patti Hise - December 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time*

Dale & Samantha Reese - December 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

EM

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy to Ginny, and Family.*

Eddie and Jo Ann Mondt

Edward Mondt - December 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ *Dear Ralph and Mark,*

I am so sorry about the loss of your dad. My prayers and thoughts are with you and all your family.

Much love,

Cindy Schneider

Cindy (Schneider) Lusby - December 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

ED

“ *Dr.Baahlmann was such a pleasant person and a great dentist. My heartfelt sympathy goes to the family.*

Elizabeth (Lib) Downing - December 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ *My prayers and sympathy go out to Ginny,Ralph,Mark,Barb,Matt,
Nancy and John. .*

Friends from many years ago.

Denise Corbin Farrell

Denise Corbin Farrell - December 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you Ginny, and your entire family.*

Gary & Carol Dille

Carol (Renschen) Dille - December 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ *Matt and Teri, you have our deepest sympathy in this time of
sorrow. Our condolences go to the extended Baahlmann family.
May God receive Ralph and place him into eternal peace.*

God Bless.

Aunt Mary and Uncle Jim

Mary Jane & Jim Mihalich - December 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *Barb - so very sorry to hear of your dad's passing. He was our family dentist for so very long! You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Kay McCoy - December 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ *Hello, my name is Debbie Morris and I worked with Dr.Ralph many years ago as a Chairside dental assistant. I knew Barb and Mark from working in the office and also Nancy when she came by to help out too. I want to offer my deepest sympathies to each of you in the family at this time of his passing. I learned many things about dentistry from him and remember him fondly. Blessings to each of you and may God, our Heavenly Father, provide you with peace and comfort during this most difficult time. As Christians, we know that we will all be see each other again at the 'awesome Family reunion' in Heaven someday. You are in my prayers today.*

Deborah Morris - December 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AR

“ *May god bless and watch over the falimy.*

Andre & Diane Renschen - December 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SK

“ *Im truely sorry for the lose of a great father and husband. I am Dr,john klockenkempers daughter susie, I grew up with all your kids as well as the rest of my family. I live in st.peteterburg florida. Im sadden for your entire family. please accept my sincere heartfelt condolence. susie green/klockenkemper . graduated from marquette high 1977.*

susan klockenkemper-green - December 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

HB

“ *Ralph, so sorry to read of your dad's passing. I'm sure he will be deeply missed. You and your family will be in Harold's and my prayers.*

Harold & Mary (Wille) Brand - December 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM