



Robert J. "Bobby" Walters Jr.

February 20, 1957 - April 27, 2019

Dateline: Alton

Robert J. "Bobby" Walters Jr., 62, died at 6:42 p.m. Saturday, April 27, 2019 at his home in Alton. Born February 20, 1957 in Alton he was the son of Robert J. Walters Sr. of Godfrey and the late Jeanne L. (Osseck) Walters. Bobby was a lifetime parishioner at St. Mary's Catholic Church, where he ushered at Sunday Mass. He graduated from Marquette Catholic High School Class of 1976. In the early 1980's, he was a member of the St. Mary's men's softball team which won the Illinois ASA state tournament 4 years in a row. He was also a member of the Alton Knights of Columbus. Bob supported local athletics; he was on the Knights of Columbus bowling team and coached youth soccer for the Alton Park and Recreation Department. For many years, Bobby worked for the William BeDell ARC and he was proud to have worked for the Special Olympics at both the local and state levels. Bobby never met a stranger and enjoyed entertaining friends and family with long forgotten stories from the good old days.

Along with his father he is survived by eight brothers and sisters, Jim (Angela) Walters of Normal, IL, Theresa (Dave) Logan of Godfrey, Linda (Justin) Scheiter of Godfrey, Tom (Megan) Walters of Chatham, IL, Michael (Polly) Walters of Godfrey, Carolyn (Bob) McCluskey of Godfrey, Mary (Ed) Zamorski of Canton, GA, and David (Karen) Walters of Godfrey. Also surviving are nieces and nephews, Jake Walters, Ellen Walters, Jon Walters, Christopher

(Casey) Logan, Patrick Logan, Kayla Logan, Sydney Scheiter, Sam Scheiter, Jackson Scheiter, Matt Walters (fiancé Jenna Cusumano), Ryan Walters, Hannah Walters, Nathan Walters, Meredith "Meme" Walters, Andrew McCluskey, Daniel McCluskey, Alex Armstrong, Ethan Armstrong, Liesa Armstrong, Valerie Walters, and Nina Walters. He was preceded in death by his mother and a nephew, Robert Logan. Visitation will be from 4:00-8:00 p.m. Thursday, May 2, 2019 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. A Mass of Christian burial will be at 10:00 a.m. Friday, May 3, 2019 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Alton. Burial will be at St. Patrick's Cemetery in Godfrey. Memorials may be made to The Robert Logan Memorial Scholarship Fund or the William BeDell ARC. Online guestbook and information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

St. Patrick's Cemetery

2801 Greenwood Lane
Godfrey, IL 62035

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 2. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home & Cremation Services
2409 State Street
Alton, IL 62002
(618) 466-5544
<https://www.gentfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Mass

MAY 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary.s Catholic Church
525 E. 4th st
alton, IL 62002

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert J. "Bobby" Walters Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Robert J. "Bobby" Walters Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Mike, Kelly, and Aaron Arbuthnot and Kayla Logan purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Robert J. "Bobby" Walters Jr..*



Mike, Kelly, and Aaron Arbuthnot and Kayla Logan - May 01, 2019 at 02:44 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Bobby was such a wonderful person and friendly with everyone he met. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Lucia Kulp and Family



Lucia Kulp - May 01, 2019 at 12:17 PM

Mary
Gilley

“ So very sorry for your loss. Jr welcomed me into your family (as did all of you). My heart is with you all and prayers for him.

Mary Gilley (Sada)

Mary Gilley - May 01, 2019 at 09:33 AM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. Sending the whole family hugs and prayers.

Ann (Lorsbach) Duckworth

Ann - April 30, 2019 at 04:15 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Robert J. "Bobby" Walters Jr..



April 30, 2019 at 11:55 AM

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“ Bob, you will be remembered as a nice man who showed love to alot of people our daughter Heather liked you so much RIP. The Oetken Family

Susan Oetken - April 30, 2019 at 01:39 AM

JD

“ I'll always remember the times you stop at the car to talk to me. RIP MY friend.

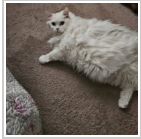
John Daubman - April 29, 2019 at 10:55 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert J. "Bobby" Walters Jr..*



April 29, 2019 at 10:48 PM



“ *I will miss you my friend and the laughs we shared at times.. Your friend "Crabby"... I will always remember you fondly ... You were a one of the good guys!!...R.I.P.buddy ..Love Tracey Johns*



Tracey N Julia Johns - April 29, 2019 at 09:33 PM