



Bruce E. Anderson

November 21, 1940 - March 7, 2023

Bruce E. Anderson age 82 of Dixon died suddenly on Tuesday March 7, 2023. Bruce was born at home in Chicago on November 21 to Roscoe C. and Mildred O. Anderson, Thanksgiving Day, 1940. Bruce started his schooling in Amboy, attending a one room school house for the first four years, and graduated from Amboy High School in 1957. He attended the University of Illinois for one year and then served in the Air Force from 1958 through 1962. Bruce met Patricia L. Walker while visiting his mother at the Princeton Hospital while he was on leave. They were married on May 30th 1964 and enjoyed 59 years together. Bruce was preceded in death by his parents and brothers William and John Anderson. He is survived by his wife Patricia of Dixon, daughters Amy A. (Eric) Gard of La Grange, IL, Elizabeth A. (Patrick) Bushman of Dixon, two granddaughters, Maggie Bushman (William Cooper) of Madison, WI and Gretchen Bushman of Knoxville, TN. He is also survived by his brother Robert and sisters, Betty and Nancy Anderson of Amboy, sister-in-law Sandy Anderson of Henry and many nieces and nephews. He was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church where he served on the Council and committees for several years. Bruce also served on the Dixon Police Pension Board. Bruce obtained his Bachelor's Degree from Northern Illinois University in business and worked at Borg Warner where he was plant controller. He later worked for Thermos in Freeport, Sensient Flavors in Amboy and Quebecor Printing in Mt. Morris before retiring in 2006. Bruce was a lifelong Cubs fan and enjoyed frequent trips through Lowell Park and Nachusa

Grasslands to watch the wildlife. While he loved to fish, his stories about fishing outnumbered the fish caught. His day was not complete without finishing the Wordle and Nerdle and outscoring his family in Words with Friends. He will be missed. Visitation will be Saturday, March 11 from 9 AM to 11 AM at Immanuel Lutheran Church, with the funeral service to be held at 11.

Private graveside service for family only to follow. Memorials can be made to either Dixon In Bloom, PO Box 127, Dixon, IL 61021 or Pavilion Memorial Fund, Immanuel Lutheran Church, 1013 Franklin Grove Rd., Dixon, IL 61021. Arrangements by the Jones Funeral Home in Dixon.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood

416 S Dement Ave
Dixon, IL 61021

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 11. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Immanuel Lutheran Church
1013 Franklin Grove Rd
Dixon, IL 61021
<http://www.immanueldixon.org>

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Bruce E. Anderson*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *-The Koester Family (Go Cubs) purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Bruce E. Anderson.*



-The Koester Family (Go Cubs) - March 10, 2023 at 02:30 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Bruce E. Anderson.*



March 09, 2023 at 09:30 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Bruce E. Anderson.*



March 09, 2023 at 08:43 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Bruce E. Anderson.*



March 09, 2023 at 05:29 PM



“ *Jeff & Amy Heimerdinger purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Bruce E. Anderson.*



Jeff & Amy Heimerdinger - March 09, 2023 at 03:38 PM



“ *Donna Anderson lit a candle in memory of Bruce Anderson*



Donna Anderson - March 09, 2023 at 02:36 PM



“ *Just one more dance*

Donna Anderson - March 09, 2023 at 02:24 PM

DA

“ Donna Anderson lit a candle in memory of Bruce Anderson



Donna Anderson - March 09, 2023 at 02:23 PM

DC

“ Donna & Chris purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Bruce E. Anderson.



Donna & Chris - March 09, 2023 at 02:21 PM

BW

“ Pat and Family, We were so sorry to hear this news of Bruce's passing. He was a wonderful, caring man and he will be missed. Please know that we are keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Sincerely, Bruce and Elise Williams

Bruce and Elise Williams - March 09, 2023 at 02:04 PM

BW

“ Bruce Elise Williams lit a candle in memory of Bruce Anderson



Bruce and Elise Williams - March 09, 2023 at 01:52 PM

CH

“ Chris Hawkins lit a candle in memory of Bruce Anderson



Chris Hawkins - March 09, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Bruce E. Anderson.



March 09, 2023 at 09:37 AM



“ Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Bruce E. Anderson.



March 08, 2023 at 05:12 PM

GS

“ Gary Schultz lit a candle in memory of Bruce Anderson



Gary Sylvia Schultz - March 08, 2023 at 03:23 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Bruce E. Anderson.*



March 08, 2023 at 12:11 PM