



Daniel D. Long

December 13, 1937 - November 23, 2023

Daniel Long age 85 of Amboy passed away November 23, 2023 at his home early Thanksgiving morning. He was born Dec. 13, 1937 in Dixon the son of Stephen and Mary Gladys (Swartz) Long. He was the second of six commonly referred to as the "Tag-a-Longs". Danny grew up in Dixon attending St. Patrick Catholic Church, St. Mary Grade School, and Community Catholic High School now Newman Central Catholic. Later he completed studies at Coppins Business College, Davenport Barbers College, Auctioneers School, and became a licensed electrician. As a teenager he entered the job market as a uniformed usher at the Dixon/Lee Theater. Later he would find employment with the Burlington Northern Railroad, as an instructor at the Davenport Barber School, he was an executive barber at the John Deere offices in Moline. He also operated his own barber shop for a time. Dan had been a licensed electrician in the Rockford area for over 30 years prior to retirement. He also served in the U.S. Army and National Guard. He was preceded in death by his parents one brother Edward Stephen Long, aunts, uncles, and one niece Renee. Dan is survived by one son Shannon, three sisters Nancy Morrissey of Dixon, Mary Diane (Edmund) Archuleta of Los Cruces, New Mexico, Maria Michele (Tom) Johnson of Fair Oaks, CA, one brother David (Cheryl) Long of Dixon, 11 nieces and nephews and 22 great nieces and nephews. Funeral Services will be Saturday Dec. 2, 2023 at 11:00 AM at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Amboy. Burial will follow at St. Patrick Cemetery in Amboy. Visitation will be on Saturday Dec. 2, 2023 from 9:00 AM

to 10:45 AM at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Amboy. A memorial has been established.

Cemetery Details

St. Patrick Cemetery in Amboy

816 Rockyford Rd
Amboy, IL 61310

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 2. 9:00 AM - 10:45 AM (CT)

St Patrick Catholic Church Amboy
32 N Jones
Amboy, IL 61310

Service

DEC 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Ramona Kessel lit a candle in memory of Daniel Long*



Ramona Kessel - December 02, 2023 at 09:36 PM

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“ *We younger cousins of Dan Long always looked up to him as a SUPER FRIENDLY guy whose personality was engaging and whose wry and engaging smile and friendly conversations always included us in his regular casual “ visits to our home (to “touch base” with Grandma “Jennie” were a social highlight for each of us kids. A man of countless talents and interests, you will be sorely missed Cousin Danny, by all of us fortunate enough to cross paths with you in our lives. RIP !!*

Mike Heckman - November 28, 2023 at 10:43 AM