



John McCullough,

June 14, 1936 - July 23, 2011

John R. McCullough, Sr., age 75, of Amboy, died Saturday July 23, 2011 at Franklin Grove Health Care Center. He was born in East Grove Twp, Lee County, Illinois, June 14, 1936 the son of Raymond and Frances (Todd) McCullough. He worked as a Chief Clerk for Northwestern Steel and Wire in Sterling for 30 years prior to his retirement. He was a member of St. Patrick Catholic Church in Amboy. He was preceded in death by his parents; 1 son Thadeus; 4 grandchildren. He is survived by his children John R. McCullough Jr., of Dixon, Lori (Rex) Meyer of Harmon, Michele (Lori Dorathy) Sulski of Dixon, Patrick (Stacie) McCullough of Dixon, and Edward McNamara of San Diego, CA; 12 grandchildren Steven, Chase, Kari, and Kim McCullough, Ramsey Shroyer, Lindsay, Ian, and Avery Meyer, Stephanie Sulski, Samuel, Abigail, and Elizabeth McCullough; 2 great grandchildren Kylie McCullough and Seth Shaffer; 1 brother Richard McCullough of Harmon; 1 sister Helen Weaver of Amboy. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, July 27, 2011 beginning with a 10:00 AM prayer service in the Mihm-Jones Funeral Home in Amboy, followed by a 10:30 AM Mass of Christian Burial at St. Patrick Church in Amboy with the Rev. Msgr. Thomas Bales, Pastor, officiating. Burial will follow in St. Mary Cemetery in Ohio. Visitation will be held on Tuesday, July 26, from 2:00 until 4:00 and 6:00 until 8:00 PM in the funeral home with the rosary recited at 7:30 PM in the funeral home.

Tribute Wall



“ *John McCullough,*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *John McCullough,*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *To all the family I'm sorry for you loss. It has been over 30 years since I seen John. At an given time in those years I have thought of him from time to time. He was always thoughtful and very kind. My thoughts and prayers to all of you. Paul Bulfer*

Paul - July 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *John you were a great father to the children, and a great neighbor,fun,you take us to school when John and Lori didn't have there driver's license,or anywhere we needed to go.*

You will be sadley missed to all that has encountered with you.

All my thoughts and prayers to all the families of John Sr.

Jill Streeter - July 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ I am so sorry for your loss. My work schedule prevents me from coming to the services but please know I am praying for the family.
God Bless;
Sue Barnhart

Susan Barnhart - July 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ Mr. McCullough was a great Dad to my best friend Eddie. Eddie is the youngest of his 5 children. Mr. McCullough always went out of his way to make sure Eddie and I were able to play together. In grade school he would often pick me up from my Grandmother's home so that Eddie and I could go detassle corn together, go roller skating or even if it was to take us to the Dairy Delite for ice cream. In our adult years, I would often see Mr. McCullough around Dixon and Amboy. He would always stop and make the time to see how I was and fill me in on how my friend for life, Eddie, was doing. He was extremely proud of you Eddie that you became a Registered Nurse and spoke of that every time my Husband and I would visit with him. Eddie, I know that you are not taking your Dad's passing well. Please know that he loved you more than anything. He did the best he could do to raise you. May your Dad Eddie rest in peace. I know he is in heaven looking down at you Eddie. My love forever
Mr. McCullough, Angel Verstynen Schamberger

Angel Verstynen Schamberger - July 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ Lori, my condolences on the passing of your father. My and my family's thoughts and prayers are with you.

David Reuter - July 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AO

“ *Lori and Family,
Please accept my deepest sympathy on the loss of your father. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this sorrowful time.*
Angela

Angela O'Malley - July 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MO

“ *Sorry for your loss.... Our thoughts are with you all....*

Morley's - July 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

ES

“ *I met John at Heritage Square in Dixon, Illinois through my mother who was also at Heritage Square. My mother passed in April but during her stay there with John, John was very kind to her and me and my husband. John was always kind of watching out for my mom and making sure she was ok. He always noticed if she had her hair done recently or if she was gone for an extended time he worried if she was ok or not. He would let me know that she had not been feeling well and to remind me to make sure she took her medicine and had her oxygen. If he thought she was too tired to walk down to the kitchen he would offer to bring her a snack or something. I knew him for a short time but in that time he made an impression on me and my husband and I am very grateful he took time to watch out over my mom. He will be missed.. but he left his mark with us as I am sure he did with many others. Don't concentrate on the loss concentrate on what he gave. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. Helmut and Eula Schmidt*

Eula Schmidt - July 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM