



## Matthew Henry Liston

November 5, 1956 - April 1, 2020

Matthew H. Liston 63 of Amboy Died at K.S.B Hospital on Wed April 1, 2020. He was born in Amboy, IL November 5, 1956 the son of Paul "Pete" and Rosemary (Eisenberg) Liston. He was employed by the city of Amboy, owned and operated the Backroads Bar and Grill in in West Brooklyn, and worked construction. He enjoyed playing pool and softball and was a Chicago Bear and White Sox fan.

He was preceded in death by his father and good friend Don Donoho.

He is survived by his children, Marty Liston of Belvidere, Greg (Shannon Miller) Liston of Stillman Valley, and Danielle (Pete Alba) Lewis of Dixon; 5 grandchildren, Tanner Liston, Alexis Shoemaker, Adisen Liston, Carson Alba, Adilyn Alba, and 1 great grandson Avery Johnson, mother Rosemary Liston, 2 sisters, Linda (Gilbert) Leffelman and Nancy (Mark) Montavon all of Amboy, and many nieces and nephews.

A private family Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St Patrick Catholic Church in Amboy and burial will be in St Patrick Cemetery. A public celebration of life will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers a memorial has been established. Arrangements by the Mihm-Jones Funeral Home in Amboy.

# Cemetery Details

## **St. Patrick Cemetery in Amboy**

816 Rockyford Rd  
Amboy, IL 61310

# Tribute Wall



“ *Matthew Henry Liston*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Matthew Henry Liston*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *Matt and my husband, Ron, have been dear friends for years. Matt and I met in 1994, at some social gathering. and I could appreciate the friendship they shared. The last couple years, I looked forward to his arrival at Amboy's Summer concerts. Occasionally, he'd bring his granddaughter. Lots of smiles.....He will be missed.*

**Christine Noble** - April 07, 2020 at 11:30 AM



“ *I have known Matt for a long time and always enjoyed talking to him when I seen him he will missed by many RIP my friend David Ackert*

**David Ackert** - April 07, 2020 at 10:53 AM



“ *Class Of 1975 lit a candle in memory of Matthew Henry Liston*



**Class of 1975** - April 07, 2020 at 07:49 AM

JD

“ I'm sad so sad that Matt is gone. He's always been in my life since childhood. From just being uptown to being in almost all my classes through school. Our class had our share of clowns from Matt, Jim and John Haley and Greg Koch. They always made us laugh. Matt always called or I called him about our classmates through the years, about our class reunions and I'm going to miss those calls. Our 45th class reunion is Year. There are several classmates who have passed, but uptown at Depot Days I still look for Marty Quest, Jan Litts and this year I'll be looking on the street for Matt. My deepest sympathy and love Rosie, Gilbert and Linda, Nancy and Mark and Matts family.....he was a great friend.

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**Joyce Dale** - April 07, 2020 at 07:47 AM

BH

“ I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Matt. I had known Matt all my life. He was the brother to my best friend Nancy Montavon. The most profound memory I have of Matt was his sighting of the Blessed Mother in a baseball field when he was a young boy. He talked about that sighting a few times over the years with me and he never swayed from that fact he was sure he seen her. I know that Mary met him at the gates of heaven. Of course as a child he annoyed Nancy and I immensely as all little brothers do, but his sighting of the Blessed Mother inspired the faith I have to this date. RIP dear forever young Matt.

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**Beverly Halsey** - April 06, 2020 at 11:05 AM

BF

“ Our deepest sympathy and prayers to Matt's family, we will miss him coming to our garage sales and visiting with Jim about coins and other collectibles and about the Class of 1975 from AHS. May he now rest in God's Eternal Peace. Marilyn Braida and family

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**Braida Family** - April 05, 2020 at 10:18 AM

BF

“ *Braida Family lit a candle in memory of Matthew Henry Liston*



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**Braida Family** - April 05, 2020 at 10:13 AM

MF

“ *My son Matthew was named after Matt.*



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**Mandy Lilly Francis** - April 04, 2020 at 02:48 PM

SW

“ *Sure am gonna miss the"yo"!!*

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**Sandra Worrell** - April 03, 2020 at 05:14 PM

TA

“ *Tami Ackert lit a candle in memory of Matthew Henry Liston*



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**Tami Ackert** - April 03, 2020 at 02:13 PM

SZ

“ We just saw Matt at Donnie Donoho funeral. We all hung out in the 90s. Sad to see he passed. Rick and I sending love and hugs to the family.

*Sincerely, Rick and Steph Zink*

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**Stephanie Zink** - April 03, 2020 at 02:00 PM

CR

“ Prayers 🙏🙏🙏 to Matt's family at this time. I'm truly sorry for your loss. God Bless you all.



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**Carol Gascoigne Robison** - April 03, 2020 at 01:29 PM