



Neil P Arnould

May 29, 1939 - November 5, 2020

Neil P. Arnould age 81 of Chicago died Nov. 5, 2020. He was born 5/29/1939 in Dixon, IL the son of Rae and Edna (Dieterle) Arnould. He was a veteran of the Air Force. He had worked for the Arch Diocese of Chicago for many years prior to retirement. He had also been an usher at Holy Name Cathedral for 50 years.

He was preceded in death by his parents, brothers Rich and Paul Arnould, sisters Mary Schumacher and

Anne Wooldridge. Neil is also preceded in death by nephews Michael Arnould, Clark Wooldridge, Mark Schumacher, and nieces Janet Livingstone and Georgia O'Brien.

He is survived by brothers John (Judy) Arnould of Dixon and James (Pam) Arnould of Ottawa, nephews Samuel Arnould, Thomas Arnould, Roger Arnould, and Thomas J. Wooldridge. Neil is also survived by several nieces Monta Hoyer, Susan Harker, Martha A. Taylor, Sara L. Turner, Terra Arnould, Nerissa Arnould, Jenny Rodrigues, Sarah Shevlin, and several great nieces and nephews.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be Saturday Dec. 12, 2020 1:30 PM at Holy Name Cathedral. Burial of Cremains will be at a later date at Oakwood Cemetery, Dixon, IL.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood

416 S Dement Ave
Dixon, IL 61021

Previous Events

Service

DEC 12. 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Holy Name Cathedral
730 N Wabash Ave
Chicago, IL 60611

Tribute Wall



“ Neil P Arnould

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ Neil P Arnould

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *Our entire family is saddened to hear of Neil's passing. We've known Neil for over 18 years during the wonderful Saturday 5:15pm mass at Holy Name Cathedral. He watched over all of us and became such a great genuine friend that we looked forward to see each week and around the neighborhood. He helped me with my two young daughters and watched over them while I went to Communion. He also would take my stress away when my little baby wasn't always quiet. He would make us laugh each week during our conversations, oh he was such a character! My parents, daughters, and I have such fond memories that will forever be with us. He became such a wonderful part of our family and is greatly missed.*

Vickie Godfrey - July 07, 2022 at 02:10 PM

JW

“ I am sorry to hear about Neil and for your loss. I had the privilege of knowing Neil over the last handful years at HNC and around the neighborhood. I always enjoyed speaking with Neil and joke or two.

The 5:15 mass will never be the same. I definitely will miss my conversations with Neil. My thoughts are with your family at this time.

Jonathan Woznak - December 12, 2020 at 08:01 PM

GR

“ We had the pleasure of knowing Neil for over 35 years while we have been parishioners at Holy Name Cathedral. He always welcomed us at Mass with a sense of humor and a broad smile. We will miss him and keep him in our prayers.

Gary Ropski and Barbara Schleck

Gary Ropski - December 11, 2020 at 06:06 PM

FN

“ It was always pleasant when I crossed paths with Neil, and laughter, storytelling and general humorous conversations about life around the Cathedral came alive. He was a constant enjoyable presence. May he know God's peace and presence now, forever.

*Fr Thomas Nangle
CPD Chaplain, retired*

Fr Nangle - December 10, 2020 at 12:01 PM

JD

“ I was a class mate of Neil at St. Mary's School in Dixon. He always had a smile. He made friends easily, but could be a prankster at times.

Jim Dixon

James E. Dixon - December 08, 2020 at 01:34 PM

JA

Thanks James, he did like pranks.

John and Judy Arnould - December 09, 2020 at 07:19 PM