



## Robert E Wentling

December 25, 1924 - May 2, 2017

Robert E Wentling age 92 of Dixon, IL died on Tuesday, May 2nd, 2017 at Heritage Square Health Center. Bob was born in Sterling on December 25, 1924, the son of Murray and Winona (Lindahl) Wentling. Bob married Mary Eileen Herrington on May 20, 1946 in Dixon, IL. He worked alongside his father at Wentling & Sons Contractors, & later Nagy & Wentling Construction prior to retirement. Bob was a veteran of the US Navy & served during WWII from 1943-1946. He was also a member of St. Anne Catholic Church in Dixon, IL, Golden Kiwanis, American Legion, & the Dixon Elks Club. Bob was preceded in death by his wife on December 24, 1995; one brother Dean Wentling; & one sister Beverly White. He is survived by his children Cathy Wentling of FL, Mary Ellen (John) Sandeen of AZ, Sarah (Matt) Henry of Grand Detour, IL, & Tom (Ann) Wentling of CA; grandchildren Jeff (Jen) Heintzelman, Jake (Michelle Healy) Henry, Nate (Tracie) Henry, Elizabeth Wentling, & Christopher Wentling; five great grandchildren; 2 great great grandchildren; & very special friend Susan Reed. Mass of Christian Burial will be held Saturday, May 6, 2017 at 11:00 am at St. Anne Catholic Church in Dixon with Rev. Antoni Kretowicz officiating. Visitation will be held at 10:00 am at St. Anne Catholic Church in Dixon. Military Honors by Dixon Combined Veteran's Group will follow mass. Burial of cremains will be at Oakwood Cemetery at a later date. A memorial has been established to Heritage Square. Condolences may be sent online at [www.thejonesfh.com](http://www.thejonesfh.com).



# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood

416 S Dement Ave  
Dixon, IL 61021

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Anne Catholic Church  
1104 N Brinton Ave  
Dixon, IL 61021  
(815) 288-3131  
[http://www.stanneschooldixon.org/st\\_anne\\_parish.htm](http://www.stanneschooldixon.org/st_anne_parish.htm)

## Service

MAY 6. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Anne Catholic Church  
1104 N Brinton Ave  
Dixon, IL 61021  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Robert E Wentling*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Robert E Wentling*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *Dad, I miss you so much. You had a long and wonderful life. So many friends! I used to think that was, well, not me but so happy it was you. I loved the way you sang out of tune at church, you couldn't carry a tune and while singing you would look at Cathy, Mary, Tom, & me and grin..and as we were walking out of church (Dad Converted Catholic) you would smile and rub our shoulders. You loved mom so we knew/know what love is . When mom died young, just 70 Christmas Eve 1995 & your birthday Christmas day. Gee God?/??? but God does not micromanage. I miss my mom & dad. I do have to say that Sue was our blessing. She loved Dad and cared for him I think for eternity. Thank you Sue Reed..🙏❤️*

Sarah Henry - May 18, 2021 at 12:41 AM

KW

“ My mom, Mary Hicks, resided at Dixon Health Care and bedridden for four years. Sue Reed was a frequent visitor and one day brought Bob to meet her. From that first meeting until her death in May 2012, they were the best of friends. They laughed and cut up from the moment Bob stuck his head inside the door of her room. Usually his first words were asking where she had been out dancing last night? From there the jokes, quips, laughs, and humor never stopped. He was a bright spot in her day coming to see her sometimes twice a week. My sister and I were often visiting when he and Sue came by and loved to hear the laughter. He and Sue would also sing mom's favorite hymns and pray with her. Our family, especially our mom, were blessed to have Bob come into our lives and leave his fingerprints on our hearts. Kathy Worton and the family of Mary Hicks.

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**Kathy Worton** - May 05, 2017 at 09:36 PM

RW

“ Bob always has had a special place in our family. He was a great friend and fishing companion of mine and my daughter. He was always there to help; an example: when he went to help me fix one of my other daughter's porch railing in Chicago. We will miss him. Your family was fortunate to have him in your lives.  
Sincerely,  
Randy and Connie Walcott and family

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**Randy Walcott** - May 05, 2017 at 02:06 PM

CS

“ Charlie Seale purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Robert E Wentling.



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Charlie Seale - May 05, 2017 at 10:50 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert E Wentling.



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May 04, 2017 at 06:18 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Robert E Wentling.



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May 04, 2017 at 01:55 AM

GH

“ I liked Bob. I considered him a friend. He was a gentleman. He didn't dress that way, but he was genuine. I would meet Sue and Bob once in a while at a Autumn Wood garbage night. Rest in peace Bob. Gregg Hubbell

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Gregg Hubbell - May 03, 2017 at 04:20 PM