



Robert A. Vollmer

February 6, 1948 - April 21, 2021

Robert A. Vollmer, age 73 of Highland, IL, died Wednesday, April 21, 2021, at Highland Health Care Center in Highland, IL.

He was born on Friday, February 06, 1948, in Breese, IL, the son of Lawrence and Mary (nee Meier) Vollmer.

On Friday, October 01, 1976, he married Elizabeth J. "Betty" Vollmer, nee Grapperhaus at St. Augustine Church, Breese, IL, who passed away on Tuesday, July 31, 2018.

He was a member of Saint Paul Catholic Church; American Legion Post #252, Breese, IL; Charter Member of Vietnam Veterans #269, Breese, IL and a Life Time Member of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Robert was born at Breese, IL. He grew up in the area of Albers and New Baden, IL. He graduated from Wesclin High School, Trenton, IL. Then he joined the United States Army with active duty during the Vietnam War. He later worked for B-Line in Highland, IL, later called Cooper B-Line. He worked as an A-Assembler and retired after 37 years, One of his most favorite things to do was go fishing. He enjoyed fishing with his grandson Kyle and watching wrestling on TV.

Survivors include:

Daughter - Sherry L. O'Rourke, Highland, IL

Grandchild - Conner M. Colwell, Hayes, VA

Grandchild - Kyle A. (Girlfriend Kylie Olliges) O'Rourke, Highland, IL

Brother - Ivan (Doris) Vollmer, New Baden, IL

Sister - Blanche (Brian) Schwarz, Breese, IL

Sister - Laura (Rich) Kruep, Breese, IL

Sister-in-law - Donna Vollmer, New Baden, IL

Sister-in-law - Shannon Vollmer, New Baden, IL.

He was preceded in death by:

Father - Lawrence Robert Vollmer - Died 9/02/1977

Mother - Mary Jane Vollmer, nee Meier - Died 7/24/1982

Wife - Elizabeth J. "Betty" Vollmer, nee Grapperhaus - Died 7/31/2018

Brother - Billy Vollmer - Died 2015

Brother - Bernell J. Vollmer - Died 6/20/2015

Sister - Eva Vollmer.

Arrangements are being handled by Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Friday, April 23, 2021, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL and from 7:30 AM to 8:30 AM on Saturday, April 24, 2021, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Funeral Mass will be at 9:00 AM on Saturday, April 24, 2021, at Saint Paul Catholic Church in Highland, IL, with Rev. Fr. Piotr Kosk, Parochial Vicar, St. Paul Catholic Church, Highland, IL, officiating.

Private Interment will be Monday, April 26, 2021 at Jefferson Barracks

National Cemetery in St. Louis, MO.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Legion Post #252 or St. Paul Catholic Church.

Tribute Wall

DA

“ I want to express my sympathy in the loss of your father and brother. I know it was hard not being able to see Bob during the covid but I hope you all have fond memories of him when life was better.

Love to all,

Diane "Mert" Albers (Chuck's wife)

Diane M Albers - April 22, 2021 at 08:12 PM

MB

“ I'm very sorry for your loss thoughts prayers love hugs coming to you and your family. He was a wonderful friend and a great person. May you find comforting in your memories of Bob

Mary beth Broughton - April 22, 2021 at 12:57 PM

MB

“ Mary Beth Broughton lit a candle in memory of Robert A. Vollmer



Mary beth Broughton - April 22, 2021 at 12:55 PM

CW

“ Sorry to hear this...

Chad C Weiss - April 22, 2021 at 11:12 AM

BK

“ *Sherry, I'm sorry to hear of your fathers passing. I know how much he meant to you. Sending prayers for you, your son and your family.*

Bonnie Kloss - April 21, 2021 at 10:18 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Robert A. Vollmer.*



April 21, 2021 at 07:48 PM