



Bruce F. Grant

December 19, 1951 - October 11, 2025

Bruce F. Grant, age 73, of Kankakee, passed away peacefully at Miller Health Care on October 11, 2025.

He was born on December 19, 1951, in Chicago, Illinois, to the late Norman Grant and Florence Norton. Bruce dedicated much of his life to serving as a state employee at Shapiro in Kankakee. He was a quiet, reserved man unless he wanted to debate a topic or discuss a book he read. Bruce also had a dry humorous side to his personality. He enjoyed watching movies especially those on the Hallmark Channel. He was an avid Cubs fan, and enjoyed bowling, golfing and playing cards.

On August 26, 1978, Bruce married the love of his life, Desiree Uribe, at Maternity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Catholic Church in Bourbonnais, Illinois. They shared a bond filled with love, laughter, and companionship. Bruce also had 2 lovable pet companions, Pixie and Trixie, that held a very special place in his heart.

Bruce is survived by his devoted wife, Desiree; his sister, Ruth (Terry) of Florida; his brother, Paul (Marianne) of Texas.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Norman Grant and Florence Norton, and his brother Phillip.

Bruce's memory will be cherished by all who knew him, and he will be remembered for his warm heart and joyful spirit.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests memorials be made to Uplifted Care, St. John Paul II in Kankakee, or the ASPCA.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Desiree and family
That is a very accurate Perry of Bruce, as I knew him. Especially his dry humorous personality!
I was blessed to know him for the short time that I did. The one memory I will always have a Bruce happened on the road to Hana in Maui.
It's a small world when you get out of your car and hear somebody call your name. Still very unbelievable. I know and pray he is at peace with the Lord.*

Thomas Koehler - October 30, 2025 at 10:23 PM

DL

“ *Desiree, my condolence to you on the recent loss of your husband. May he rest in peace.*



Debra K. Lambert - October 21, 2025 at 10:01 AM

MM

“ *Desiree, I am so very sorry. May Heaven's peace be yours.*



Michael & Rita Morris - October 20, 2025 at 01:11 PM

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“ *I will love and miss you forever. The best day of my life was marrying you on 8/2678.* ”

Desiree - October 19, 2025 at 08:59 AM