



Fredric S. Brown

February 20, 1948 - December 25, 2022

Fredric S. Brown, 74, of Westerville, Ohio, formally of Kankakee, Illinois, passed away Sunday, December 25, 2022, at Riverside Hospital in Columbus, Ohio.

He was born February 20, 1948, in Milwaukee, Wisconsin the son of Linus “Bud” and Mabel Elizabeth (Richmond) Brown.

Fred was a proud Native of the Menominee Nation. He was also a proud and active member, as well as sponsor of Alcoholics Anonymous for over 48 years and a longtime member of the Nazarene Church. He retired from the plumbing wholesale business. He owned Brown Miller Ltd. with his partner and longtime friend, Jack Miller.

He was an army brat and traveled the world as a child. He graduated from Frankfurt American High School in Frankfurt, Germany. Fred enjoyed golfing, watching the Chicago Cubs and NFL. He loved traveling and eating at fine restaurants. His greatest joy was his two daughters and his grandchildren. He was especially proud of his grandchildren, Joshua and Jaden.

Fred is survived by his daughters, Lisa H. Brown of Bourbonnais and Lori (Douglas) Turner of St. Anne; his siblings, Linus “Bud” (Patty) Brown Jr, Anthony “Tony” (Kelly) Brown, William Bruce Brown, Tonya Brown, Brett

Brown, and Loren Jay Brown; grandchildren, Joshua B. and Jaden L. Turner of St. Anne; mother of his children, Mary M. Brown; special friend, Ileana Villamarzo-Vermilyea; and longtime family friend, Nikeda Webb.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Linus and Mabel Brown; brother, Joseph Conigliaro; and sister-in-law, Gloria Nacotee.

Visitation will be held on Saturday, December 31, 2022, from 10am until the memorial service at 1pm at Jensen Funeral Home, Kankakee.

A Traditional Native Celebration of Life will be held in the spring on the Menominee Nation Reservation.

Memorials may be made to Maehnowesekiyah Wellness Center a Menominee Mental Health and Substance Abuse Center in Gresham, Wisconsin.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **31**. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Jensen Funeral Home
3639 EAST State Route 17
Kankakee, IL 60901
jensenfuneralhomes@yahoo.com

Memorial Service

DEC **31**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fredric S. Brown*

October 08, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ *Fred was my father's business partner and friend of many years, and my boss for 10 of those years. Fred was a great mentor to me, he taught me much. I owe a good deal of my success in sales to him. I still use many of the things he taught me. He was a professional sales person, an idea man, a cheerful and positive influence on his employees, and his customers. He loved his work, and he was very good at it. Fred could sell sand on a beach! His employees and his customers loved him, and he loved them too. Above all Fred had a heart, and was always there for me, for my dad, and for all of his business associates. Everyone who knew him loved him. I will always remember this great man!*

Peter Miller - July 12, 2023 at 09:32 AM



“ *Jan Burger lit a candle in memory of Fredric S. Brown*



Jan Burger - December 31, 2022 at 01:18 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Fredric S. Brown.*



December 28, 2022 at 06:23 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Fredric S. Brown.*



December 28, 2022 at 04:53 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Fredric S. Brown.*



December 28, 2022 at 10:58 AM



“ *Patricia Brown purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Fredric S. Brown.*



Patricia Brown - December 27, 2022 at 07:41 PM

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“ *Ileana Vermilyea lit a candle in memory of Fredric S. Brown*



Ileana Vermilyea - December 27, 2022 at 07:25 PM

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Fred I've known you for most of our life. You are my best friend and soul mate. I will miss you more than I can say to quote you" love you more Bebé".

Ileana Vermilyea - December 27, 2022 at 07:28 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Fredric S. Brown.*



December 27, 2022 at 07:21 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Fredric S. Brown.*



December 27, 2022 at 06:50 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Fredric S. Brown.*



December 27, 2022 at 06:48 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Fredric S. Brown.*



December 27, 2022 at 06:34 PM



“ *Love you Freddie! One days we will play golf in heaven!*

Sid shipman - December 27, 2022 at 04:52 PM



“ *Marcelline and Jim Sanders purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Fredric S. Brown.*



Marcelline and Jim Sanders - December 27, 2022 at 03:52 PM

JS

“ Fred and I shares a room in the dormitory at Frankfurt American High School in Frankfurt Germany in 1966. After many years, we reconnected and renewed our friendship. Fred visited my wife and I in Myrtle Beach, SC a couple of times, the last time in June of 2022. Fred enjoyed life, laughter and shrimp and grits.



Jim Sanders - December 27, 2022 at 03:40 PM

BC

Will miss those pork chops and all the other things you and I shared in, you are the greatest. Peace be with you and I will miss you but know we will meet again.... how can we not. You were so helpful to a great many people, .. thanks, your friend, butch

Butch coy - December 27, 2022 at 09:38 PM