



## Len S. Redman

March 30, 1932 - September 7, 2023

Len S. Redman, 91, of Limestone, passed away Thursday, September 7, 2023, at the Manteno Veteran's Home.

He was born March 30, 1932, in Thompsonville, Illinois, the son of Clyde and Elsa (Hicks) Redman. He served in the United States Navy, USS Jarvis, and married Gloria Beland in Kankakee. He worked for the Kankakee Ropers and the VA Home in Manteno. Len really enjoyed playing slot machines.

Len is survived by his children, Dusty Redman, Venita (Scott) Loring, and Valerie Theesfeld; his grandchildren, Amber (Scott) Smith, Joshua Cole, April Schneider, Daylon (Jill) Cole, Jessica (Jeff) Chandler, and Eric Redman; eleven great grandchildren and four great-great grandchildren; as well as several nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his wife, Gloria Redman; his parents; sisters, Tina (Ernie) Perkins, Juanita (Les) Simmons, Dolores Molinaro, and Monette Harrington; brothers, Clyde (Bobbie) Redman and Frankie Redman; and one daughter-in-law, Ava Redman.

Visitation will be held at Jensen Funeral Home, Kankakee on Thursday, September 14, 2023, from 11am until the funeral service at 1pm. Burial will immediately follow at Kankakee Memorial Gardens.

Memorials may be made to the wishes of the family.

# Cemetery Details

## Kankakee Memorial Gardens

15 S 3000 E Road  
Kankakee, IL 60901

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 14. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

SEP 14. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Len S. Redman*

October 08, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. We didn't know he had passed away. He was so much fun on the bus trips to the casinos.*

**Terry Nesbitt** - September 16, 2023 at 02:07 PM



“ *My condolences to the family. Sending Prayers. Len was my coworker at the IVHM. He was always a joy to be around.*



**Cheryl Wilson** - September 15, 2023 at 07:21 PM



“ *Ron Merritt lit a candle in memory of Len S. Redman*



**Ron merritt** - September 13, 2023 at 11:30 PM



“ *Janet M. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Len S. Redman.*

**Janet M.** - September 10, 2023 at 11:49 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Len S. Redman.



September 09, 2023 at 11:58 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Len S. Redman.

September 09, 2023 at 11:58 PM



“ Venita, Valerie, Dusty our condolences are with each of you. Your dad and our dad were the bestest friends in the whole world. As they aged together, you never ever seen them without, the beautiful sparkle of mischief, in both their eyes. Their stories always made us laugh. What one didn't think of, the other one would. Us kids all grew up together, so many awesome memories we share. The farm. Playing cards. Spending overnights. Etc. Your dad, came to sit with us, when our dad, took his last breath. He hated dad dying, but wouldn't let us kids be alone. He held each one of us, and we cried together. He said he needed to be with his best friend children. God bless him. God bless you all. He's at peace. And you know Dad was waiting for him. ❤️❤️❤️❤️👏👏👏

Suzette Nugent - September 09, 2023 at 02:42 PM

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“ *Very sorry to hear of Mr. Redman's passing. Would always greet each other when I came to visit my husband at the VA home. Rest in peace. Condolences to the family.*

*Cathie Miedema*



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**Cathie Miedema** - September 09, 2023 at 10:39 AM

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“ *Awesome Uncle! He had the best funny stories! One of his best: Len and his best pal Luke were home on leave from the Navy. They were catting around Kankakee and apparently didn't have any luck with the ladies. The bars had closed and they decided to go to a house of ill repute. On the way Luke asked how much they'd charge for a little shorty?! 😊 As they got to the door they found the establishment was closed. The sign on the door said we're closed! "Go beat it"! I always laughed at his story, I can see these two sailors laughing at the sign and then walking home holding each other up! Will miss this guy forever.*

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**Phil Perkins** - September 08, 2023 at 11:33 PM

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“ *Sue Keller lit a candle in memory of Len S. Redman*



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**Sue Keller** - September 08, 2023 at 10:51 PM

GM

“ Lenny and I were very good friends for 60 years. And Oh! The stories I can tell! I am so glad I visited Him last Saturday I took him out on the patio of the V A building I reminisced about old times. He got some of it and even laughed a couple times. I ask him how old He was and He said I must be about 100. REST In PEACE My FRIEND I'll Miss YOU 🙏❤️

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**George Myers** - September 08, 2023 at 09:59 PM

JJ

“ Jolinda Jones lit a candle in memory of Len S. Redman



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**Jolinda Jones** - September 08, 2023 at 07:30 PM