



Wayne Parker Fromknecht

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Wayne P. Fromknecht, 81, of Manteno, passed away on May 9, 2019 surrounded by his loving family.

Wayne was born January 20, 1938 in Moweaqua Illinois, the son of Ralph and Mildred Fromknecht. He was united in marriage to Sandra Powell on January 4, 1991.

Wayne was employed at American Greetings Corporation for 30 years as a successful Account Manager and received the top salesman of the year award multiple times in his career. He enjoyed antique trucks, carpentry, gardening, traveling, Cubs and Bears games.

Those left to honor his memory are his wife, Sandra Powell Fromknecht, of Manteno; son, Dennis Fromknecht of Bettendorf, Iowa, daughter, Debbie and Tom “Bud” Ivanoff of Peotone, stepsons, Jeff and Maureen Powell of Kankakee, Illinois, Kirk Powell and Natalie of Sugar Grove Illinois, 9 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ralph and Mildred Fromknecht, and

brother Ron Fromknecht.

A Celebration of Life will be on Friday, May 17, 2019 at Jensen Funeral Home, 1200 N. Convent Suite B Bourbonnais, IL. Visitation will be from 4 to 7 pm, with the service to follow at 7pm. Officiating will be Pastor Jack McCormick.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley
482 Main St NW Bourbonnais, IL 60914

Cremation rites will be accorded. Jensen Funeral Home is handling the arrangements.

Please sign Wayne's guest book

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 17. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Jensen Funeral Home
3639 E IL-17
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-4001
<https://www.jensenmemorialchapel.com>

Service

MAY 17. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wayne Parker Fromknecht*

October 08, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ *Kathy Hamlin lit a candle in memory of Wayne Parker Fromknecht*



Kathy Hamlin - May 15, 2019 at 11:26 AM



“ *We met Wayne at the nursing home when my husband was there. Wayne was very nice and we enjoyed talking with him. He always wanted to talk to my sons when they came to visit their Dad. Sorry for your loss. Love and prayers, Connie Roberson*



Connie - May 15, 2019 at 10:48 AM



“ *I'm so sorry Sandy, my prayers are with you and the family. It was fun getting to know you and Wayne . Will miss him.*



Barbara Gessner Casey - May 11, 2019 at 07:09 PM

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“ *Sr. Martha lite a candle in memory of Wayne P. Fromknecht. My prayers and sympathy are with his wife Sandy and family. Blessings, Sr. Martha*



Sr. Martha Harrington,sscm - May 11, 2019 at 02:23 PM

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“ *Our entire family sends sympathy to the family. Our family enjoyed his company and Sandy's over the years at the nursing home. He will be missed as my husbands next door neighbor and buddy.*

DeYoungs - May 10, 2019 at 11:59 PM



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Jensen Funeral Home - May 10, 2019 at 06:27 PM