



BJ (Bobbie Joe) Surratt

January 24, 1939 - June 10, 2021

BJ (Bobbie Joe) Surratt passed away peacefully on 6/10/21. He was a proud and loving man; always willing to strike up a conversation about his beloved Cubs. A good day was when the Cubs won and the White Sox lost.

Dad was retired for many years and enjoyed golfing until his health declined. He was also an active member of social clubs; the Aurora Turners, the Phoenix Club, the Third Ward Club, and Luxies. Dad served in the Air Force and was also a member of Amvet Posts 103.

Dad will be missed by many; his beautiful smile and hair (if you knew Dad, he never wanted anyone messing with his hair); flirtatious way with women and unbelievable wicked sense of humor. We will always remember, when he would go to get his blood drawn, the nurse would say "which arm?" and my dad would respond with "yours".

While we are all saddened by the loss of his sweet nature and wicked sense of humor - we look forward to sharing many memories and celebrating his lovable spirit. Please join us this Saturday, June 12th, 2021 (anytime between 3-7 pm) for a casual gathering of friends and family at Gario's Pizza Villa, 813 Montgomery Rd. Montgomery IL.

Per Dad's wishes, there will be no formal service.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made in BJ's memory to American Liver Foundation, liverfoundation.org or American Diabetes Association, diabetes.org.

Tribute Wall



“ BJ you n Roger were always the best father figure I have ever known. God bless you both . Heaven got another Angel. Tell Roger Hi.

June 20, 2021 at 12:00 AM



“ Bible lit a candle in memory of BJ (Bobbie Joe) Surratt



Bible - June 19, 2021 at 12:00 AM



“ May You Rest In Peace BJ. It was an Honor To Know You . You Always made Me Smile and Laugh. You will be Truly Missed By Many Friends and Family. My Condolences To the Surratt Family .



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“ Uncle BJ you was a good man you treated all of us like blood. I remember all the good times playing cards all night. With Erie and Jack. Rest in peace. Jeanne Watson (sugaski)

June 18, 2021 at 12:00 AM



“ I remember the family get togethers and visits. I always admired your hair BJ. The freckles on your face. Those blue eyes that seemed to twinkle when you laughed. You were and always will be a part of our family. I remember being at your wedding at the Sheldon's Grove church. Wow, that was awhile ago. Time sped by. Your pain is gone. See you later BJ, tell the family hi for me. ❤️
JoEllen

June 14, 2021 at 12:00 AM



“ Haven't seen you since Roger Deckers wake, but I often thought about our rounds of golf at Phillips Park plus the good times we had at the Amvets on Galena Blvd. in Aurora. Rest in Peace good friend.
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June 13, 2021 at 12:00 AM



“ I knew BJ from CAT and The Luxies. Always enjoyed a good conversation and joking around with him. RIP BJ!

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