



## Robert J. Salerno

December 28, 1938 - October 2, 2021

Robert J. Salerno, 82, of Sugar Grove, IL passed away Saturday, October 2, 2021 at Journey Care in Barrington, IL. He was born December 28, 1938 in Aurora, IL.

He is survived by his wife Kathleen "Kathy" Salerno of Sugar Grove, IL; his three children Michelle (James Sanders) Salerno of Aurora, IL, Robert Salerno, Jr. of Aurora, IL, and Brian (Jennifer) Salerno of Hinsdale, IL; 9 grandchildren; 4 great grandchildren; his sister-in-law Jo Anne Salerno of Florida; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his son John "Jack" Salerno; his parents Helen and Jack Salerno; his brother Anthony F. Salerno; his sister Marilyn E. (George) Spieler; and his niece Beth Spieler.

A memorial Mass will be held on Monday, October 25, at 11:00am at St. Katharine Drexel Church in Sugar Grove with burial at Sugar Grove Cemetery. A memorial visitation will be held Monday morning at St. Katharine Drexel Church from 9:00am until the funeral hour at 11:00am. Over the past 12 years, Bob was a passionate advocate of St. Katherine Catholic Church, having served on the first capital campaign.

In lieu of flowers, your contribution to St. Katherine's in Bob's memory is greatly appreciated. May God bless you! Arrangements are being handled by THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, 220 N. Lake St., Aurora, 630-631-5500.

# Cemetery Details

## Sugar Grove Cemetery

Sugar Grove, IL 60554

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

OCT 25. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Katharine Drexel Catholic Church  
8S055 Dugan Rd.  
Sugar Grove, IL 60554

## Memorial Mass

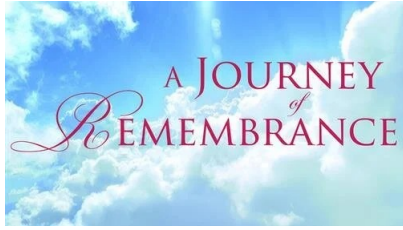
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# Tribute Wall



“ Daleiden Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert J. Salerno



Daleiden Mortuary - October 20, 2021 at 01:00 PM

MS

“ I'll always love you Dado. Not a day goes by I'm not thinking of you. Your the man who showed me what it truly means to a man and how to live your life. You'll always live & love on in our hearts and especially mine.

Goodbye for now,  
Your grandson Mikey

michael salerno - November 01, 2021 at 04:35 PM



“ Fields of Europe for Spring was purchased for the family of Robert J. Salerno.



October 22, 2021 at 11:59 PM

WD

“ With love, Dave & Dawn purchased the White Sympathy Basket for the family of Robert J. Salerno.



With love, Dave & Dawn - October 21, 2021 at 07:34 AM



“ 49 files added to the album Life Tributes



Daleiden Mortuary - October 20, 2021 at 01:00 PM

EF

“ Eric, Ann and family purchased the Red & White Sympathy Basket for the family of Robert J. Salerno.



Eric, Ann and family - October 20, 2021 at 10:13 AM



“ Blue & White Standing Open Heart was purchased for the family of Robert J. Salerno.



October 19, 2021 at 10:28 AM



“ Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Robert J. Salerno.



October 18, 2021 at 08:10 PM



“ *Sincerest Sorrow - Blue and White* was purchased for the family of Robert J. Salerno.



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October 11, 2021 at 05:34 PM

BB

“ *A father's guiding hand always sits on the shoulder of his children. May your Dad's memory always be your guiding light*

*With deepest sympathy,*

*Nicole, Carol, and Bill*

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**Bill Budig** - October 11, 2021 at 12:18 PM



“ *White Mixed Flower Solid Standing Heart* was purchased for the family of Robert J. Salerno.



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October 11, 2021 at 12:13 PM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White* was purchased for the family of Robert J. Salerno.



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October 10, 2021 at 04:48 PM

CG

“ Dear Salerno Family,

*Many years ago, I fell into a job of temporarily supporting Bob Salerno. That "temporary" assignment lasted more than 16 years. During that time I came to know him as a man of dignity, honor and principles. A man who treated everyone he encountered as worthy of attention, and respect. He had an uncanny way of remembering details about the person so at the next encounter they seemed like old friends. He cared about people. When it came time for him to retire, we (the company) presented him with the "Chief," something he said he wanted. Not sure if Kathy agreed, but she went along with it anyway. I wonder if the Chief still resides in the basement. Kathy, Michelle, Bob, Jr., and Brian, I know it's a very difficult time for you, but Bob is getting to know the angels now and many of us here on earth are praying for him and for all of you.*

*Wishing you peace, Carol Gugala*

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**Carol Gugala** - October 10, 2021 at 03:26 PM



“ White Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Robert J. Salerno.



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October 09, 2021 at 04:47 PM