



## Stephen J Badnarik

April 10, 1958 - September 16, 2018

Stephen J. Badnarik, age 60, of Aurora, passed away September 16, 2018. He was born April 10, 1958 to John and Elaine Badnarik.

Stephen loved animals, most especially Great Pyrenees Dogs. He also loved everything Chevy as he was "Bowtie for Life." Stephen had a big heart and was always willing to help anyone in any way he could. He also had a great sense of humor.

Stephen was a member of St. Peter Catholic Church in Aurora.

Survivors include his loving wife Leslie; father John Badnarik; brothers Michael Badnarik and Chuck Badnarik; brothers-in-law Eric (Yuki) and Alex (Sharon); sisters-in-law Trina and Valerie (James); nieces and nephews Jason (Dana), Jacqueline (Jacob), Daniel, Caroline, Samantha, Eric, Neena (Tony), Mary, Reed, Seth and Navon.

He was preceded in death by his mother Elaine Badnarik.

Funeral services will be on Friday, September 21, 2018 at 11 AM from THE DALEDIEN MORTUARY, to St. Peter Catholic Church, 925 Sard Ave, Aurora, IL for Funeral Mass at 11:30 AM led by Fr. Jerome Leake. A visitation will be on Thursday, September 20, 2018, from 4:00 PM- 8:00 PM at The Daleiden Mortuary 220 North Lake St., Aurora, IL 60506.

For further information, to sign the online guest book, or to leave condolences for Stephen's family please visit [www.daleidenmortuary.com](http://www.daleidenmortuary.com).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

SEP **20**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Daleiden Mortuary  
220 N. Lake Street  
Aurora, IL 60506  
(630) 631-5500  
daleidenmortuary@gmail.com  
<https://www.daleidenmortuary.com>

## Funeral Mass

SEP **21**. 11:30 AM (CT)

St. Peter Church  
925 Sard Avenue  
Aurora, IL 60506  
1-630-896-6816

# Tribute Wall



“ Daleiden Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Stephen J Badnarik



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Daleiden Mortuary - September 19, 2018 at 11:43 AM

JH

“ To all the Bednarik family my sincere condolences. The world is a little lesser of a place now with Stephen's passing. I was as shocked as you could imagine, it seemed like just a couple of days ago I was "liking" his post on a red Chevy truck. We mostly agree with each other except when the subject was diesel fuel. I have known Steve ever since first grade at St John's, lost touch for a while, but if Face Book is good for nothing else it let us reconnect. John, Michael and Chuck, you Stephen and his family will be in my prayers . God Bless to you all and God Speed Stephen!

Joe Hajduch

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Joseph Hajduch - September 23, 2018 at 10:19 PM

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“ Leslie.....

*I offer you my thoughts, prayers and well-wishes during this dark time in your life.*

*May my heartfelt condolences bring you comfort and may my prayers ease the pain of losing Stephen. May God give you peace. Hugs for you.*

*Linda Lawson*

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**Linda Lawson** - September 21, 2018 at 04:41 AM



*Leslie,*

*Was just thinking of you and came across this! I'm so sorry for your loss!*

*Wauikkee Dixon*

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**Wauikkee Dixon** - March 26, 2023 at 09:12 PM



*I hope you're ok and know that time heals all pain.*

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**Wauikkee Dixon** - March 26, 2023 at 09:13 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Yellow and White was purchased for the family of Stephen J Badnarik.*



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September 20, 2018 at 03:59 PM



“ *Simply Lily was purchased for the family of Stephen J Badnarik.*



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September 20, 2018 at 03:40 PM



“ *“My best friend, my brother”. We’ve all heard Chuck speak these words and we all know how much he loved his brother. The several stories that you’ve shared with us about your childhood days are precious and how you continued to support your brother and Leslie was outstanding. The special ways you helped Steve with surprises for Leslie is heartwarming! ❤️ We’ve heard you say many times how much Steve and Leslie loved each other.*

*Oh, how proud Steve was of Himslef traveling on his own to celebrate your dad’s 90th Birthday! The stories that were shared at the birthday celebration by Steve, his father John, and his brothers Chuck and Mike, were full of laughter and love. We’re so happy that the 4 of you gathered and had a beautiful party, just 3 months ago. Check out the picture of them! Lol!*

*We are so sorry for your loss. Our deepest Sympathy to all of you. May God Bless each of you through this difficult journey and in the days ahead.*

*The Blosser and Sochocki families.*

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**Renee** - September 20, 2018 at 01:28 PM



“ *Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers was purchased for the family of Stephen J Badnarik.*



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September 19, 2018 at 08:12 PM



“ *Bonne Hills purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Stephen J Badnarik.*



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**Bonne Hills** - September 19, 2018 at 07:57 PM



“ *Multicolor Bright Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Stephen J Badnarik.*



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September 19, 2018 at 01:04 PM



“ *To Michael and the entire Badnarik family, I'm so deeply sorry for the loss of your beloved Stephen. It must be comforting to know, Michael, that you and Stephen shared such a beautiful relationship.. Please receive my heartfelt and most sincere condolences.*

*S. Kahn*

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**S.Kahn** - September 19, 2018 at 10:50 AM

BS

“ *Barbara Harless & Suzanne Souza purchased the White Standing Spray for the family of Stephen J Badnarik.*



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**Barbara Harless & Suzanne Souza** - September 19, 2018 at 09:07 AM

DP

“ *Our brother in faith Steve and his wonderful warmth and beautiful smile is now in heaven. He is fully sainted now and with the Lord face to face and know we have you in thoughts and prayers at the throne of grace and the foot of the cross. Leslie any time and any day we are here for you for contact for sure. Just talked to you about things short while back. Knowing Steve he better be riding in a Chevrolet for sure. We love you and truly are here for you and well got to stop as can note type and sob at the same time. Pax Domini and Sole Deo Gloria to all!!!!!!*

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**Dennis Patzer** - September 19, 2018 at 08:47 AM

BH

“ *Michael, we're so sorry for your sudden loss. We don't know why bad things happen to good people, but hope that you find comfort and answers to prayers.  
Our love and sympathy,  
- B Harless & S Souza*

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**Barbara Harless** - September 19, 2018 at 08:11 AM



“ *European Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Stephen J Badnarik.*



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September 18, 2018 at 11:59 AM