



David Lee Snyder

December 1, 1946 - May 25, 2026

David Lee Snyder, 79, of Cicero, Illinois, passed away on May 25, 2026, at the Manteno Veterans' Home in Manteno, Illinois. He was born on December 1, 1946, in Chicago, Illinois, to Claude Snyder and Thelma Collins.

David proudly served his country in the United States Marine Corps during the Vietnam War — a chapter of his life that reflected the sense of duty and honor he carried with him always. He continued that commitment to service through a dedicated career with the United States Postal Service, where he worked until retirement. He was also a faithful member of the Kansas City Church of Christ.

A kind and gentle man, David found joy in the everyday things: the sound of good music, and the thrill of rooting for his beloved Chicago White Sox, Chicago Bears, and Grand Slam tennis. He enjoyed the familiar comfort of old Westerns and was a dedicated fan of Svengoolie.

Above all, David was a proud father. He is survived by his daughter, Robin A. Mannel, and her husband Kevin S. Mannel; and his son, James D. Snyder. He was preceded in death by his wife, Carol Snyder.

Services will be held at Abraham Lincoln Cemetery in Elwood, Illinois. David's memory will be cherished by all who had the privilege of knowing him

Tribute Wall

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“ *Linda Flores lit a candle in memory of David Lee Snyder*



linda flores - June 11 at 09:49 AM

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Dave was not only a neighbor for over 30 years but a very good friend. We helped each other many times. And enjoyed movies & concerts. He was a great person I will truly miss him. 😭

linda flores - June 11 at 09:56 AM

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*Dave, my dear neighbor. I miss you so much. What an honorable man. I thank you for serving our country. I thank you for your kindness, your love and respect to my husband and I. Thank you for loving my dog Mr. Ruffles and for playing with him. Thank you for the multiple bunnies that you fed with carrots in your yard. Thank you for your smile great soldier. Now you stand in the presence of God Almighty, singing with the angels surrounded by His glory, feasting at His table in the company of our Lord Jesus Christ for all eternity. Love you so much.
Rose Ann Zavala*

Rose Ann Zavala - June 11 at 10:32 AM