



Leslie L. Rogers

February 28, 1955 - March 8, 2026

Leslie “Les” Loring Rogers of Bourbonnais, IL passed March 8, 2026 at Riverside Medical Center after a short illness.

He was born to Rimmell “Whitey” and Jayne (Wright) Rogers on February 28, 1955 at St. Mary’s Hospital in Kankakee, IL.

Les graduated from Manteno High School in 1973 and is still friends with many of them.

Les was employed for 31 years by Dow Chemical in Channahon, IL later bought out by AmSty. He truly loved his job and the people he worked with. Les cherished his farming roots and was proud of where he came from. He was a devoted fan of the Denver Bronco and of course, Da Bears! Last year, Les purchased a 1936 Ford pickup truck, something he always had a special interest in.

Les leaves behind his soulmate, Sheri Schneider from Kankakee, IL. Also surviving are his siblings, Nancy Rogers in Hoffman Estates, IL, Pam (Fred) Johnson from Ft Myers, Fla, Linda (Bill) Hull from ft. Myers, Fla, Vicki Iorio from Ft. Myers, Fla, and two step sons, Steve Burger from Kankakee, IL and Cary Burger from Bourbonnais, IL. He also held a very close relationship with several nephews, nieces, and cousins. His fur baby of 18 years was “Bean”.

Preceding him in death was his wife Marilyn Saunders who he was married to for 30 years, and his parents, Whitey and Jayne Rogers.

Visitation will be at Brown-Jensen Funeral Home, located at 21 North Main Street in Manteno, IL on Sunday, March 15, 2026 from 1 to 4 p.m. A private burial at All Saints Cemetery is being held for family on Monday, March 16, 2026.

In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to either the American Cancer Society or the Dan Marino Foundation for Autism.

Cemetery Details

All Saints Cemetery & Mausoleum

1839 IL-102
Bourbonnais, IL 60914-4517
(815) 473-5007

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 15. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Brown-Jensen Funeral Home
21 N Main St
Manteno, IL 60950

Funeral Service

MAR 15. 4:00 PM (CT)

Brown-Jensen Funeral Home
21 N Main St
Manteno, IL 60950

Tribute Wall

RF

“ Rodney & Nancy Meyer & Family purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Leslie L. Rogers.



Rodney & Nancy Meyer & Family - March 13 at 05:18 PM

KE

“ 3 files added to the album *We Love you Les*



Kelly - March 13 at 04:13 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Leslie L. Rogers.



March 13 at 11:12 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Leslie L. Rogers.

March 13 at 11:12 AM

CD

“ Chuck & Nancy Dixon lit a candle in memory of Leslie L. Rogers



Chuck & Nancy Dixon - March 12 at 11:17 PM

GH

“ Les was my next door neighbor for 25 years. I can't express how lucky I feel to say that. No matter what, we could always count him to be there for us, and I hope he felt the same in return. He was such a great guy, great neighbor, and great friend. It just won't be the same without him.

Ginger Hajek - March 12 at 03:48 PM

JF

“ Amazingly, I remember the first time I saw Les Rogers. He was interviewing for the job and was on a plant tour with Carl Darling. I was in the warehouse slinging rubber while making a batch. (No rubber robot yet) He was a quick study and learned the process rather quickly. I'd forgotten his love of Fords and football 🏈 Our condolences to his family and his many, many friends. Gone but not forgotten. Sincerely, Joe and Sue Forrest

Joseph Forrest - March 12 at 01:27 PM

KB

“ Kelly B. purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Leslie L. Rogers.



Kelly B. - March 12 at 10:50 AM