



Rodney J. McCoy

July 20, 1960 - April 24, 2020

Rodney Jon McCoy, 59, of Bourbonnais, passed away Friday April 24, 2020 at home.

He was born July 20, 1960 in Kankakee, IL, the son of Dennis and Janis (Stigen) McCoy.

Rodney is survived by his sister Denise (Scott) Grise of Manteno; a nephew, Mitchell Grise of Bourbonnais; a niece, Megan Grise of Manteno; and a great niece Luna of Manteno.

He is preceded in death by his parents and several aunts and uncles.

Rodney enjoyed antiques, jukeboxes, and old Hollywood. He was a hairdresser and former owner of Rodney Jon's P.O.H. He was known for being a precision colorist and back combing extraordinaire. He was a kind and gentle soul.

"The higher the hair, the closer to Heaven".

A service will be held at a later date.

Brown-Jensen Funeral Home is handling the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ Rodney J. McCoy

October 06, 2023 at 01:14 PM



“ I was just informed of Rodney's passing today. Rodney did my hair for many years. He was an artist of hair. I always enjoyed seeing him and talking with him. He was a kind and caring man. I have missed him since he stopped doing hair and I think of him every time I have an appointment to get my hair done. So sorry for your loss, Denise and family.

Linda Guinn

Linda Guinn - August 26, 2020 at 09:12 PM



“ Rodney was my friend. He was kind and generous. We lost touch when I left the Kankakee area in 2005. He left us too soon.

Stephen Wells - July 18, 2020 at 10:05 PM



“ I am shocked to read about Rodney. He did my hair for many years - what a terrific hair cutter and stylist! I wanted a cut that other stylists said they couldn't do on my hair, but low and behold, Rodney did it! Always enjoyed seeing him and going there. I've since moved away from the area but will remember him fondly. A big loss to the hair world! Know he loved old phonographs etc. My sincere sympathy on your loss. Sue Beutien Hoskins

Sue Beutien Hoskins - July 18, 2020 at 07:42 PM

MZ

“ Denise and Family,
Sorry for your loss,you and your family are in
my thoughts and prayers.Rodney did my hair
on my wedding day 35 years ago,he said,"
We gotta make you look like a million bucks
,or like Marilyn Monroe",lol! He was witty and always fun to be
around.Rest in peace Rodney Jon!!



Madonna(Mazzuchi) Zasada - May 10, 2020 at 03:10 PM

JT

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Rodney was my mom's hairdresser for
35+ years, and he always took such good care of her. After all those
years together, they became like family to each other. He will be
greatly missed. Sending our prayers to your family.
Barb Hendron & family❤️

Jackie Turro - May 07, 2020 at 01:05 AM

JF

“ You have our deepest sympathy Denise and family.. Rodney did my
hair since he was at Heritage. He was so precise! Rodney was so
kind and caring and had a good sense of humor. We always had
good conversations. He will be missed so much by so many.. Our
thoughts and prayers are with you. Judy Farquhar

Judith Farquhar - May 02, 2020 at 12:27 PM

DG

Thank you Judy.

Denise Grise - May 06, 2020 at 08:54 PM

JF

“ *Judith Farquhar lit a candle in memory of Rodney J. McCoy*



Judith Farquhar - May 02, 2020 at 12:03 PM

SH

“ *Our deepest sympathy to Rodney's family. We always had so much fun when he came into our store for hair supplies. We are truly going to miss him and all the laughs we shared. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. The CosmoProf Girls Shari, Joyce and Carol*

shari - May 02, 2020 at 11:27 AM

DG

Awwe thanks.

Denise Grise - May 06, 2020 at 08:55 PM

SH

“ *Shari lit a candle in memory of Rodney J. McCoy*



shari - May 02, 2020 at 11:23 AM

ML

“ *I really enjoyed watching his journey and love of life. Beautiful spirit Michele Loiselle*

Michele Loiselle - May 01, 2020 at 10:47 PM

DG



Denise Grise - May 06, 2020 at 08:56 PM

SH

“ Rodney did my hair for 35+ years. He was the best as a person and hairdresser. A kind soul and true friend, I always looked forward to my appointments. Though my heart is a little more empty hearing of his passing, the heavens truly look fuller. I am blessed for the memories of Rodney and will always cherish. There is no one that can replace him. My condolences to Denise, Megan and family. So sorry for your loss. God Bless you during this difficult time.

Sally Hood - April 30, 2020 at 08:28 PM

DG

Thank you so very much.

Denise Grise - May 01, 2020 at 08:27 PM

NB

“ Denice and family, I am so very sorry. I have been a client of Rods for many years and a friend. In addition to getting a wonderful, precise haircut, we had a good time at each appointment. Heaven has gained a special angel💕💕

Nancy Brown - April 30, 2020 at 12:30 PM

DG

T.y. Nancy he's doing the jitterbug dance with mom and his many friends whom went before him. The world is a little bit colder with out him.

Denise Grise - April 30, 2020 at 03:43 PM

SK

“ *A good and kind and gentle soul. I will miss him.*

Steve Kelley - April 30, 2020 at 01:17 AM

DG

Thank you!

Denise Grise - April 30, 2020 at 03:44 PM

KW

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you Denise and your family. Your brother was a wonderful guy. I have known him since he started in hairdressing. I always told him he was like a son to me. I will miss him. May he rest in peace. God bless you and your family.*

Kathy Wagner - April 29, 2020 at 07:05 PM

DG

Your so kind.

Denise Grise - April 30, 2020 at 03:45 PM

RS

“ *We have known Rod since he was a young boy, later as my hairdresser. He was one of the sweetest, funniest guys. I loved visiting with him while he did my hair. Rest in Peace Rod. Heaven has gained an angel. Fly High.*

Richard and Peggy Streeter - April 29, 2020 at 02:27 PM

DG

Thanks for sharing. I found a feather shortly after his passing, the Angels left it behind.

Denise Grise - April 30, 2020 at 03:48 PM

PT

“ *Paula Tyda lit a candle in memory of Rodney J. McCoy*



Paula Tyda - April 29, 2020 at 10:59 AM

PL

“ *Paul Leach lit a candle in memory of Rodney J. McCoy*



Paul Leach - April 29, 2020 at 05:32 AM

DB

“ *Dawn Barber lit a candle in memory of Rodney J. McCoy*



Dawn Barber - April 28, 2020 at 09:46 PM

SR

“ *Sheryl A Roesemeier lit a candle in memory of Rodney J. McCoy*



sheryl a roesemeier - April 28, 2020 at 08:32 AM

JA

“ *Jill Arseneau lit a candle in memory of Rodney J. McCoy*



Jill Arseneau - April 28, 2020 at 01:36 AM

LF

“ *Rest in peace my friend* 🙏❤️



Lesla Frimel - April 27, 2020 at 09:48 PM

DG

T.Y.

Denise Grise - April 30, 2020 at 03:50 PM

JB

“ *As everyone knows, Rodney was a Character, hadn't crossed paths with him in many years and sorry I won't have the opportunity again, he was a good guy who could certainly liven up a conversation.*

Jerry the Mailman

jerry bjick - April 27, 2020 at 02:58 PM

SL

“ *I will miss my Beautiful friend forever...The Lord has Blessed me knowing Rodney for so many years..We were family from work and family from heart...I will miss you my Rodney*

Sheila LaGesse - April 27, 2020 at 01:30 PM

CM

“ *Deepest sympathy to Denise & family. I had been a client of Rodney's since 1982. He was a special person. May he rest in peace.*

Cathie (Bergan) Miedema



Cathie Miedema - April 27, 2020 at 11:24 AM

KB

Rodney's passing had saddened me greatly! He was my stylist for over 30 years, and a friend as well. He shared cooking tips and garden plants, and was a kind and gentle soul. Rest in peace, my friend.

Karen Bayer - April 30, 2020 at 04:13 PM

LL

I am so sad to hear this. Rodney did my hair for many years and he was also a wonderful friend. Such a kind man, he did so many thoughtful things for people. I will never forget that when my dad passed away, Rodney came to his wake to see me. Praying for his sweet soul and his family. 🙏❤️

Linda LeRoy - May 02, 2020 at 05:48 PM

SW

I am proud to say: Rodney was my cousin! He and I are real McCoys. He cut my hair. Whether I was in Bourbonnais ,New Mexico ,or Crystal Lake, I would drive or FLY home every 5 weeks for a 'Rodney Jon Haircut'. He will be forever missed. Prayers for his family who I know miss him as well. I'm blessed to have had him, for my cousin and beautician.

Sandy weichbrodt - July 20, 2024 at 09:39 PM