



Walter "Art" Johnson

July 17, 1940 - October 31, 2021

Walter Arthur Johnson, 81, of Manteno, passed away Sunday, October 31, 2021, at his home.

He was born on July 17, 1940 in Minneapolis, Minnesota, the son of Walter B. and Laverne Johnson. Walter was veteran of the United States Army and worked for the railroad as a conductor. On March 18, 1967 he married Diane M. Stoll at Mount Greenwood Reform Church in Chicago. He enjoyed fishing, camping, playing cards and having coffee with friends and coworkers.

He is survived by his wife Diane; two children, LeAnn (Richard) Heuring of Manteno and Walter (Sarah) Johnson of Valparaiso, IN; five grandchildren, Owen, Andrew, Harper, Emerson and Avery; cousin, Bruce Gilmer; and good friend, Warren Kelly.

Walter is preceded by in death by his parents and brother, Edward Johnson.

A visitation will be held at Brown-Jensen Funeral Home in Manteno on Tuesday, November 9, 2021 from 4:00 p.m. until the service at 7:00 p.m.

Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

ELWOOD, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 9. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Service

NOV 9. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Walter "Art" Johnson*

October 06, 2023 at 01:14 PM



“ *My sympathy to the whole family. He was such a wonderful addition to our audiences as he was their supporting Owen! Always had a smile on his face! I know you as his family will miss him with all your heart. Rest In Peace my friend.*



Pat Ward - November 05, 2021 at 08:25 PM



“ *Dear Diane and Family-*

*God Bless Walter, May he rest in peace! I worked for many years with Walter on the Rock Island and can still see all the guys gathered in the back, on their layover playing cards. Of course, Walter and Warren were the stars!
What a wonderful man and coworker - Donna and Tammy Matteson*

Tammy Matteson - November 05, 2021 at 04:22 PM



“ *Please accept our deepest condolences on the loss of Art. We have the best memories together with him, your mom, and my parents, Skip and Kay! We sat around many campfires together and loved Arts stories, genuine heart, and his happy grin! We've enjoyed lots of railroad breakfasts too. We are thankful God put Art and Diane in our lives! May Gods peace be yours. Love, Jeff and Karin Floyd.*

Karin Floyd - November 04, 2021 at 05:56 PM