



Stephen Joseph Regan

August 31, 1946 - April 23, 2023

Regan, Stephen J. age 76 of Bloomington. Preceded in death by daughter, Pam. Survived by loving wife of 50 years, Elaine; daughter Mary; grandson, Jacob; sisters, Karen and Nancy. In lieu of flowers, memorials to the Lewy Body Dementia Association. Funeral service Sunday, April 30, 2 PM with visitation 1 hour prior to service at: Washburn-McReavy.com Werness Brothers 952-884-8145 2300 W. Old Shakopee Rd. Steve Regan, 76, of Bloomington passed away on Sunday, April 23rd. He was preceded in death by his parents Joseph & Ruby Regan, sister Louise Henke, and daughter Pam Regan. He is survived by his wife of 50 years Elaine Regan, daughter Mary Regan, grandson Jacob Wenzel, and sisters Karen Doughan and Nancy Holliday.

Steve Regan was truly one of a kind. It is safe to assume that if you knew him, you and he had an inside joke together or he had a special nickname for you. He was outgoing and knew how to throw one heck of a party. Steve's annual birthday "Sports Fests" were known throughout the neighborhood and by the local police, ha ha!

Nobody could tell a story quite like Steve. He could spin a tale complete with props, hand gestures, eye rolls, and sound effects, all with a Bud Light in his hand. You could almost imagine you were there and even if the story was "slightly" exaggerated, you were enthralled until the end. Often these stories

had "practical" life lessons that us kids weren't quite sure we should actually follow.

Steve truly, deeply loved his wife, Elaine. Her happiness was his number one goal. He would do anything to ensure that she was safe, comfortable, and enjoying life. From the moment they met he knew she was the one. He moved to Minnesota to be with her and pursued her until she just couldn't say no. He was a persistent man and an excellent role model on what a good husband should be.

He was a dedicated and supportive father. He never missed a basketball game, skating competition, concert, or recital. If he wasn't participating as an assistant coach, acting as an usher, serving refreshments, or running the lights, he was in the audience cheering you on. While he often "complained" about us kids hanging out at his house and eating all his food, he actually loved having us there. He made everyone feel welcome and you never left hungry.

The service will be held Sunday, April 30th at 2pm with a viewing one hour before at Washburn-McReavy Funeral Chapel located at 2300 W Old Shakopee Rd, Bloomington, MN 55431. The service will also be live streamed on the Washburn-McReavy website. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Lewy Body Dementia Association <https://www.lbda.org/donate/>

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 30. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Bloomington Chapel
2300 W. Old Shakopee Road
Bloomington, MN 55431
(952) 884-8145
info@washburn-mcreavy.com

Chapel Service

APR 30. 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Washburn-McReavy Funeral Chapels created a Chapel Service for Stephen Joseph Regan in memory of Stephen Joseph Regan



Washburn-McReavy - April 25, 2023 at 02:40 PM

JW

“ I miss my grandpa but he always said and showed me hilarious things that will always make me remember him.

jacob wenzel - January 08, 2025 at 11:42 AM

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“ I just learned of Steve's passing and Scott and I feel heavy hearts for Elaine and Mary and Jacob. We are so shocked. Steve was such a fun person to be around - he could light up a room with smile and joy. He called my Mom, Lois, "Department 56" because she and Elaine both collected Dept. 56 lighted houses. We will miss Steve so much! Our love to you Elaine. Dana and Scott

Dana Larsen-Ramsay - October 05, 2023 at 08:32 PM

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“ *Dana Larsen-Ramsay lit a candle in memory of Stephen Joseph Regan*



Dana Larsen-Ramsay - October 05, 2023 at 08:26 PM