



## Charles W. "Chuck" Akerberg

July 11, 1952 - June 27, 2023

Charles W. "Chuck" Akerberg, 70, of Huntley passed away June 27, 2023, at JourneyCare Hospice in Barrington.

He was born July 11, 1952, in Woodstock, the son of Walter C. and Thelma A. (Brunschon) Akerberg.

He is survived by his sisters, Linda Wolles, and Sandra Steidele; sister-in-law, Sheila Akerberg; and many nieces & nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents; and his brother, Denis.

Chuck was a lifelong resident of Huntley. His many friends (including all of his four-legged ones!) could always find him in the square where he was given the honorary title of "Mayor of the Square." He loved to see his friends and neighbors on his daily walks, when he went to a Tuesday night concert, or sat on his bench.

Chuck was an avid outdoorsman. Whether at Spider Shores Resort or in southern Illinois, Chuck found great success, happiness, and friendships in hunting and fishing.

He was a talented painter, specializing in wildlife and landscapes that you

could see proudly displayed throughout his house. He loved NASCAR and enjoyed his impressive die cast car collection.

Whether you knew him growing up in school, hunted or fished with him, or got to know him around town later in life, you were fortunate. Chuck sought no recognition for his genuine kindness and generosity towards others, and in that lies its beauty. He will be greatly missed.

Graveside services for family and close friends will be held on Saturday, August 5th at 11:00 am in Huntley Cemetery, followed by a celebration of life at the Pavilion in Ol' Timers Park.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in his name may be directed to Journey Care Hospice <https://journeycare.org/donate/> or to the Wounded Warrior Project <https://www.woundedwarriorproject.org/>

# Cemetery Details

## Huntley Cemetery

Dean Street  
Huntley, IL 60142

# Tribute Wall

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“ We will miss 'Uncle' Chuck! as my daughter always called him. He was a very special nephew to my dad. He was always around to give a hand, shovel the drive or make us laugh. Could always have a NASCAR or Bears discussion with him. I am better for knowing him. With sympathies, Lisa, Curt and AJ Ottens (Brunschon)

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**Lisa Ottens** - July 07, 2023 at 01:48 PM

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“ Chuck was always present while we were building the veterans memorial in the square. He thus became a part of our group. My sympathies to his family.  
Penny (Ruth) Warner.

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**Penny** - July 07, 2023 at 12:38 PM