



Philip Francis Manning Jr.

October 11, 1928 - October 18, 2024

A Lifelong Huntley area resident, Philip Francis Manning Jr, age 96 passed away on October 18, 2024. Philip was born to Philip and Myrtle (Ryan) Manning, on October 11, 1928, in Elgin IL and was raised on the family farm in Huntley IL.

Early education started at the one room Eakin schoolhouse, where all 8 grades were taught concurrently. He was a 1946 graduate of Huntley High School and continued to help run the family farm with his brother Francis "Duke" Manning. He married Mary Louise Dhamer on July 14, 1954, at St. Mary's church in Gilbert's IL and soon was deployed overseas in the Korean War, which he was a veteran. After returning from his US Army duties he began his construction career, operating heavy equipment that ultimately led to being an upper echelon crane operator with the Local 150 Operating Engineers. He was a lifelong member of several Catholic parishes, and his last membership was at St. Mary's in Huntley. He was an usher for many years and enjoyed being a member of the men's catholic Cursillo group. He belonged to the American Legion Post 680 and was a member of the St. Vincent DePaul Society volunteering for local area needs. Phil loved the great outdoors which included hunting, fishing, snowmobiling, and camping. His love of snowmobiling led him to become an instructor for snowmobile safety education. He had many great travel experiences after retirement with MaryLou including fishing in Canada with grandchildren, European trips to

several countries and many travel adventures in their fifth wheel trailer.

He is survived by his loving wife of 70 years, Mary Lou. His children Tom (Eileen) Manning, Deb Conatser (Barry), Monica Olson, (Reid), Wayne Manning (Joanna), Margie Van Acker (Henry). His brother, Joseph (Nancy) Manning, and sister, Mary Rita Collins and numerous nieces and nephews. He was also blessed with 17 grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren whom he was very proud of.

He was preceded in death by his parents, sister, Patricia Conley, brother, Francis "Duke" Manning and daughter, Marlene Manning.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held on October 26th at 11 AM at St Mary's Catholic Church, 10307 Dundee Ave. in Huntley. Burial with Military Honors will follow at St. Mary Cemetery in Huntley.

Visitation will be prior to mass at the church from 9 to 10:45 am.

In lieu of flowers, masses would be appreciated, or donations can be made in his memory to the St Vincent DePaul Society, or the EWTN Global Catholic Network.

Cemetery Details

St. Mary Cemetery

Dean Street
Huntley, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **26**. 9:00 AM - 10:45 AM (CT)

St. Mary Catholic Church
10307 Dundee Road
Huntley, IL 60142

Mass of Christian Burial

OCT **26**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ As this photo suggests, Uncle Phil (R.) and my Dad (Duke Manning) shared a solid brotherly connection throughout their lives. Phil took Dad for many rides (and cups of coffee) when Dad couldn't drive anymore and he added lots of good cheer to our lives. Thanks and God bless.



Regina A Manning - October 24, 2024 at 12:20 PM

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“ Steve and Connie Medina purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Philip Francis Manning Jr..



Steve and Connie Medina - October 23, 2024 at 08:58 PM

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“ Steve and Connie Medina planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Philip Francis Manning Jr..

Steve and Connie Medina - October 23, 2024 at 08:58 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Philip Francis Manning Jr..



October 23, 2024 at 07:58 PM



“ Jim & Laurie Dhamer and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Philip Francis Manning Jr..

Jim & Laurie Dhamer and Family - October 23, 2024 at 07:58 PM



“ Phil was a true gentleman who was very generous with his time and talent. He was always willing to pitch in and help whenever help was needed . He was a long-time member of the St. Charles Borromeo men's cursillo group... As well as the coup les cursillo group along with Mary Lou. He was a Great role model of a Christian gentleman

Len and Carol Oleferchik - October 23, 2024 at 08:53 AM



“ Carol and Richard Thompson Family purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of Philip Francis Manning Jr..



Carol and Richard Thompson Family - October 22, 2024 at 09:40 PM

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“ Carol and Richard Thompson Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Philip Francis Manning Jr..

Carol and Richard Thompson Family - October 22, 2024 at 09:40 PM

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“ Mr. Manning was a wonderful man. I don't think I ever saw him without a smile on his face. I was blessed to have known this positive person. May God bless his soul and give comfort to his family.

Steve Otten - October 22, 2024 at 03:51 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Philip Francis Manning Jr..



October 22, 2024 at 01:06 PM