



## Frank Wolverton Denman

June 27, 1941 - June 28, 2021

Frank Wolverton Denman, 80, of Matteson, passed away unexpectedly on June 28, 2021. He is survived by his best friend and beloved wife of sixty years, Beverly J. Denman nee Scharnhorst. Devoted father to daughters: Kimberly (Mark) Stecher of West Peoria and Lisa (Mike) Higgins of Downers Grove. Grandfather to Tim Stecher, Kelly (Craig) Collinson, Matt, Kyle, Audrey Higgins. Brother to the late James (late Georgia) Denman III, Denny (late Linda) Denman. Brother-in-law of Robert (Susan) Scharnhorst. Frank was also survived by several nieces and nephews. Frank was born in Chicago to the late James and Margaret Denman Jr, on June 27, 1941, but moved to Matteson at age 11 where he met his future wife Beverly. After graduating from Rich TWSP. H.S. he joined the Airforce. Frank and Beverly married on July 8, 1961. He served for 30 years on the Volunteer Fire Dept. in Matteson and retired as the Director of Public Works from the Village of Matteson in 2002. He served faithfully in several positions at St. John's Faith Church U.C.C. in Matteson. Frank enjoyed woodworking and many other hobbies. He was a very devoted family man. Frank was so giving of himself, and opened his heart to so many others. Visitation will be held on Fri., July 2, from 2:00 p.m. until the time of Funeral Service at 7:30 p.m. at Kurtz Memorial Chapel, 65 Old Frankfort Way in Frankfort. Private Committal service and burial on Mon., July 5th at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood. Memorials may be directed to St. John's Faith U.C.C. 21302 Maple St., Matteson, IL 60443 or to the Wounded Warriors Project at [woundedwarriorproject.org](http://woundedwarriorproject.org). For

info or to sign guestbook please visit [heartlandmemorial.com](http://heartlandmemorial.com) or call Heartland Memorial Center 708-444-2266.

# Cemetery Details

## Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 W. Hoff Road  
Elwood, IL 60421

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 2. 2:00 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

Kurtz Memorial Chapel (Frankfort)  
65 Old Frankfort Way  
P.O Box 1031  
Frankfort, IL 60423  
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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Heartland Memorial Center created a Tribute Video in memory of Frank Wolverton Denman* ”



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**Heartland Memorial Center** - July 02, 2021 at 02:28 PM

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“ I am Chandra, Frank’s next door neighbor. There isn’t enough space here for me to write about what a wonderful man he was. I met him 5 yrs ago when I had to meet the appraiser for my home and he walked across the grass and introduced himself and asked if we were the new neighbors. Then move in day he came over asking if the movers needed help. I met Bev shortly after and my son and I couldn’t be more grateful to have such beautiful people as them for our neighbors. They took care of me as if I were a daughter. Everywhere I look around my house in or out it reminds me of Frank because he always fixed something, assembled something, did my snow, changed my light fixtures, and always bring my trash can back on trash day and if I did it he would say “I was going to get that”. Bev too one night we had a blizzard I hear the snow blower but then hear knocking on my banister and it’s both of them out taking care of my snow when I should be doing there’s lol. They even picked me up from the hospital from having brain surgery. That’s just to name a few there’s so much more I can say. My son went away to college and he told him they are watching over me to not worry about me. I am writing this in tears and so heartbroken because I just went over there on Saturday and that was my goodbyes. As I was leaving he did the gesture of blowing kisses and I did it back and said “you get well now so I can see you driving in and out of the driveway” and the next day he was gone. Now it’s just Bev and I over here to take care of one another. ((Tears))  
Rest In Paradise Frank  
We Love You!  
Chandra & Jamir

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Chandra Singleton - July 02, 2021 at 04:21 PM

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“ *Our warmest condolences purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Frank Wolverton Denman.*



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**Our warmest condolences** - July 01, 2021 at 08:14 PM

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“ *Just met Frank last October when our son married his granddaughter Kelly. We sure enjoyed spending the weekend with him and his wife! We adopted them right away, we will miss getting to know him better. Hugs to the family. Larry and Patty Collinson*

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**Patty Collinson** - July 01, 2021 at 12:30 PM