



## Robert M. Breitbarth

April 27, 1920 - June 16, 2015

Robert M. Breitbarth, 95, lifetime Tinley Park, IL resident, went home June 16, 2015.

Preceded by his wife, Leone (nee Wilson) in 1984. Loving father of his son, Robert C. (Angeline M.) Breitbarth of Tinley Park and Pastor in Crown Point, Indiana and daughter, Mary Louise (Roy) Palmer of Tinley Park. Grandfather of Angela A. (Jason) Brothers, Robert R. (Lauren Bowen) Breitbarth, Adam R. (Jennifer) Campbell, Heidi Leone (Matthew Wilson) Rockrohr and the late Edward Alan Rockrohr. Great-grandfather of Caitlyn Crown, Mackenzie and Quinn Brothers, Keira Leone Campbell and Liam Robert Campbell. Brother of Mabel Breitbarth and the late Mildred Breitbarth. Lifelong friend of Esther Sinese.

Mr. Breitbarth owned and operated a farm in Tinley Park and also worked for the Village of Tinley Park in Public Works.

Visitation will be held on Sunday, June 21, 2015 from 2:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Heartland Memorial Center, 7151 183rd St. in Tinley Park, IL 60477 and on Monday from 1:00 p.m. until the time of service at 2:00 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, 6850 W. 159th St., Tinley Park, IL 60477. Interment following at the Trinity Lutheran Cemetery.

Memorials may be directed to the Trinity Lutheran Church in Tinley Park.

For info or to sign the guestbook (708) 444-2266 or [heartlandmemorial.com](http://heartlandmemorial.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Trinity Lutheran Cemetery

6850 W 159th St  
Tinley Park, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 21. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Heartland Memorial Center (183rd just off Harlem Ave)  
7151 183rd St  
Tinley Park, IL 60477  
(708) 444-2266

## Visitation

JUN 22. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Trinity Lutheran Church  
6850 W 159th St  
Tinley Park, IL 60477

## Funeral service

JUN 22. 2:00 PM (CT)

Trinity Lutheran Church  
6850 W 159th St  
Tinley Park, IL 60477



# Tribute Wall

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“*Mr. B aka: Sir Cactus first came to visit our house when my dad was stationed in Texas with his son Bob. Mr. B, Mrs. B. and Mary spent a week in Texas and came over to our house for a California taco dinner (Mr. and Mrs. B. and Mary's first) and to play pinochle. I remember sitting in the Breitbarths farm house kitchen and Mr. B. was at the head of the table sitting in a rocking chair smoking his pipe. All of a sudden you could see this glimmer in his eyes and you knew that he was going to say something that would catch you off guard. Mr. B. had me gathering eggs morning, noon and night and when he told me snakes could be in the nests, that about did it for me, as I have a very morbid fear of snakes. He was a generous, kind-hearted person who was as sharp as a tack the last time I spoke with him about a year and a half ago.*

*Bob, Mary and all the grand-kids and great grand-kids, I know that you knew your Besta Far (that's Norwegian for grandfather) loved all of you very much, and I also know you will all miss him, but he is at peace now with his spiritual health in Heaven with his wife Leone, sister Mildred and all those he loved and lost during his lifetime.*

*It was my privilege to have spent a week with the Breitbarths in 1980 when Bob was ordained and we drank much coffee, laughed and talked, the Breitbarths also visited us in Concord, California in 1976 for a week and it was an enjoyable visit.*

*He will be missed, but always remembered by the Tweet family.  
Rest in peace Sir Cactus.*

*Debi Tweet*

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**DebraJune Tweet** - June 22, 2015 at 01:47 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robert M. Breitbarth.*



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June 20, 2015 at 10:36 AM



“ *What a great man your dad was and what a great Grampa. He was always fun to be around and always a busy man . He loved to joke around . He will be missed by all who knew him I am sure. Prayers and love to all.*

*Mitzie lumbert*

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**Mitzie** - June 19, 2015 at 07:35 PM



“ *Bob, Angie, Mary, Roy and your family, What a full, wonderful life your dad had. He always was joking around, so much that it was hard to tell what was truth vs. his sense of humor. However I just cannot picture him on the tractor plowing with no one to "pull their leg". Maybe that is the real reason he retired from farming, so that he could work around others just to share jokes.*

*He truly was blessed with a long, relatively healthy life. May a part of him, his happiness, sense of humor and never taking life too seriously continue on with each of you to honor that Breitbarth spirit.*

*Patsy Mathys, daughter of Gladys (Breitbarth) Stam*

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**Patsy Mathys** - June 18, 2015 at 09:59 PM

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“ Our family is sad to hear of Bob's passing but thankful to have known him. Wonderful man that will be missed by so many. Prayers for Grandma Esther, Mary, Bob and the rest of the family. Heather, Jay, Hope, Megan and Colby

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**Heather** - June 18, 2015 at 09:49 AM

 Rachel  
Brace

“ God speed Dzia Dzia. We love you and will miss your witty sense of humor!!  
Love,  
Rita, Rachel, Isabelle, Ryan and Hayden....  
until we meet again



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**Rachel Brace** - June 18, 2015 at 08:57 AM