



Arthur B. Watt

June 8, 1941 - April 19, 2026

Arthur B. Watt, 84, passed away peacefully on Sunday, April 19, 2026, in Vernon Hills, Illinois. He was born on June 8, 1941, in Kankakee, Illinois, and was a 40-year resident of Libertyville, living in Round Lake, IL for the past 8 years.

Art proudly served his country in the United States Navy and was a dedicated member of American Legion Post 329. He built a successful career in information technology, starting as a computer operator in 1966 at International Harvester in Chicago and later as a computer IT manager at Unisys in Elk Grove Village.

Art found joy in the simple pleasures of life. He loved nature, long walks in the woods, and visiting National Parks. He had a special affection for dogs, especially his beloved companion, Bailey. Known for his happy and optimistic spirit, Art always saw the best in people. Above all, he cherished his family, particularly his grandchildren, who will miss him dearly.

He is survived by his loving wife of 58 years, Karen Watt; his precious daughter, Melissa (Aviram) Moran; his cherished grandchildren, Natan and Sigal; his brothers, Walter (Janet) Watt and Gary (Evelyn) Watt; and his brother-in-law, Richard (Susan) Johnson.

A visitation will be held beginning at 2:00 p.m., followed by a service at 6:00 p.m., on Thursday, April 30, 2026, at Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, 120 W. Park Avenue, Libertyville.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer's

Association at www.alz.org.

For more information, please call 847-362-3009 or share a memory at www.burnettdane.com

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 30. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Burnett-Dane Funeral Home
120 West Park Avenue
Libertyville, IL 60048
(847) 362-3009

Memorial Service

APR 30. 6:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of Arthur B. Watt.*



April 27 at 08:04 PM



“ *Art was always a warm and friendly family member who could make even strangers at ease. He was always cheerful and considerate, a great husband and father. I will miss him dearly.*

Robin M Graham - April 24 at 01:18 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Arthur B. Watt.*



April 24 at 01:12 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Arthur B. Watt.*

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