



Philip W. Garberding

May 29, 1938 - May 3, 2025

Philip “Phil” Garberding, 86, of Grayslake, IL, passed away peacefully on May 3, 2025, at Hillcrest Nursing Home in Round Lake Beach.

He was born in Chicago on May 29, 1938, to Waldo and Alma Garberding and moved to Libertyville in 1952, where he graduated from Libertyville High School in 1956.

Phil worked at the family business, 20th Century Manufacturing of Green Oaks until 1987, when the company moved to South Dakota. At this time, he started his own handyman business, PhilGar Enterprises.

He was a very active member of St. John Lutheran Church in Libertyville, where he was a member for 73 years.

Phil was a beloved husband to Sheila Garberding for 54 years; loving father to Connie Steel and Christine Garberding both of Scottsdale, AZ, Mark (Lisa) Garberding of Antioch, Jim (Trisha) Garberding of Noblesville, IN, Matt Garberding of Grayslake, and Amy (Trent) Schlesinger of Grayslake; grandfather of 12; and brother to Lori Lewis and Eloise Benson. He was preceded in death by sister Eileen Knisely and brother Gerald “Jerry” Garberding.

A visitation will be held at St. John Lutheran Church, 501 W. Park Ave, Libertyville, IL 60048 on Wednesday, May 7, 2025 at 9:30AM until the funeral service at 10:30AM. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery immediately after. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. John Lutheran Church and School. Arrangements by Burnett-Dane

Funeral Home in Libertyville. For info: 847-362-3009 or share a memory at www.burnettdane.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 7. 9:30 AM (CT)

St. John Lutheran Church
501 W. Park Avenue
Libertyville, IL

Funeral Service

MAY 7. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Libertyville, IL

Tribute Wall



“ *Phil was a great man! He will be missed!* ”

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