



Robert "Dr. Bob" Keefe

April 23, 1932 - April 3, 2025

Robert J. "Dr. Bob" Keefe, 92, passed away on Thursday, April 3, 2025 in Libertyville, IL. He was born April 23, 1932 in Boston, MA and had a pediatric practice over 40 years in Braintree, MA, Libertyville, IL & Vernon Hills, IL. Bob was a United States Airforce veteran, was a longtime member of St. Joseph Church in Libertyville, current member of St. Paul the Apostle Church in Gurnee, IL & the Knights of Columbus. He enjoyed fishing, tennis, and will be remembered as a talented artist that wrote poetry & enjoyed painting.

Surviving is his wife of 70 years, Catherine Keefe; 7 children, Kathryn Gifford, Maureen Keefe, Susan (Scott) Perry, Karen (Ferdinan) Daguinsin, Mary Ann (Richard) Schroedle, Jennifer (Nathan) Adams & Robert (Danielle) Keefe, Jr; 20 grandchildren & 14 great grandchildren.

A visitation will be held from 9:00 a.m. until time of prayers at 10:00 a.m. at Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, 120 W. Park Ave. (Rt. 176, one block west of Milwaukee Ave) in Libertyville. Funeral mass will follow at 10:30 a.m. at St. Joseph Church, 121 E. Maple Ave. in Libertyville. Memorial donations would be appreciated to Knights of Columbus, Marytown or St. Jude Children's Hospital. For info: 847-362-3009 or share a memory at www.burnettdane.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **10**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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

Funeral Mass

APR **10**. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
121 E. Maple Avenue
Libertyville, IL 60048

Tribute Wall



“ *Dr. Keefe was the first doctor I had. From the time I was a baby until I was 17. He always used to say I was special because I was his first patient at his old office at Austin and Milwaukee and I was also his first patient when he moved to Hollister. RIP, Doc. You were beyond awesome!*

George Euring III - January 27 at 06:55 PM

AN

“ *miss you grandpa, havin a bad day today, thinking of you today.*

andrew - October 03, 2025 at 11:45 AM

CB

“ *Dr. Keefe was a wonderful doctor. He took care of my children from birth. They were disappointed when they became of age they could no longer see him.
He was a wonder man. My deepest sympathy to his family on their loss.*

Chris Blidy - September 21, 2025 at 10:18 PM

MM

“ *What a great man! Kind and caring with all his pranks to put the kids at ease. Wish we could duplicate him, what a great world it would be. God bless Dr Keefe. Moran family*

Mike Moran - April 11, 2025 at 10:32 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Robert "Dr. Bob" Keefe.*



April 10, 2025 at 12:35 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Robert "Dr. Bob" Keefe.

April 10, 2025 at 12:35 PM



“ Catherine H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Dr. Bob" Keefe.

Catherine H. - April 10, 2025 at 04:55 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robert "Dr. Bob" Keefe.*



April 09, 2025 at 04:20 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Robert "Dr. Bob" Keefe.

April 09, 2025 at 04:20 PM



“ *Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert "Dr. Bob" Keefe.*



April 09, 2025 at 04:15 PM



“ *Rest in peace And Thank you for your kindness and support Kevin Cronin and family*

Kevin Cronin - April 09, 2025 at 10:49 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Robert "Dr. Bob" Keefe.*



April 09, 2025 at 09:41 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Robert "Dr. Bob" Keefe.*

April 09, 2025 at 09:41 AM



“ *DRS. Attar purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Robert "Dr. Bob" Keefe.*



DRS. Attar - April 09, 2025 at 09:23 AM

DA

“ DRS. Attar planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Dr. Bob" Keefe.

DRS. Attar - April 09, 2025 at 09:23 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert "Dr. Bob" Keefe.



April 08, 2025 at 07:58 PM

TF

“ The Whelan Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Robert "Dr. Bob" Keefe.



The Whelan Family - April 08, 2025 at 10:30 AM

LT

“ Dr. Bob was the most caring, compassionate, knowledgeable doctor we could have asked for. He was in a practice with 2 other doctors when we first met him, and when they split off, of course we stayed with him. He retired much too soon. God bless his family, his very large family!

Lynda Turner - April 08, 2025 at 08:02 AM

MN

“ *My condolences to Aunt Kay & all the family. I remember Uncle Bob as a kind, gentle man, always interested in what you had to say, with a little twinkle in his eye!*

Sincerely, Mary Jo (McDonough) Needham

Mary Jo Needham - April 07, 2025 at 05:52 PM