



## Robert "Bob" Dennis Boivin

April 19, 1939 - September 19, 2024

Robert Dennis Boivin was born unto eternal life on Thursday, September 19, 2024, at the age of 85. Bob was born in South Milwaukee, Wisconsin on April 19, 1939. He was a graduate of St. Joseph Seminary High School. He also earned an Associate Degree while at the Seminary. Bob was a proud Marine who gave six years of service to our country. He earned a Bachelor of Arts Degree in business from Dominican College in Racine, Wisconsin and municipal treasurer credentials at Central Michigan University. Bob met his future bride while at Dominican College. He and Carlyn were married on June 24, 1967, at St. Mary's Church in South Milwaukee, Wisconsin. They were blessed with over 57 years together. Bob was the love of Carlyn's life and she survives. They were a team. Bob was the loving dad of Mary Boivin, Michael (Shannon) Boivin, and Tom (Amanda) Boivin. Bob was the proud and supportive grandpa of Hannah Boivin, Ashleigh (Mark) Janiga, Lizzy Boivin (Anthony), Lauren Boivin, Ava Boivin, and Ethan Boivin. He treasured every moment spent with them. The addition of two great-grandsons, Calvin Boivin and Brooks Janiga, brought Bob much joy. Bob loved God and was dedicated to his bride and family. He was kind and generous and always had a story to tell. Bob lived a full life and left a legacy of love. He will live on in our hearts.

Friends may join the family for a time of visitation on Friday, October 25, 2024, from 10:30 A.M. until 11:30 A.M. at St. Andrew Catholic Church in Saline. A Mass of Christian Burial will then take place at 11:30 A.M. with Fr. John Linden

as Celebrant. Military Honors will be held at the church following Mass under the auspices of the Veteran's Honor Guard of Washtenaw County. Bob's family invite you to join them for a light lunch and fellowship in the church hall after the service.

Anyone wishing to make a memorial contribution in Bob's honor is asked to please do so to a charity of your choice; something meaningful in the spirit of generosity, or to the Saline Area Social Services. Bob was always so very generous-please pay it forward. To leave a memory you have of Bob, to sign his guestbook or for directions please visit [www.rbfhsaline.com](http://www.rbfhsaline.com).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Gathering

OCT **25**. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church  
910 Austin Dr  
Saline, MI 48176-1157  
(734) 429-5210

## Memorial Mass of Christian Burial

OCT **25**. 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church  
910 Austin Dr  
Saline, MI 48176-1157  
(734) 429-5210

## Luncheon

OCT **25**. 12:35 PM (ET)

St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church  
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Saline, MI 48176-1157  
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# Tribute Wall

TB

“ The WCSO Detective Bureau purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Robert "Bob" Dennis Boivin.



The WCSO Detective Bureau - October 24, 2024 at 12:34 PM

TB

“ From: The WCSO Detective Bureau planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bob" Dennis Boivin.

The WCSO Detective Bureau - October 24, 2024 at 12:34 PM

BT

“ Carlyn and family - I was sorry to learn of Bob's passing. I will let the Dominican College alums know on our DC Facebook group. May Bob rest in peace.



Barb Kovats Tuttle - October 23, 2024 at 11:19 PM

VC

“ I got to know Bob as a wonderful neighbor and surrogate "Dad." I was blessed to be a friend to his amazing daughter, Mary. God brought her into my life just a few short years ago, but it has been an amazing addition to my life and Bob and Carlyn were part of that, as well. Last year we became neighbors on Hollywood Dr. Only explained by the goodness of God and the listening ear of a special friend. I so enjoyed walking my grandkids by Bob and Carlyn's place. He was always funny and kind ready to keep me on my toes with a sarcastic joke or comment. I enjoyed bringing them special dinner deliveries as we got to know each other better. He will truly be missed but we will continue to be good neighbors and friends to his beautiful wife. I will also make sure to keep up his silly sarcastic humor for his daughter. God bless this family and give them peace in knowing Bob was a good and faithful servant.

Vicki Cameron - October 22, 2024 at 08:13 PM

MB

“ I worked for Bob at the City of Saline, for what I thought would be a start up job and it ended up being my career. I admired his love for his "bride" and his kids and I always admired him for that. Always a pleasant man with a gentle hug whenever he came back to City Hall to pay bills. My condolences to the family a love like that will leave a large VOID God Bless you all, cherish the memories.  
Mickie Jo Bennett

Mickie Jo Bennett - October 22, 2024 at 08:06 AM

SB

“ Steve, Ginger, Chrissy & Brian purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Robert "Bob" Dennis Boivin.



Steve, Ginger, Chrissy & Brian - October 21, 2024 at 01:33 PM

SB

“ Steve, Ginger, Chrissy & Brian planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bob" Dennis Boivin.

Steve, Ginger, Chrissy & Brian - October 21, 2024 at 01:33 PM

MK

“ I know Bob from the Saline Senior Center. Carlyn was a pen pal and volunteered for some intergenerational programs, so he would bring her and pick up/drop off her letters. I always enjoyed chatting with him when he came up here. He was such a sweet man.

Megan Kenyon - October 21, 2024 at 08:23 AM

SL

“ I am sending my love, hugs and prayers to all of the Boivin family!! His daughter Mary is my dear and special friend. We met while working together as teachers. Grandpa Boivin as we called him, would come to our end of the year event and was our designated BBQ Master Chef!! He loved to spread his love and joy with our students!! I know how much he loved all of his family!! I feel blessed to have known him. He was so special to me, and touched my life and made a difference in it!! Love you so much mean it!!  
Love, Sue Littlefield and Family



Sue Littlefield - October 20, 2024 at 09:05 PM

TF

“ The Prescott family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Robert "Bob" Dennis Boivin.



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The Prescott family - October 20, 2024 at 05:03 PM

TF

“ The Prescott family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bob" Dennis Boivin.

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The Prescott family - October 20, 2024 at 05:03 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Dennis Boivin.



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October 19, 2024 at 06:28 PM

TP

“ The Popelka's planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bob" Dennis Boivin.

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The Popelka's - October 19, 2024 at 06:28 PM

LJ

“ Love, Kari, John and Johnathan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bob" Dennis Boivin.

Love, Kari, John and Johnathan - October 14, 2024 at 04:11 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Dennis Boivin.



October 09, 2024 at 10:19 AM

AF

“ All Our Love, The Petty Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bob" Dennis Boivin.

All Our Love, The Petty Family - October 09, 2024 at 10:19 AM

DS

“ Bob Boivin was the Saline City Treasurer for many years, including the time when I was the Mayor. I respected him for his municipal accounting knowledge but I appreciated him more for his friendship, his compassion for everyone he met, and his kindness.  
Don Shelton.

Donald Shelton - October 07, 2024 at 10:22 AM

BF

“ *I met him years ago at Benny’s, and being both Marines. I count him as a good friend. Every time we saw each other we took time to talk. I shall miss him and his GB or Marine cover on his head. Budd E Frye*

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**Budd E Frye** - October 07, 2024 at 07:31 AM