



Joseph Vernon Argo

February 13, 1968 - April 22, 2017

Joseph "Joe" Vernon Argo, 49, of Kilbourne Illinois, passed away on April 22, 2017 at 11:23 a.m. at Sunny Acres Nursing Home in Petersburg, Illinois, from a long fight with ALS. He was born on January 13, 1968 to Vern A. Argo Jr. and Sue (Coontz) Argo in Springfield, Illinois.

Joe is survived by two daughters; Sydney M. Argo of Kilbourne, Illinois, and Samantha J. Argo of Germantown, Illinois. He is also survived by his sister Verna Rightnower of Chatham, Illinois, and his parents Vern and Sue Argo of Petersburg, Illinois.

Joe was a member of the Easton United Methodist Church and a member of the Pork Producers Association. He graduated from Pleasant Plains High School, earned his Associates Degree from Lincoln Land Community College and was a life-long farmer.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, April 25, 2017 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg Illinois. The funeral service will be held on Wednesday, April 26, 2017 at 1 p.m. at the funeral home with Pastor Al Sample officiating. A graveside service will follow the funeral at Walkers Grove Cemetery in Easton Illinois.

Memorials may be made in Joe's name to the Easton United Methodist

Church in Easton, Illinois.

Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg Illinois is in charge of arrangements.
Please visit Joe's obituary online at hurleyfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Walkers Grove Cemetery

Easton, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 25. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Hurley Funeral Home - Petersburg
122 West Douglas Avenue
Petersburg, IL 62675
(217) 632-2500
<https://www.hurleyfh.com/>

Funeral

APR 26. 1:00 PM (CT)

Hurley Funeral Home - Petersburg
122 West Douglas Avenue
Petersburg, IL 62675
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Graveside Service

APR 26. 2:30 PM (CT)

Walkers Grove Cemetery
Easton, IL

Tribute Wall



“ *Joseph Vernon Argo*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *How was an amazing man that I lived very much. He could light up a room with his smile and wittiness. We shared many great memories together. Will miss u so much. Love Traci*

traci willingham - May 04, 2017 at 07:13 PM



“ *Just stopping in to leave a few words about Joe. I miss you buddy. Time gets away from us so fast and we don't realize you're gone until it's too late. I am so happy that you can sit up there and finally be pain free. Oh and another thing I bet you can finally make a basket instead of that crap you used to try and tell us was basketball skills back in school I love you undying and may GODBLESS you and maybe you can give m a quick kick ever so often to remind me not to get so sad about myself🤔🤔
Verna, Vern, Sue, and Joe's girls stay strong and look to the LORD*

*Your friend
Bill Brewer*

Bill - April 26, 2017 at 11:17 PM



“ *We were so very saddened to hear of Joe passing. Please accept our sincere condolences on the loss of your son. We'll keep you in our prayers.*

Ray and Ruth Mercer

Ray and Ruth Mercer - April 26, 2017 at 08:11 PM

LI

“ you have our deepest sympathy...may you find comfort in the fact he is no longer suffering...love and hugs sent your way..Lloyd & Nancy Ingersoll

Lloyd & Nancy Ingersoll - April 26, 2017 at 07:17 PM



“ My deepest sympathy to the family. Joe and I went to school together and got to know each other even more because my dad (Jess King) worked for Quarter B. I am so glad Joe came to one of our class reunions and I got to catch up with him a little.

Melissa King Brown - April 25, 2017 at 08:06 PM

MM

“ Sue and Vernon:

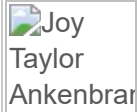
We send our sincere condolences on the loss of your son. He is resting in peace where there is no suffering as he sure was a fighter.

Remember, the ones we love are never truly gone, they live within our hearts. May you find comfort in knowing that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Bob & Mary Jo Morlee
Petersburg, IL



Mary Morlee - April 25, 2017 at 05:59 PM



“ I was saddened to hear of Joe's passing. We grew up as neighbors and attended Plains together. I still remember him driving us neighbor kids around on the tractor at the annual hog roast over at the farm house. Quite a few years ago while shopping I heard someone call out my name and there was "Joey" with that big smile. It was great catching up with him. Sending hugs and prayers to Joe's daughters, Vern, Sue and Verna Sue ...

Joy Taylor Ankenbrandt - April 25, 2017 at 05:37 PM

LF

“ Lori, Carlene, Stu and families purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Joseph Vernon Argo.



Lori, Carlene, Stu and families - April 25, 2017 at 11:25 AM

SF

“ Our condolences on the far-too-early loss of a treasured family member. We will miss him dearly.
Carlene, Stu, Casey, and Josh

Stu Fuess - April 25, 2017 at 11:00 AM

LB

“ The memories go back to long ago. So very sorry to hear of Joe's passing. May all of you find peace. Celebrate what a good person Joe was.

Linda Brookhart - April 25, 2017 at 09:29 AM

PM

“ Vern and Sue, my heart is heavy learning the passing of Joe. May God's grace and your many beautiful memories of Joe give you comfort and peace at this difficult time.

Patsy Mester

Patsy Mester - April 24, 2017 at 09:11 PM

LS

“ So very sorry for your loss .he was a great guy .couldnt have had a bether roommate for my dad ..thoughts and prayers for you all...Linda smith

Linda smith - April 24, 2017 at 08:42 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joseph Vernon Argo.



April 24, 2017 at 07:19 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Joseph Vernon Argo.



April 24, 2017 at 02:48 PM

JS

“ So sorry to hear of the passing of Joe or Joey as I always called him. You all are in my heart and prayers. May God bless you, keep you and give you strength.

Judy Gerdes Schafer - April 24, 2017 at 02:40 PM

Kim
Van
Nevel

“ I am so sad to hear about Joe's passing. We were friends since we were very young. I've never met a nicer, more genuine guy. He will be missed. Prayers of peace and comfort for his family.

Kim Van Nevel - April 24, 2017 at 01:44 PM

SG

“ Sheila Griffin lit a candle in memory of Joseph Vernon Argo



Sheila Griffin - April 24, 2017 at 12:24 PM

KS

“ I met Joe for the first time when he was only 4; my late husband Bill had accepted a summer job at Quarter B Farms. Even then, his smile and laughter were contagious. That never changed, and it was always a joy to see and speak to him. Thinking of you, Vern, Sue and girls. Praying grace and peace and comfort and peace will surround you.

Kathy Swaar

Kathy Swaar - April 24, 2017 at 10:32 AM

RS

“ *Richard Smith lit a candle in memory of Joseph Vernon Argo*



richard smith - April 24, 2017 at 09:17 AM

TG

“ *Tim Griffin lit a candle in memory of Joseph Vernon Argo*



tim griffin - April 24, 2017 at 04:26 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Joseph Vernon Argo.*



April 23, 2017 at 10:08 PM

SG

“ *Sheila Griffin lit a candle in memory of Joseph Vernon Argo*



Sheila Griffin - April 23, 2017 at 09:26 PM

LT

“ *Sorry for your family's loss! Lisa and Roger Thompson*



Lisa Thompson - April 23, 2017 at 07:12 PM

KF

“ *Kevin And Lori Fornoff lit a candle in memory of Joseph Vernon Argo*



Kevin and Lori Fornoff - April 23, 2017 at 07:02 PM