



## Ray E. Zanni

September 28, 1945 - October 26, 2025

Ray E. Zanni, aged 80, of Petersburg, Illinois, passed away on Sunday, October 26, 2025, at Sunny Acres Nursing Home in Petersburg. He was born on September 28, 1945, to Aldo and Irene (nèe Reckerd) Zanni in Hillsboro, Illinois. He married Cheri Medlin in Springfield, Illinois, on April 29, 1995.

Ray worked for Horace Mann in Springfield, Illinois, as security for many years before retiring.

Ray is survived by his wife, Cheri; his children, Jason (Carrie) Zanni and Melissa (Jason) Wood; and several grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents and three siblings.

Cremation rites will be accorded. No services will be held per Ray's family's request.

Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg is assisting with arrangements. Please visit Ray's online obituary at [hurleyfh.com](http://hurleyfh.com).

# Tribute Wall

RS

“ *Ron Seamon lit a candle in memory of Ray Zanni*



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**Ron Seamon** - October 30, 2025 at 06:15 PM

LH

“ *Larry and Mary Hundt sent a virtual gift in memory of Ray Zanni*



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**Larry and Mary Hundt** - October 29, 2025 at 09:06 AM

JM

“ *My deepest condolences to his family. I was raised next door to the Zanni family and Ray and I were in the same class.*

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**Jo Anne Major** - October 28, 2025 at 07:16 PM