



Robert J. Bussey

September 17, 1961 - May 26, 2026

We celebrate the life of Robert John Bussey who passed away on May 26, 2026. Preceded in death by his parents Bob and Roseann Bussey. He was the beloved husband of Melany Bayley.

Loving and devoted father of Miles. Fun loving brother of Teresa (Wes) Weston, Steve (Laura)

Bussey, Timothy (Chrissy) Bussey and Anne Kresler. Dear son in law of Rhonda Bayley, and John

and Debbie Bayley. Loved brother in law of Angela Bayley and Andrew Morris. Loving uncle to

Kara (Chuy) Dominguez, Megan (Joe) Postawa, Kevin (Patrice) Bussey, Kyle Weston, Andrew

(Rachel) Weston, Hayden and Kate Bussey, Kennedy and Rachel Morris.

Great Uncle to Steven

and Thomas Dominguez, Henry and Jacob Postawa, Quinn Bussey, Luke and Jack Weston.

Honorary uncle to many nieces and nephews related by love.

Rob was a people person, a quality that served him well in the Trade Show industry, and the

Logistics and Sales industries. He never met a stranger, asked insightful questions and was a

genuinely caring person. A long time employee of United, GES, and BWS

Logistics, he counted many coworkers among his friends. Rob was a long time member of the International Air Cargo Association of Chicago. He made many friends in the transportation and logistics industry. Rob loved music, whether that was attending a concert or spinning records in the garage with his Album Side Saturday Night (ASSN) friends. He loved firing up the grill, the St. Louis Cardinals, making the occasional prank phone call and the city of Chicago. Rob leaves behind a legacy of genuine kindness in both spirit and gesture. We will love him and miss him forever. A Celebration of Life will be held at the Rhine VFW Post 5858 S Archer Ave, Chicago On June 6, 2026, from 2-6pm. Parking across the street at the Shop N Save lot.

Upcoming Events

Celebration of Life Memorial Visitation

JUN 6. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

VFW Rhine Post
5858 South Archer Avenue
Chicago, IL 60638

Tribute Wall

KB

“ When I think of Rob, I think of someone with a great sense of humor who was outgoing and engaging. Everyone lucky enough to have met him, liked him. Such a tragedy. He will be missed.

Kurt Begalka - 1 hour ago

JG

“ Rob found joy and satisfaction in hospitality and kindness, thinking of others. As a neighbor, I witnessed his and Melanie's parental love and know his guidance will be with Miles forever. Rest in peace, Rob.

Joyce Goldenstern - 16 hours ago

CL

“ Melany and Miles, I'm so sorry to hear of Rob's passing. He was always so warm and welcoming. Prayers with you as you navigate this difficult time.

Crystal Foresman Landers - Yesterday at 11:33 PM

KP

“ Rob's humor will never be forgotten. Rob was the inventor of "Stinky Santa" and Lester Bromley among so many other hilarious jokes. He cared about all of us and I am grateful to be in his family. Rest in God, Rob.

Kathleen Payette - Yesterday at 11:04 PM

AW

“ Our families growing up were close. Traveling to Boston one summer. Or going to Marshall, Crystal Lake, IL. Terre Haute too. So many memories with cousin Robbie. Wiffle ball in Louise’s lot behind restaurant. Robbie was always fun. God child of Betty and Armand. Robbie Stayed with us in Terre Haute (he had asthma) my Mom worried about him.
I will always remember his kindness, big heart and lovable personality.
Robbie rest in peace. We will all be together one day. Love your cousin, Armeen

Armeen Gottardi Williams - Yesterday at 10:43 PM

TF

“ God bless you Rob!!

Tom Foresman

Tom Foresman - Yesterday at 09:38 PM