



## Mr. Charles F. Lanfear

March 3, 1922 - July 9, 2012

Charles F. Lanfear

Age 90 Years

A resident of rural Vienna, Illinois and a former resident of Minooka, Illinois.

Passed away Monday, July 9, 2012, at 12:05 PM at his home near Vienna.

Charles was born March 3, 1922 in Lockport, Illinois. He was the son of Albert Charles Lanfear and Gertrude Josephine (Czichon) Lanfear.

Charles was united in marriage to Wanda M. (Brunschon) on September 10, 1971 in Joliet, Illinois. She survives.

Charles was the proud father and grandfather of:

The late Charles W. "Chuck" Lanfear & Alma Lanfear of the Lake of Egypt, IL  
and children – Suzi (Lanfear) Barker, Charley Lanfear, Jodi (Lanfear) Duhon,  
Neil Bundren, & Mona (Bundren) Schwartz

Mary Scarborough of Vienna, IL

and children – Kim (Scarborough) Johnson, Jennifer (Scarborough) Coxwell,  
& Leslie Scarborough

Phyllis Loos, and her husband Dennis, of Lake Stevens, WA

and children – Derek Loos & Garrison Loos

Colleen Bogart, and her husband Brian, of Minooka, IL  
and children – Adam Bogart & Matthew Bogart  
Renee DeGrush, and her husband Corey, of Morris, IL  
and children – Zachary DeGrush & Cody DeGrush  
Tom Lanfear, and his wife Julie, of Crest Hill, IL  
and children – Mandi Lanfear, Christina Lanfear, & Brian Lanfear

26 Great Grandchildren

2 Great-Great Grandchildren, and was anticipating the birth of a Great-Great Grandchild in February 2013.

A Brother-in-Law – Bob Koch of Joliet, IL

Nieces, nephews, other relatives and many dear friends.

In addition to his Parents and Son, Charles was preceded in death by:

A Granddaughter – Anastasia Sichling

2 Brothers – William “Bill” Lanfear and Robert “Bob” Lanfear

2 Sisters – Gertrude Pasternak and Rosemary Koch

Charles was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II, serving from 1943-1945 in the European theater of operation. He was discharged with the rank of Technical Sergeant.

Charles was a life member of the American Legion Post in Minooka, IL and the New Lenox, IL. V.F.W. Post. Charles enjoyed attending annual reunions with his Army buddies and reminiscing with them of their shared war time experiences.

Charles had worked as a supervisor in a number of manufacturing plants in the Joliet, IL area. He owned and operated Lanfear Heating and Cooling in Minooka, IL from 1971 – 1998. Charles was a skilled “jack of all trades.” He excelled in the field of heating, cooling, electrical, plumbing & mechanical work, installation and service.

Charles was a parishioner of St. Paul Catholic Church in Vienna where he had also served on the Building Committee. Formerly, Charles was a parishioner of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Minooka and St. Ann's Catholic Church in Channahon, IL, where he had also served on the building committee.

Charles was an active and vibrant person. He had a zest and love for life. Charles enjoyed woodworking, dancing, roller skating and many types of watersports, including boating and water skiing. He is fondly remembered for his annual indoor Christmas displays which consisted of a 3 tiered arrangement with over 130 buildings and 3 train sets. Charles was a devoted family man and loved spending time with his family & friends.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Thursday morning, July 12, 2012, at 10 AM at St. Paul Catholic Church in Vienna. Father Tom Barrett will be the celebrant.

Visitation will be from 5 PM – 8 PM Wednesday at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna. A military flag presentation service will be conducted at 8 PM

A Graveside Service will be held Saturday morning at 11 AM at Woodlawn Memorial Park in Joliet, Illinois. Military graveside rites will be accorded.

Visitation will be held Friday evening, July 13, 2012, from 5 PM – 8 PM at Fred C. Dames Funeral Home in Joliet, IL.

Memorials may be made to the Heather Harper Treat Memorial Fund, PO Box 98, Vienna, IL 62995; the American Cancer Society, 4503 W. DeYoung St, Suite 200C, Marion, IL 62959 or to Lourdes Hospice, PO Box 7100, Paducah, KY 42002.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 11. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home  
705 North First Street  
PO Box 695  
Vienna, IL 62995  
(618) 658-2311  
baileyfhinc@hotmail.com  
<https://baileyfh.com>

## Service

JUL 12. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Paul Catholic Church  
2020 IL Route 146 East  
Vienna, IL

## Service

JUL 14. 11:00 AM (CT)

Woodlawn Memorial Park Cemetery  
22500 W. Jefferson St.  
Joliet, IL

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Charles F. Lanfear*

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you, Wanda & family.*

*I will always remember Chuck.. He was such a sweet man that I had the pleasure of spending time with 3 days a week for what seemed like a year. He may not have enjoyed it as much as I did, but I loved seeing his smile & hearing his stories! Chuck always told me getting old was definety not the golden years... Well I know now he's in a better place & enjoying the Golden streets & new health. I look forward to seeing him again one day!*



**Amanda Korando** - July 16, 2012 at 12:56 PM



“ *Rachel Edmonds lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles F. Lanfear*



**Rachel Edmonds** - July 12, 2012 at 12:18 PM

DA

“ *Dan Aldrich lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles F. Lanfear*



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**Dan Aldrich** - July 12, 2012 at 10:25 AM

FK

“ *Floyd & Linda Koehler lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles F. Lanfear*



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**Floyd & Linda Koehler** - July 12, 2012 at 08:52 AM

DG

“ *Donnie, Kathy, Dylan And Wyatt Graves lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles F. Lanfear*



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**Donnie, Kathy, Dylan and Wyatt Graves** - July 12, 2012 at 08:39 AM

KH

“ *Kathy Hupe lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles F. Lanfear*



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**Kathy Hupe** - July 11, 2012 at 10:28 AM



*Grandpa Chuck, you will be so missed by the Hupes. Thanks for including us into your family parties and playing kickball at church with your walker.*

**Kathy Hupe** - July 11, 2012 at 10:30 AM



“ *lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles F. Lanfear*



July 10, 2012 at 05:05 AM



“ *Gail K Erley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles F. Lanfear*



**Gail K erley** - July 09, 2012 at 09:50 PM