



## Denis James Godek

December 14, 1941 - December 2, 2020

Age 78 of White House passed away Wednesday, December 2, 2020 at his home. He was born December 14, 1941 in Chicago, Illinois to William & Mary Ann Dubicz Godek. He worked as an IT Tech for Computer Associates before his retirement. He proudly served his country as a medic in the U.S. Army. Mr. Godek played football in college for the University of Illinois and was an avid Chicago Bears and Notre Dame football fan. He coached high school football and also served as a referee for NCAA high school games. He served on the Beer Board for the White House Parks & Recreation Department, enjoyed fishing, camping, backpacking and working in his yard. He enjoyed cooking and loved eating Polish food. He had a sense of humor, especially at home around his family and was a great storyteller. He is preceded in death by his parents; brother, William Godek. He is survived by his wife of 26 years, Cynthia Godek, White House, TN; son, Michael James (Julie) Godek, IL; daughter, Aimee (Joseph) Babcock, IL; Bonus Daughters, Virginia (Christopher) Dossett, Northlake, IL, Kathleen (Phillip) Wooten, Medinah, IL, Patricia McGee, White House, TN and Ann McGee, Belvidere, IL; sister, Pamela Godek, White House, TN; 13 grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren. There are no services or visitation planned at this time. ARRANGEMENTS ENTRUSTED TO AUSTIN & BELL 533 Highway 76 White House, TN 37188 (615)672-5000 [www.austinandbell.com](http://www.austinandbell.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ *May Denny's soul and all the souls of the faithfully departed rest in peace.*

*St John Baptist De LaSalle, Pray for us.*

*Live Jesus in our hearts, forever.*

*Denny was voted the "Funniest Senior" by his Classmates. He was a Great Guy!*

*Ray Orsolini*

*St. Patrick High School Class of 1959*

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**Raymond Orsolini** - December 02, 2020 at 07:47 PM

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“ *To my fellow lover of Labrador Retrievers and my locker mate at St. Pat's for four wonderful years through thick and thin.*

*You were always there for me and now I can only offer my prayers here on earth and ask you to watch over your locker mate until we meet again.*

*I hope you cleaned those socks from our locker..*

*Bob Heldmann*



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**Robert Heldmann** - December 02, 2020 at 06:11 PM