



Robert Herman Cannon

January 29, 1926 - January 25, 2019

Robert H. Cannon, age 92, of Crown Point, Indiana, passed away on Friday, January 25, 2019. He was born on January 29, 1926 to Hoormazid & Maria Cannon in Gary, Indiana. He is survived by his son, Richard Cannon; grandson, Ryan, and granddaughter, Savanna; his very dear friend and companion, Marina; and many nieces, nephews, cousins, extended family and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, Hoormazid (Herman) and Maria Cannon, and his loving wife, Marie.

Robert was a graduate of Emerson High School, Class of 1944. Upon graduation, he enlisted in the United States Navy, and underwent basic training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center. He then received Electrical Schooling in Bainbridge, Maryland, and St. Louis, Missouri, where he graduated at the top of his class. He served as an Electrician's Mate in the South Pacific aboard the USS Jason, a Destroyer Tender, until W.W. II ended. He was then transferred to the LST 505 from where he headed the Motion Picture Exchange serving ships in the harbor off the Korean coast. After his honorable discharge from the Navy, he attended Purdue University where he obtained a degree in Electrical Engineering. At Purdue, he was an active member of Eta Kappa Nu and Tau Beta Pi honoraries.

Robert retired from the USS Gary Works Engineering Department after 33 years of service. He then headed the Electrical Department of the ATSI Consulting Engineering Office in Munster, Indiana for 5 years. He enjoyed playing tennis and golf during his earlier years. His current hobbies and interests included sports, music and photography.

A viewing will be held on Thursday, January 31, 2019 from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. at Memory Lane Funeral Home, 6305 W. Lincoln Highway (US 30), Crown Point, Indiana. The funeral service will be held on Friday, February 1, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. at the funeral home with a one-hour visitation prior to the start of the service. Burial will immediately follow in the Veteran's Section at Memory Lane Memorial Park, Crown Point, Indiana. You may contact the funeral home for further information (219) 322-2050. www.memorylanepark.com

Cemetery Details

Memory Lane Memorial Park

6305 W. Lincoln Highway (US 30)
Crown Point, IN 46307
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info.memorylanepark@gmail.com
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Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 31. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Visitation

FEB 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Service

FEB 1. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Burial

FEB 1. 11:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Memory Lane Memorial Park & Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert Herman Cannon*



Memory Lane Memorial Park & Funeral Home - February 01, 2019 at 04:23 PM

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“ *With love, Brent Isenberg & kids purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Robert Herman Cannon.*



With love, Brent Isenberg & kids - January 31, 2019 at 05:19 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Robert Herman Cannon.*



January 30, 2019 at 07:48 AM

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“ I was introduced to Bob many years ago through a family friend of my Mother. Since that time we became very close friends and I started caring for him as needed. I loved going and seeing him and talking about his interesting heritage. Towards the end I would go there and spend time with him, making sure he had good meals and taking his meds. Then I assisted him with whatever his needs were. While I was there with him I loved turning on old movies which he loved! He was the kindest most gentle person and a very important part of my life! After all these years, found a church directory from 1986, as he lived here in Merrillville. Could not believe it, as his family picture in the directory was right next to my family picture! I never knew this. Also found out that his son went to the same High School as I did! Will treasure many happy memories with him and will never forget him! He would have celebrated his 93rd Birthday today! May he rest in peace! He had a great impact in my life! Love to him always and forever! Linda Carey

Linda Carey - January 29, 2019 at 02:53 PM

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“ The James Family, Anita, Lisa, Bryan and Rose purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Robert Herman Cannon.



The James Family, Anita, Lisa, Bryan and Rose - January 29, 2019 at 11:58 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Robert Herman Cannon.



January 29, 2019 at 11:52 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert Herman Cannon.



January 29, 2019 at 11:45 AM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Robert Herman Cannon.*



January 29, 2019 at 09:11 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Herman Cannon.*



January 28, 2019 at 05:08 PM

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“ *Shorty And Renee Corman lit a candle in memory of Robert Herman Cannon*



Shorty and Renee Corman - January 28, 2019 at 04:34 PM

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All our Blessing.'s to the family of Bob at this time of great loss.. We are so glad we got to know him for it was only for a short while. He was a wonderful man, may he rest in peace.

Shorty and Renee Corman - January 28, 2019 at 04:41 PM