



## Duane Nollman

September 6, 1946 - April 27, 2026

Duane Nollman, 79, of Centralia, passed away at Pinckneyville Nursing and Rehab on Monday, April 27, 2026. Born on Friday, September 6, 1946, Duane was born to Eugene Nollman and Gwendolyn (Garren) Nollman in Centralia. He married Darlene McCarrey and they later divorced. On November 19, 1983 he married Vicky Richmond and she survives him in Centralia.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Vicky Nollman of Centralia; his sons, Duane Edward Nollman (Kimberly) of Centralia and Darren Nollman (Rebecca) of Centralia; his daughter, Elaine Marie Nollman-Novak (Gary) of Springfield. Also surviving are his cherished grandchildren, Kyle Caudill and wife Eva, Alexandra Skalicky and husband Steven, Victoria Ivy and husband Michael, Emily Roberts, Jacob Nollman, Chase Hosier, Chelsie Dunahee and husband Robbie, Cody Nollman, and Blake Nollman; and great-grandchildren, Kara, Leah, Alice, Landon, Noah, Charlotte, Evelyn, Elizabeth, Bentley, Anber-Lynne, Issac, and Gracen.

He was preceded in death by his father, Eugene Nollman; his mother, Gwendolyn Nollman; his infant sister, Carolyn Nollman; his mother and father-in-law, John K and Gladys Richmond; and his brother-in-law John R. Richmond.

Residing in Centralia, IL, Duane was a well-known figure in the community,

having worked as a driver for South Central Transit for many years. His warm smile and kind demeanor touched all those who had the pleasure of knowing him. A proud Marine, Duane honorably served in the Marine Corps from 1965 to 1975, including a tour in Vietnam, embodying bravery and patriotism throughout his service.

An active participant in several veterans' organizations, Duane was a life member of the Vietnam Veterans of America (VVA), the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Post 2055, and the AMVETS. He was also a member of the American Legion Post 446. Duane dedicated his time volunteering for veterans' organizations, offering rides to those in need and assisting in funeral services for many years, showcasing his selflessness and compassion.

Duane was a devoted member of the First United Methodist Church and a passionate Cubs fan, always cheering for his team with unwavering loyalty. His love for sports was only matched by his love for his family, who were the center of his world. He was known for his "Bad Dad" jokes, giving anyone a laugh.

Family and friends are invited to celebrate Duane's life at Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home in Centralia with a visitation being held on Monday, May 4th, 2026, from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm, followed by a funeral service at 1:00 pm. In lieu of flowers, Duane's family requests memorial donations to the First United Methodist Church or the American Legion Post 446 and will be accepted at the Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home, located at 235 North Sycamore Street, Centralia, Illinois 62801, who is honored to be of service to the family. Online condolences may be shared with the family at [www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com](http://www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com) and through the funeral home's Facebook page. To send flowers or a memorial gift to the family, please visit our Sympathy Store.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 4. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home  
235 N. Sycamore Street  
Centralia, IL 62801

## Celebration of Life

MAY 4. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home  
235 N. Sycamore Street  
Centralia, IL 62801

# Tribute Wall

JR

“ Praying for you all - Duane was always so kind and happy. I'll never forget his smile.

*Jay and Jackie Richmond and family*

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**Jackie Richmond** - May 04 at 10:25 PM

CD

“ Cal and Dan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Duane Nollman.

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**Cal and Dan** - May 03 at 11:41 AM

CD

“ Cal and Dan purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Duane Nollman.



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**Cal and Dan** - May 03 at 11:41 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Duane Nollman.



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May 03 at 02:49 AM

TR

“ My memories of Duane are very fond. He was my favorite DAV driver. We always had a great conversation about anything.



Tresea Rindal - May 02 at 07:40 PM

WS

“ Wayne S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Duane Nollman.

Wayne S. - April 30 at 12:30 PM

WS

“ Wayne S. purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Duane Nollman.



Wayne S. - April 30 at 12:30 PM

CC

“ Cindy Coats lit a candle in memory of Duane Nollman



Cindy Coats - April 29 at 08:33 AM

KT

“ Kathy & Mark, Stace & Hector, Katy & Tomm purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Duane Nollman.



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**Kathy & Mark, Stace & Hector, Katy & Tomm** - April 28 at 02:17 PM

MR

“ I am so sorry to learn of Duane’s passing. Please know how I treasure having had time with him and you, Vicky, special as both of you were singularly and together. Gentle thoughts and condolences.



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**Mary Rolando** - April 28 at 12:41 PM

TF

“ The Lashbrook Family. purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Duane Nollman.



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**The Lashbrook Family.** - April 28 at 12:03 PM

SB

“ Vickie I am so sorry to hear about Duane. Have many fond memories of our times spent together in Centralia. Love and prayers to you and the family

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**Sheila Beach** - April 28 at 11:55 AM

DH

“ *My sympathy goes out to the entire Duane nollman family he will be dearly missed by his family and friends my sister and I met him at the July 4th picnic calling bigo he was a nice and friendly person always had you laughing.  
Gone but never forgotten.*

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**Dwayne Hettenhausen** - April 28 at 11:51 AM