



## Guy Joseph Rannow

May 14, 1947 - February 28, 2021

Guy Joseph Rannow 73, resident of Racine, passed away on Sunday, February 28th, 2021. Born in Racine on May 14th, 1947 to Cecilia (Eisenhauer) Fiehweg and Julius LaCanne, Guy was raised by his mother and stepfathers Richard Rannow and Donald Fiehweg. On June 28th, 1969 he was united in marriage to Linda (Benedict).

Guy graduated from Washington Park High School in 1965 and earned a bachelor's degree from UW-Whitewater in 1970. He served in the US Army reserve from 1970-1975 attaining the rank of Staff Sergeant.

Guy found a passion for his many hobbies including gardening, which resulted in the title of Master Gardener. His love for fishing led him to take many trips to The Boundary Waters accompanied by friends, grandchildren, and nephews. As a traveling salesman, Guy had the opportunity to visit the majority of the states and was able to share the experiences with Linda by his side which led to making many memories around the country. To celebrate 50 years of marriage, Guy and Linda took the trip of their dreams to Eastern Europe to continue making memories around the world. Guy found a home away from home in nature and shared many memories while taking family cabin trips. Guy's talent and joy found in woodworking lead him to craft handmade birdhouses for his own personal Guy Birds Collection. In addition to enjoying the outdoors in every possible way, he enjoyed attending garage sales during the spring and summer seasons. Guy was a dedicated Green Bay Packer fan and would never miss an opportunity to brag about the

opportunity he had to go to the Ice Bowl nor to flaunt his pride in never missing a single Packer Game.

Guy was a member of Faithbridge Church and lifetime member of the Racine Yacht Club. Above all things, Guy enjoyed spending time with family. He became the patriarch of all family picnics and embodied the role of a true family man.

He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Linda; daughters, Kim Coan (Don), Heidi Stublaski (Steve); grandchildren Trenton, Kelsie (Patrick), Tommy, Casey, Riley, siblings Jerry Rannow (Dee), Rick Rannow (Diane), Mark Rannow (Carla), Lisa Cartwright, and many close nephews and cousins. In addition to his parents, Guy was preceded in death by stepfathers Richard Rannow and Donald Fiehweg, Inlaws George Benedict, Opal (Hannon) Benedict, brother, Gregg Rannow and brother-in-law, Scott Cartwright.

Guy lived a life full of love, smiles, and youth. Guy will be remembered by most for his witty sense of humor and jokes that he had ready to be pulled out of his pocket. A visitation will be held on Saturday, March 13th, 2021, at Faithbridge Church in Franksville, WI. from 12:00 noon-2:00 p.m. followed by a service at 2:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers a donation to Faithbridge Church, Racine Yacht Club Youth Foundation, or a charity of one's choice have been suggested.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 13. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

FaithBridge United Methodist Church  
10402 Northwestern Ave  
Franksville, WI 53126

## Memorial Service

MAR 13. 2:00 PM (CT)

FaithBridge United Methodist Church  
10402 Northwestern Ave  
Franksville, WI 53126

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sturino Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Guy Joseph Rannow*



**Sturino Funeral Home** - March 09, 2021 at 02:23 PM

CM

*What beautiful memories of your father. Thank you, Heidi, for sharing this.*

**Connie Mickelsen** - March 10, 2021 at 11:16 AM

CH

*What a wonderful, heartwarming tribute to a Great "Guy", Husband, Father & Grandpa! Thanks soo much for sharing your loving memories!*

**Carol & Bob Haider** - March 10, 2021 at 06:00 PM

DP

*Beautiful tribute!*

**Diane Petras** - March 11, 2021 at 09:10 AM

WN

*Very nice video. I sure miss Guy.*

**Warren Nitz** - March 11, 2021 at 11:47 AM

JH

*I loved seeing these photos, what a beautiful life.*

**Julie Hannon** - March 12, 2021 at 07:42 PM

DC

*This was a wonderful memory of Guy. We can remember their wedding so well. Linda was beautiful as Guy was so handsome. Prayers and Hugs to all of you and may in he RIP. Rudy and Debbie Coca*

Deborah and Rudy Coca - March 13, 2021 at 11:12 AM

DS

*I wish I could give you all a big hug. It was a very nice service and the photos are wonderful. Guy was a great guy, and he'll be missed by many, and remembered well by all.*

Dave Hannon (Dave and Bev's son) - March 13, 2021 at 04:02 PM

MA

*Pura vida... Much love to each of you. Such a beautiful tribute to Guy.*



Mary Audia - March 15, 2021 at 03:38 PM

KB

*"Beautiful"... that says it all.*

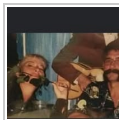
Kimberly Batwinski - March 31, 2021 at 03:21 PM



“ *Sturino Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Guy Joseph Rannow*



Sturino Funeral Home - March 05, 2021 at 05:52 PM



*Beautiful service*

Deborah Coca - March 13, 2021 at 03:57 PM

DC

“ Linda, Kim, Heidi, and all friends and relatives. Prayers, Sympathies, and Hugs are being sent to you all today. I think everyone who knew Guy will miss him so. May he RIP! Rudy and Debbie Coca

Deborah and Rudy Coca - March 13, 2021 at 11:17 AM

MC

“ We could always count on a smile from Guy, and a reason to smile with him. He will be missed by so many. Deep sympathy to the whole family.

Marsha Connet - March 12, 2021 at 02:31 PM



“ Engraved Tree Tag was purchased for the family of Guy Joseph Rannow.



March 12, 2021 at 10:02 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Guy Joseph Rannow.



March 11, 2021 at 06:50 PM

BW

“ I REMEMBER HIM VISITING THE PEARL GIRLS KNITTING GROUP DRESSED AS SANTA IT WAS SUCH A TREAT LOVE ALL YOUR MEMORIES BETTY WHITE

BETTY WHITE - March 11, 2021 at 06:17 PM



“ 15 files added to the album Life Tributes



Sturino Funeral Home - March 09, 2021 at 02:19 PM

DB

“ We were so sorry to read about our dear friend Guy's passing. We are all better for having known him.

*Annette and Dennis*

Dennis and Annette Berg - March 08, 2021 at 09:24 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Guy Joseph Rannow.



March 08, 2021 at 04:10 PM

GA

“ Dear Linda,

*Guy was my roommate during the 1968-69 term at Whitewater, when we both lived at Mrs. Marquardt's home. Guy took care of the cooking and I cleared and washed the dishes. His favorite meal was chicken caccitori, which I had once heard of but never eaten until Guy put the dish in front of me. And it wasn't bad. In fact, it got better the more often he prepared it. Guy was also a wonderfully curious and avid learner. He was fascinated by the Niebelungenlied and eagerly shared his discovery of it with us. We were all smokers in those days, believing the claim that "three out of four doctors" recommended the Micronite filter... And I vividly recall the day Guy found a bent piece of metal in one of his Luckies. He sent it back to the company with a note asking if this was what they meant by LSMFT? A week or so later, he received a carton of Luckies with a note of apology from the company. It was Guy's AMC Javelin that motivated me to go out and buy my first car. Which only gave rise to one of Guy's famous chuckles, since my dream cruiser was a Buick LeSabre. Not exactly the kind of pavements scorcher he fancied. What I remember most, however, was Guy's terrific sense of humor and easy smile. He always had a laugh to share and he brightened not only my days but those of the rest of Mrs. Marquardt's residents as well. If he ever had a bad day, I never knew it. Aside from the pizza we shared at Wells Bros, Guy and I never really had an opportunity to get caught up. No matter, I have a wealth of very good memories to look back upon.*

*Guy was as good, decent and upright a person as I ever knew. My life is all the better for having known him and for having been able to share his friendship. I am deeply sorry for your loss. Blessings and peace to you and your family.*

*Gordon Ammon  
USN 1961-65  
UW-Whitewater  
1965-70*

**Gordon Ammon** - March 08, 2021 at 10:09 AM

MM

“ *To Linda, Heidi (Steve), and family...we were so sorry to hear of Guy's struggles these last months, and send heartfelt condolences from all of us.*

**Marilyn McGoldrick** - March 07, 2021 at 12:43 PM

HD

“ *I am so sorry to learn of Guy's passing. My sympathy and love are with you Linda and your family. I first met Guy when he was working at JCPenney's and no matter what, he always had me laughing and that is exactly as I will remember him.*

**Hazel Dickfoss** - March 07, 2021 at 10:45 AM

JJ

“ *Linda and family, I am so sorry to hear of Guy's passing. He was a bright light through his lifetime, a guy who made everyone around him a little better for his presence.*

**Jim Jenkins** - March 06, 2021 at 12:14 PM

DH

“ *There are a few of the Fratt-Mckinley-Park neighborhood connection around. So very saddened to learn of Guy's passing. His engaging smile and bubbling personality were a pleasant enjoyment.*

**Dan Hiatt** - March 06, 2021 at 09:02 AM



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**Sturino Funeral Home** - March 05, 2021 at 01:13 PM