



Frederick "Frantic Freddie" Herrmann

April 4, 1942 - November 19, 2019

Frederick "Frantic Freddie" Herrmann, age 77, passed away peacefully at his Town of Poy Sippi home on Tuesday November 19, 2019.

"Fred" was born on April 4, 1942 in Milwaukee, the son of Joseph and Antonie (Hahn) Herrmann.

On August 2, 1985, he was united in marriage to Carol Chipman in Milwaukee.

He was employed as an inside salesman for a plastic fabrication company for 30 years, but his real passion was his music. Fred was known as "Frantic Freddie", the much accomplished musician for the Milwaukee based band, the Chevrons. He was an awesome saxophone player. Fred also played the bass guitar and was lead singer. He was a Chevron for 47 years and considered his band mates his extended family.

Fred had a love for the outdoors, whether it be hunting, fishing, boating or "porch sitting" with Carol and other relatives and friends. When he retired in Poy Sippi, he was surrounded by the nature he loved.

He was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Parish, Poy Sippi Lions Club, Monches Fish and Game Club, and the St Philip Neri Church Choir.

Fred is survived by his wife, Carol, daughters; Elizabeth Herrmann, Kathleen (Michael) Mager, Melissa (Johansson) Last, 16 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, son, Frederick (Chris) Herrmann Jr. and was preceded in death by son, William "Billy". Fred is further survived by many nieces and nephews, sisters-in-law; Victoria Seelow, Eileen (Al) Korchunoff, Lori Trahan, Victoria Chipman, brother-in-law, Robert (Mary Ann) Chipman and special Chevron friends; Lock, Ollie, Vance, The Wop, Happy Harry and many other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

St. Mark's Catholic Church

Redgranite, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 26. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Parish
2304 Liberty St
Poy Sippi=, WI 54967

Funeral Service

NOV 26. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Frederick "Frantic Freddie" Herrmann*



Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home - November 25, 2019 at 12:52 PM

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“ *Your infectious laugh and huge smile brightened any room! You were one-of-a-kind, and you will be deeply missed. It's time to turn down the lights to start that big gig in the sky! Rest in peace, Fred!*
Love, Sandie Heinecke (Thiel)
P.S. Fred and The Chevrons played at my wedding, as well as my brother's wedding. He worked for my dad, Leo, at Cadillac Plastic, where I also worked. As the boss' daughter, Fred was often in charge of correcting my mistakes or teaching me something new. He was a wonderful teacher and friend.

Sandie Heinecke - November 26, 2019 at 12:40 AM



“ *222 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home - November 25, 2019 at 12:49 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Frederick "Frantic Freddie" Herrmann.



November 24, 2019 at 07:58 AM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Frederick "Frantic Freddie" Herrmann.



November 23, 2019 at 03:14 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Frederick "Frantic Freddie" Herrmann.



November 22, 2019 at 07:38 PM

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“ I am blessed to have many wonderful memories of making music with Fred in the St. Philip Neri church choir. Fred and 'the guys' were always very kind to me, even though I started there as a young whippersnapper. This year I surprised us all when I taught Fred and Carol how to use Messenger video chat, and he complimented and encouraged my latest musical ventures. We enjoyed a nice visit at their home in September. Fred's legacy is evident in his family and friends who mourn his loss here on earth. My deepest sympathies to his loved ones. 🎸



Nicole (Nikki) M. - November 22, 2019 at 07:28 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Frederick "Frantic Freddie" Herrmann.*



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