



Robert A. Higgins

January 12, 1932 - March 10, 2026

Robert A. Higgins, 94 of Marengo died Tuesday, March 10, 2026 at Shepherd Premier Senior Living, Harvard. Born January 12, 1932 in Belvidere the son of James and Loretta (Deneen) Higgins. Served in the United States Navy during the Korean War and married his loving wife in 1953. Worked at Arnold Engineering for 28 years, retiring in 1990. He was also the owner of Car-Deen Water Conditioning and worked side by side with his son for a few years. Bob enjoyed spending time with his family, but also took time to go golfing and work on the yard. He was a kind and caring husband, father and grandfather and great grandfather . He will be missed by all that had the chance to know him.

Survivors include his children, Susan (Gordon) Glorch, Scott (Teresa) Higgins and Lynn (George) Ohlendorf; grandchildren, Courtney (Scott) Deal, Kim (fiancé Junior Hernandez) Glorch, Ashley (Michael) Grace and Paige (Tom) Schultz; great grandchildren, Aidan, Nadia, Axel, Rowan, Levi, Anderson, Conor, Caden, Claire and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife of 71 years, Joann in March of 2025, 7 siblings and two infant granddaughters. The family extends a heartfelt thank you to the incredible staff at Shepherd Premier for all they've done.

Memorial visitation Thursday, March 19, 2026 from 4:30-7 pm in the Parish Hall of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 323 N. Taylor from 4:30-7 (please use

entrance off North Page St, east side of church), visitation continues Friday, March 20 from 9-9:45 in the church.

In lieu of flowers please make memorials in his name to Saint Croix Hospice, 185 Buckley Dr. Suite B, Rockford, IL 61107.

The family is being assisted by Fredrick Funeral Home, Hampshire.

Cemetery Details

Marengo City Cemetery

101 N East Street
Marengo, IL 60152

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

MAR 19. 4:30 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
323 N Taylor Street
Marengo, IL 60152

Memorial Visitation

MAR 20. 9:00 AM - 9:45 AM (CT)

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Memorial Mass of Christian Burial

MAR 20. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Rob Rahn purchased the *Enduring Grace* for the family of Robert A. Higgins.



Rob Rahn - March 14 at 04:44 PM

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“ Rob Rahn planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert A. Higgins.

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