



Joseph Dennis Bourque

April 13, 1931 - September 26, 2022

Joseph “Dennis” Bourque, age 91, of St. Augustine, passed away peacefully on September 26, 2022, at his home, with his wife and daughter by his side. Born and raised in Hartford, Connecticut, where he graduated from high school, Dennis attended Morse Business School, becoming an Accountant. After a while, he returned to school, earning both his Bachelor’s and Master’s Degrees at the University of Connecticut, majoring in English. Dennis had the joy of teaching English at Glastonbury High School in Glastonbury, Connecticut for 35 years. He also spent time as a Pastoral Counselor for palliative care at a hospital in Massachusetts. Dennis and his wife eventually relocated to The Villages in Florida, before moving to St. Augustine, where he lived for seven years. In his free time, he enjoyed judging poetry contests and he was also a great swimmer. Dennis will be deeply missed by his family and friends.

He is survived by his wife, Roberta Bourque of St. Augustine; a daughter, Denise Hinline of Arlington, Washington; a brother, Norman Bourque, and his wife, Florence, of Colchester, Connecticut; grandchildren, Megan, Joshua, Andrea and Zachary; and great-grandchildren, Claire, Allison, Jaden, Jackson, and Audrey.

Dennis was preceded in death by a son, David Bourque, and a brother, Robert Bourque.

A memorial service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 11, 2022 at Memorial Presbyterian Church in St. Augustine.

St. Johns Family Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT 11. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Memorial Presbyterian Church
32 Sevilla St
St. Augustine, FL 32084
(904) 829-6451

Tribute Wall

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“ My husband Bill enjoyed working with Dennis at Glastonbury High. He always admired Dennis' upbeat personality and his ability to relate to adolescents in a positive manner. Also, Dennis was a judge for Altrusa Intl of Central CT's Senior Poetry Contest . He brought joy to so many poets. He will be truly missed.

Ellen Paris - October 07, 2022 at 11:04 AM

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“ We always enjoyed our discussions with Dennis and Roberta in the Seeking Spirituality Club meetings. You two made our time together a fun learning experience! Thank you! We have missed you since you moved. Richard Matwyshen

Richard Matwyshen - October 06, 2022 at 11:57 PM