



Sylvester L. Laudolff

May 14, 1941 - July 10, 2025

Sylvester “Sy” “Sonny” L. Laudolff, 84, of Fond du Lac, died on Thursday, July 10, 2025, at SSM St. Agnes Hospital.

He was born on May 14, 1941, in Fond du Lac, the son of Sylvester and Margurite Jarchow Laudolff. He served in the United States Marine Corps for six years, and retired from the United States Army Reserves after 21 years of service. On August 14, 1999, he married Valerie Luchinski, in Fond du Lac. Sy worked at Mercury Marine and was the owner/operator of Laudolff Remodeling, retiring from both after 31 years. He was proud of his military service, enjoyed remodeling, and cherished his time spent with family.

He is survived by his wife Valerie Laudolff of Fond du Lac, his children: Robert Laudolff of Fond du Lac, Jolene Birmingham of IL, Vanessa (Jon) Baum of Fond du Lac, Benjamin Osier of WI, Nicholas Laudolff of Fond du Lac, and Nathaniel (Morgan) Laudolff of Oshkosh; 18 grandchildren, his siblings: Barbara Koerner of Milwaukee, Richard Laudolff of FL, Sandra Creek of ID, and Margaret Class of Bethesda, MD; several nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents, sisters: Elizabeth Trimble and Susan Steffes, and brother Jerome Laudolff.

VISITATION: The family will greet friends and relatives from 1:00 – 4:00 PM on Monday, July 21, 2025, at Kurki Funeral Chapel & Crematory, 31 East Division Street, Fond du Lac.

SERVICE: Memorial service will be at 4:00 PM on Monday, July 21, 2025, at Kurki Funeral Chapel & Crematory, with Chaplain Evan Stark officiating. Trier-

Puddy American Legion Post 75 will conduct Military Services.
In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to the family.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 21. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Kurki Funeral Chapel & Crematory
31 E. Division Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935

Service

JUL 21. 4:00 PM (CT)

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Military Service

JUL 21. 4:15 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ From your stories you'd tell about when you were a kid, to the time you spent in the service, and then when you'd tell the story about when the twins were born, and how it would make you tear up every time you told it, to hanging out with you and Konen in the "man garage" and somehow I was the adult in the moment. You were one of the most respectable, sassy, stubborn and hard working men I've known. You were and always will be one of my most favorite people Sylvester, and you are missed. ❤️

Nicci - July 21, 2025 at 12:20 AM

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“ My Deepest Sympathy to all of your family. Sending prayers and hugs.



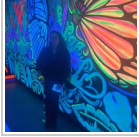
Stacie Rose - July 17, 2025 at 04:25 AM

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“ My deepest sympathy to Val and family. Sy was a friendly helpful person. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. 🙏



Paula Hass - July 14, 2025 at 06:30 PM



“ *Uncle Sy had a contagious laugh and a smile to brighten a room. I knew him to be a loving, kind, hard working family man. He will truly be missed. It was an honor to know him. Rest in peace Uncle Sy. ((HUGS)) and prayers for my Aunt Val, all my cousins, extended family and friends.*

Barb Noss-Kalies - July 12, 2025 at 02:54 PM



“ *He was the best husband I could have ever asked for. He was a great father to my children and our twin boys. Life will not be the same without him here.*

Valerie Laudolff (wife) - July 12, 2025 at 12:24 PM



“ *Sitting in the middle of the old red ford truck and you teaching me manual driving. All the job site trips with you! Country music! You were my saving grace in a horrible time in my childhood and I will forever be grateful and thankful to have been able to call you dad and grandpa to my girls. We love you so much. Always with you dad. RIP ❤️*

Vanessa Baum - July 12, 2025 at 11:35 AM