



## George E. Sangmeister

Party: Democratic • Chamber: House

State: IL • District: 11 Service: 1989–1995

**Most recent Congress: 103** 

## **Biography**

A Representative from Illinois. Born in Frankfort, Will County, Ill., February 16, 1931. Attended the public schools of Joliet Township, Ill., and Joliet Junior College, 1949-1951. United States Army, 1951-1953. B. A., Elmhurst College, Elmhurst, Ill., 1957. LL. B., John Marshall Law School, Chicago, Ill., 1960, J. D., John Marshall Law School, Chicago, Ill. 1970. Admitted to the Illinois bar in 1960. Lawyer, private practice. Justice of the peace, Will County, Ill., 1961-1963. Magistrate, Will County, Ill., circuit court, 1961-1964. State attorney, Will County, Ill., 1964-1968. Member of the Illinois state house of representatives, 1972-1976. Member of the Illinois state senate, 1976-1987. Unsuccessful candidate for nomination for Lieutenant Governor of Illinois, 1986. Elected as a Democrat to the One Hundred First and to the two succeeding Congresses (January 3, 1989-January 3, 1995). Not a candidate for reelection to the One Hundred Fourth Congress in 1994. Died on October 7, 2007, in Joliet, Ill. Interment at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery, Elwood, Ill.

## Legislative Activity (1989–1995)

**Bills sponsored:** 0 **Bills cosponsored:** 0