

Andrew Greeley

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Born	February 5, 1928 Oak Park, Illinois , US
Died	May 29, 2013 (aged 85) Chicago, Illinois , US
Nationality	American
Occupation(s)	Priest, Author
Years active	1966–2009
Website	http://www.agreeley.com/

Andrew M. Greeley (February 5, 1928 – May 29, 2013)^[1] was an [American Roman Catholic](#) priest, educator, sociologist, journalist, philanthropist, and popular author.

Greeley was born on February 5, 1928 in [Oak Park, Illinois](#) to an [Irish](#) family. He was raised a Catholic. Greeley studied at Archbishop Quigley Preparatory Seminary and at St. Mary of the Lake Seminary. He retired in 2009 after an injury.

Greeley suffered skull fractures in a fall in 2008 when his clothing got caught on the door of a taxi as it pulled away; he was hospitalized in critical condition.^[2] He remained in poor health. Greeley died on May 29, 2013 at his [Chicago](#) home. He was 85.^[3]

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