



Bobby J Russell

July 23, 1925 - October 2, 2011

Bobby J. Russell, 86, of DeSoto, passed away at 10:46 p.m. Sunday, October 2, 2011, at the Memorial Hospital in Carbondale, Illinois.

Gravesite military services will be conducted at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, October 5, 2011, at the DeSoto Cemetery by the American Legion Post # 127, V.F.W. Post # 7190 and 2605, and the Jackson County D.A.V. Chapter # 69. Friends may call from 10 to 11 a.m. Wednesday at Pettett Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital.

Bobby was born on July 23, 1925, in Hallidayboro, Illinois, to Fred George Russell and Bearl (Crossin) Russell.

He served during World War II in the U.S. Army.

Bobby was the owner of the Family Affairs Sanitation Services.

Mr. Russell was a member of the United Methodist Church in DeSoto, Illinois.

He married Dolores Stamm on January 12, 1949, in Murphysboro, Illinois, and she preceded him in death on June 14, 1988.

He is survived by four children Mike Russell and his wife Dianna Kay Russell of Vergennes, Dianne Jones and her husband Mick Jones of DeSoto, Gary Russell and his wife Cindy Russell of DeSoto, Bobbi Jo Pegg and her husband Brian Pegg of Dardenne Prairie, MO;

fourteen grandchildren David Russell, Micki Moon, Tammy Coffey, Jim Jones, Christina Bittner, Tiffany Kovacs, Trudy Charles, Shon Snyder, Mary Elder, Tina Fesquet, Jamie Snyder, Brianne Pegg, Bryn Pegg, and Bryce Pegg and two step grandchildren Seth and Brock Darnell;

twenty three great grandchildren and one great great grandson;

He was preceded in death by two daughters Lois Jean in infancy and Teresa Snyder, one grandson Jo-Jo Kovacs, two brothers, two sisters, and his parents.

The family of Bobby J. Russell would like to thank Jaye Monaghan for the love and care that he gave to their father for the last two years.

Tribute Wall



“ *Bobby J Russell*

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