



Donald Floyd Daniels

August 22, 1936 - April 18, 2015

Donald Floyd Daniels 78, of Hartford, IL formerly of Mounds passed away at home on Saturday April 18, 2015 at 1:10 PM surrounded by his family.

Donald was born August 22, 1936, in Mounds, Illinois to Floyd and Essie (Frizzell) Daniels.

He was a U.S. Veteran, and later worked as a machinist at Olin Corporation in East Alton, IL for 32 years before retiring. He was a Hartford volunteer fireman for many years and later became Assistant Fire Chief of Hartford. Member of the Fire Fighters Association. Member of the Alton and Wood River Volunteer Emergency Corps for several years. After retirement he volunteered at Alton Memorial Hospital for 15 years and was known as "The Candy man".

Donald is survived by 2 daughters Terri Thomas of Hartford, IL, and Dixie (Darlene) Bland of Wood River, IL.; 3 grandchildren Ronnie Whalen Jr. of Alton, IL. ; Brandy Whalen (Derek) Kelley of Edwardsville, IL. and Kyle Thomas of Paducah, Ky. ; 3 great-grandchildren Dakota Whalen Sanders of South Roxana, IL.; Camden and MaKenna of Edwardsville; 1 brother and sister in law Bobby and Marilyn Daniels of Murphysboro, IL.; 1 niece Lisa Daniels and her son Aaron Cripps of Murphysboro, IL.; and his cousin Gene Parmley who was his best friend.

Donald was preceded in death by his parents.

Visitation for Donald F. Daniels will be from 4 to 7pm Tuesday April 21, 2015 at Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home on Old Rt. 13 between Carbondale and Murphysboro.

Funeral Services for Donald F. Daniels will be on Wednesday April 22, 2015 at 10 am at Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home with the Rev. Charles Allen officiating with burial to follow at Green Lawn Memorial Gardens in Villa Ridge, IL.

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Floyd Daniels*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Donald Floyd Daniels.*



April 20, 2015 at 07:24 PM