



## Frank "Frankie" Edwards

August 17, 1943 - October 27, 2015

Frank "Frankie" Edwards, 72, of Murphysboro, passed away at 5:35 a.m. Tuesday, October 27, 2015, in Murphysboro.

Frank was born on August 17, 1943, in Jackson County, Illinois, to Arch Edwards and Edna (Ticer) Edwards.

He was the owner and operator of Edwards Excavating for over fifty years in Murphysboro. He was a member of the Operating Engineers Local # 318 in Marion. He was also a member of the Lions Club, the Moose Lodge, Elk's Lodge, and the Carbon Lake Club. He enjoyed going to auctions.

Mr. Edwards was the Alderman of Ward # 1 in Murphysboro. He was very civic minded and was very involved in community affairs. Frankie loved to talk and worked very hard at everything that he wished to accomplish.

He was a member of the Berean Christian Church, where he recently was baptized on June 8, 2015.

Frankie married Sandy Roseberry on August of 1975 in Murphysboro, and she preceded him in death on November 6, 2013.

He is survived by one son and daughter in law Ryan and Jocelyne Edwards

of Murphysboro;

five grandchildren Bryce Edwards, Jeret Edwards, Colt Edwards, Cody Layne, and Garrett Worthen;

and one sister Kathryn Lindsey of Carbondale.

He was preceded in death by three sons Frankie Allen, Shane, and Shawn, and his parents.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, November 2, 2015, at Berean Christian Church with Troy Humphrey officiating and burial at Pleasant Grove Memorial Park. Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home and Monday from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the church. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Murphysboro Wrestling.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Frank "Frankie" Edwards*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Frankie Frankie you are so missed buddy. Sandy is sure glad you are with her now*

**Charlene Summers** - January 07, 2016 at 03:38 PM



“ *Our deepest condolences for the passing of Frankie. He has been such a good friend and family member of the Roseberrys. I miss all my Roseberry family members and will never forget the warmth they shared with me during my time in So Ill. Love to all--*

**Jim & Eleanor Omdal** - October 31, 2015 at 03:04 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss, I knew Frankie for many years, always the same smile and joking wherever I saw him, he never forgot a face or his friends, I knew Frankie from going to Bible School, when we lived in Logan Hollow, sending prayers to the family, may God Bless you all,*

**Clarence & Sandra Sherman** - October 31, 2015 at 12:53 PM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. Frankie was such a great person. He was always one of my favorite people to talk with when I worked at a restaurant in Murphy many years ago. He was always smiling. My God be with you during this time.*

**Sherry Zimmer Bois** - October 30, 2015 at 07:09 PM

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“ *To the Edwards Family: I'm very sorry to read of the loss of your loved one. During times like these it's all too easy to feel helpless and without hope. When my family and I experience tragedy of this sort we often turn to the scriptures for endurance. Isaiah 25:8 and Revelation 21:4 speaks of a time when death will be a thing of the past and our loved ones will be reunited with us. Continue to beg God for endurance until that time comes.*

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**Jae** - October 29, 2015 at 01:19 PM