



George David Hennen, Jr.

January 6, 1934 - October 1, 2008

George David "Tag" Hennen, Jr., age 74, of Yale, Iowa passed away at 6:00 a.m., on Wednesday, October 1, 2008 in the Guthrie County Hospital at Guthrie Center, Iowa.

He was the youngest son of George Hennen and Evangeline "Torch" (Shell) Hennen of Panora, Iowa. He was born on January 6, 1934 at their home in Panora. George attended school in Panora, and left during his Senior year to enlist in the Army. He and his brother, Dean, served together at Boot Camp. George discharged 3 years later from Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Upon leaving the Army, George returned to Panora, where he enjoyed testing the speed of his Triumph motorcycle with the local law enforcement. In 1955, he married Shirley Tasler at the Methodist Church in Yale. They had three children, Georgina, Rebecca and Rick.

After their divorce, George moved to Texas and worked in construction. One of the larger projects he enjoyed working on was the Dallas-Fort Worth Air Terminal. As a heavy equipment operator, specializing in running the Grade-All, he worked throughout the United States until his health caused him to retire. George returned to Yale in 2006, where he lived out the rest of his life. He enjoyed visiting with friends and family; never knowing a stranger and especially enjoying his children, grandchildren and his new great granddaughter Elah, who was the apple of his eye.

George was preceded in death by his parents, one daughter Georgina, one sister Nina Ebersohl, and two brothers Dean and Melvin.

George is survived by his one daughter Rebecca Meinecke, one son Rick (Jan) Vaughan, one granddaughter Jentry, three grandsons Jordan, Reilly, and Logan, one great granddaughter Elah Marie, one sister and her husband Betty and Harold Holmes, one brother and his wife Donnie and Bonnie Hennen, several nieces and nephews, including Charles Ebersohl of Murphysboro, and the many friends throughout the United States.

His body has been cremated and a graveside service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, October 11, 2008, at Brethren Cemetery in Panora, IA. Following the graveside service, his children invite his many friends and family to join them at one of his many visiting spots, Fuzzy's for a toast.

Tribute Wall



“ *George David Hennen, Jr.*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *It is almost 11 o'clock,
Time for the services in Iowa to start.
Just wanted to let all of you know,
You were being thought of from the South below.
Some of you must tell
the stories that "Uncle Tag" would swell,
because that was the legacy that he left,
and he shared it with everyone he met!*

Teresa Basinger - October 11, 2008 at 01:03 PM



“ *Tag was a lot of fun to be around. He was
always joking and laughing, but he had his
serious moments. Liked to read and was very
much up on what is happening in our world
today. We will miss him. Aunt Betty and
Harold*



Aunt Betty and Harold - October 05, 2008 at 09:08 AM

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“ *Rebecca and Rick:
We will always remember Uncle Tag for his
wit and good humor. We'll miss his smile and
wonderful stories from his life!
Chuckie and "The Floosie"*



Uncle Tag, You are in our hearts forever Chuck & Deanna Ebersohl - October 04,
2008 at 02:53 PM