



Lowell J. Hughes

October 24, 1932 - May 4, 2012

Lowell J. Hughes, 79, of Murphysboro, passed away at 9:36 a.m. Friday, May 4, 2012, at Memorial Hospital of Carbondale, Illinois.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 8, 2012, at Pettett Funeral Home with Rev. Dean Akins officiating and burial at Mt. Joy Cemetery. Friends may call from 5 to 8 p.m. Monday and Tuesday until 11 a.m. at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society. For more information, please visit www.pettettfuneralhome.com.

Lowell was born on October 24, 1932, in Murphysboro, Illinois, to Freeman Hughes and Gladys (Boone) Hughes.

He had worked all his life as a mechanic. He loved farming and hunted, but he especially enjoyed being outdoors. He loved all his children, step children, and their whole families.

Mr. Hughes was a member of the First Assembly of God Church in Murphysboro, Illinois. He was also a member of the National Rifle Association.

He married Laura Mae (Boucher) Hughes on May 2, 1952, in Harrisburg, Illinois, and she preceded him in death on March 23, 2004. Then he married Mary L. (McDaniel) on June 22, 2004, at the Missionary Baptist Church in

Harrisburg, Illinois, and she survives.

Other survivors include two sons and their wives Daniel Lowell and Linda J. Hughes and Dale A. and Doris L. Hughes, all of Murphysboro;

one step son and his wife Miles and Lee Weberling of Harrisburg;

two step daughters and their husbands Patricia and Mark Hunt of Chester and Dana and John Fitze of Ishpeming, Mich.;

six grandchildren and ten step grandchildren, and three great grandchildren and ten step great grandchildren.

and one adopted sister Shirley Marjanovich of Coulterville.

He was preceded in death by one son David Hughes, one step grandchild, one brother, one sister and his parents.

Tribute Wall



“ *Lowell J. Hughes*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *MAY GOD BLESS ALL OF YOU IN THIS TIME OF NEED.*

DELMAR LIPE

Anna Duty - May 08, 2012 at 12:10 AM



“ *MY SYMPATHY GOES OUT TO THE FAMILY MAY GOD BLESS ALL OF YOU IN THIS TIME OF NEED.*

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Anna Duty - May 08, 2012 at 12:03 AM



“ *Danny & Dale:*

Sending you our sincere sympathy. We're both ill and unable to attend the service. Take comfort in the knowledge your Dad left you the hope you can meet again in Heaven. Love & Prayers

Uncle Joe & Aunt Doris - May 07, 2012 at 03:58 PM



“ *Remembering you guys today and your sweet Dad!! May God richly bless you and lift you up during the coming days. Call us sometime or come over for a visit. (618) 694-2789*

Scott & Jean Turner - May 07, 2012 at 02:20 PM