



Melvin J. Brown

January 14, 1929 - March 20, 2019

Melvin J. Brown, 90, of Anna, passed away at 12:17 AM, Wednesday, March 20, 2019 at his home in Anna.

He was born January 14, 1929 in Cypress to Melvin Sr. and Grace Brown. He married Norma Halter on July 1, 1950.

Melvin was in the Army for 3 years with a rank as Staff Sergeant. He first went to work for McDonnell Douglas and then for Boeing, where he retired as a supervisor after 20 years. Melvin loved Cardinals baseball and collected baseball memorabilia. He also enjoyed collecting stamps and talking about baseball.

He is survived by his wife, Norma D. Brown of Anna; son, Keith Edward Brown of Anna; granddaughters, Jennifer Brown of St. Peters, MO, Chasity (Casey) Muehlbauer of Warrenton, MO, Madison Brown of Anna; grandson, Dustin Brown of Foristell, MO, Melvin R. Brown of Cobden; great grandchildren, Riley Brown and Adrianna Hollaway; brother, Norman Lee (Marie) Brown of Anna; sister-in-law, Shirley Brown of Anna; nieces, Carmea Lynn Brown, Kelly (Bill) Needler of Mt. Vernon; cousins, Cody Brown of Lick Creek, Larry (Marie) Johnson of Elgin, Jason Johnson of Anna; many other relatives and friends.

Melvin was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Bill Brown; sister, Devonna Johnson; brother-in-law, DeeRay Johnson; and cousin, Gregory Johnson.

A memorial gathering will be held from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM on Monday, March 25, 2019 at Crain Funeral Home in Anna. Inurnment will take place at a later date at Cypress Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society and envelopes will be available at the funeral home.

Previous Events

Friends and Family gathering/Memorial Service

MAR **25**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Crain Funeral Home - Anna
135 W. Vienna St.
Anna, IL 62906
(618) 833-2176
crain@crainsonline.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Melvin J. Brown*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Shirley & Carma purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Melvin J. Brown.*



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