



Robert "Bob" Tucker

September 19, 1928 - June 5, 2011

Robert "Bob" Tucker, 82, of Murphysboro, passed away at 9:58 p.m. Sunday, June 5, 2011, at the Memorial Hospital in Carbondale, Illinois.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, June 8, 2011, at Pettett Funeral Home with Rev. Charles Allen officiating and burial at Pleasant Grove Memorial Park. Friends may call from 11 a.m. Wednesday until the hour of services at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Elm Street Baptist Church in Murphysboro.

Robert was born on September 19, 1928, in Murphysboro, Illinois, to Clement Tucker and Inda (Trigg) Tucker.

He served in the U. S. Army during the Korean Conflict.

Bob worked for thirty years at the former Brown Shoe Company in Murphysboro and then worked for twenty three years in the maintenance department for the Murphysboro School District # 186.

Mr. Tucker was a Christian by faith, and he volunteered at the food pantry at Elm Street Baptist Church, where he was a member.

Bob loved to walk and he was an avid dog walker at Lake Murphysboro,

where he and his Yorkies--Rosie and Corky--would walk around the lake.

He also had a great collection of yard art and farm implements.

Bob married Norma Bass on December 24, 1949, at the Centenary Methodist Church in Murphysboro, and she survives.

Other survivors include one daughter Vicki Schramm of Starkville, MS;

six brothers and four sister in laws Clement "Bud" Tucker, Jr., Charles and Vera Tucker, Ray and Mary Tucker, Eddie Tucker, and Glen "Pete" and Virginia Tucker of Murphysboro, and Ardell and Jessie Tucker of Creal Springs, Illinois;

and one sister in law Barbara Marks of Murphysboro.

He was preceded in death by one son Ricky Tucker, one sister Myrtle Griffin, and his parents.

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert "Bob" Tucker*

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