



## Roy Overturf

November 11, 1941 - October 27, 2022

IN MEMORY OF:

Roy Overturf

Serving Location:

CRAIN FUNERAL HOME – MURPHYSBORO

1421 Walnut Street, Murphysboro, Illinois

Roy Overturf, age 80, of Murphysboro, passed away on Thursday, October 27, 2022 at 1:48 a.m. at his home.

Roy was born on November 11, 1941 in Benton, Missouri, a son of George Mansel and Frances (Hager) Overturf. He married Janet Crain in 1982 in Murphysboro and she survives him. Roy worked for West Bus Service and drove for them for over thirty years. Along with driving for West, he and his wife owned and operated Funway Tours in Murphysboro for many years. Over his many years of driving and traveling across the country, Roy met many people who he still counts as friends. He was of the Christian faith. His greatest joy in life was fishing with his grandsons.

Survivors include his wife, Janet Overturf of Murphysboro; his sons, Steven (Beth) Overturf of DuQuoin, Patrick (Missy) Naas of Murphysboro and Jason Naas of Cincinnati, Ohio; his brothers, George (Gloria) Overturf of Benton and

Donnie (Sue) Overturf of Marion; his sisters, Ruby Giovanetti of Dupo, Sharon Stritzel of Coello and Debra (Kenny) Chapman of Coello; his grandchildren, David (Deann) Overturf of Carterville, Randy Overturf of Chester, and Brian Naas, Kyle Naas and Zack Naas, all of Murphysboro; four great-grandchildren, David, Deanna, Olivia and Charlotte; his brothers-in-law, Terry (Linda) Crain of Murphysboro and Randy Crain of Paducah; and several nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a daughter, Charety Holland; three brothers, Ernest Overturf, Frank Overturf and Deno Overturf; and three sisters, Rita Overturf (in infancy), Bertha Norville and Vivian Leeper.

As per his wishes, cremation rites will be accorded. A memorial service will be held at a later date. A private inurnment was held in Pleasant Grove Memorial Park.

In lieu of customary remembrances, the family requests with gratitude that memorial contributions be directed to the Coach Kill Cancer Fund. Envelopes will be available and accepted at Crain Funeral Home, 1421 Walnut Street, Murphysboro, Illinois 62966.

Crain Funeral Home in Murphysboro has been entrusted with the arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Pleasant Grove Memorial Park

31 Memorial Dr.  
Murphysboro, IL 62966  
(618) 687-1145  
[crain@crainsonline.com](mailto:crain@crainsonline.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ Roy Overturf

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ To the family of Roy Overturf, our thoughts and prayers as well as our deepest condolence from Roy Overturf's Sister Sharon Stritzel's son's family--Joe, Lisa, Joe jr, and Chris Stritzel.



Lisa Carroll Stritzel - October 29, 2022 at 07:34 PM



“ I'm so sorry to hear of Roy's passing. Janet, Terri, and family— please know I'm thinking of you as you cherish his memories.

Jane Williams - October 29, 2022 at 09:38 AM



“ So sorry to learn of Roy's passing. He drove several trips for me when I was guiding. Always a pleasure to work with.  
CurtissAnn Dahmer Birdwell.

CurtissAnn Dahmer Birdwell - October 28, 2022 at 10:54 PM



I'm so sorry to hear of Roys passing, I was fortunate to go on many fun trips while he had Funway tours. Always a great time. You will be missed Roy.

Sue Chamness - November 13, 2022 at 10:20 PM