



Thomas L. Fricke

June 27, 1935 - March 12, 2007

Thomas L. Fricke, age 71, passed away at 5:05 p.m. Monday, March 12, 2007, at the Memorial Hospital in Carbondale, Illinois.

Thomas was born on June 27, 1935, in Murphysboro, to Leo W. Fricke and Matilda M. (Zink) Fricke.

Mr. Fricke was a painter for many years and the owner of Fricke Decorating. He was a life member of the Painter's Union and a life member of the Elk's Lodge. He was a past member of the Murphysboro Athletic Booster's Club. He was a member of St. Andrew Church in Murphysboro, and the Eagles in Carbondale. He was an avid hunter and a member of Duck's Unlimited. But becoming a grandpa, was what he liked best.

Thomas married Martha Ward on June 30, 1956, in Murphysboro, and she preceded him in death on July 24, 1991.

He is survived by three children Randy Fricke and his wife Nancy Fricke of Murphysboro, Bill Fricke of Long Beach, CA and Marla Kay Dallas and her husband Dan Dallas of Murphysboro;

four grandchildren Jeromy Fricke of Murphysboro and his fiancée Taunya of Carterville; Sammie Fricke, Katelyn Dallas, and Maddie Dallas, all of Murphysboro;

one great granddaughter Jocey Fricke of Carterville;

one brother Jim Fricke of Murphysboro; one nephew Brian Fricke of Cambria, and one niece Michelle Eisenhauer of Murphysboro; and

a special thanks to his long time friend and companion Shirley Grissom for her

years of care and friendship.

Tribute Wall



“ *Thomas L. Fricke*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *To The Fricke Family,
I am sorry to hear about your loss. Your family is in our thoughts
and prayers.
Janet Terry and family*

Janet Terry - March 16, 2007 at 12:22 AM