



## William Wayne "Billy" Ranks

June 27, 1945 - September 20, 2019

William Wayne "Billy" Ranks, 74, of Cairo, died Friday, September 20, 2019, at the Veterans Medical Center in Marion.

Mr. Ranks was born June 27, 1945, in Philippi, Tennessee, the son of Robert Ranks and LaVern (Harris) Hollis. He married Janet Hall on November 5, 1972.

Mr. Ranks served in the United States Army and worked at Unimin for over fifteen years before his retirement. He enjoyed fishing and watching "The Young and the Restless".

Mr. Ranks is survived by his wife, Janet, of Cairo, his kitty cat, Callie, and numerous friends and relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Cremation rites have been accorded and a private inurnment will take place at a later date at the Mound City National Cemetery.

Crain Funeral Home in Cairo is in charge of arrangements.

To view the full obituary or to leave an online condolence for the family visit

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“ *William Wayne "Billy" Ranks*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Crystal Grace Baker lit a candle in memory of William Wayne "Billy" Ranks*



**Crystal Grace Baker** - September 20, 2019 at 08:06 PM



*Grew up knowing Bill and he was one good man who siure loved his wife*

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“ *So sorry Janet loved when u all came to visit U are in our prayers*

**Crystal Grace Baker** - September 20, 2019 at 08:06 PM