



Robert C. Thompson

October 30, 1935 - March 30, 2024

Robert C. Thompson

Passed away peacefully surrounded by family on Saturday, March 30, 2024 at Lightways Hospice, Joliet at the age of 88 years.

Born in Winslow, Indiana the son of the late Alfred Carl and Ola Alice Thompson.

Loving Husband of Gayle Thompson (nee Padgett); Adored Father of Phyllis C. Thompson; Dear Brother of Mary (the late Bud) Houchins; Fond Brother-in-Law to Larry (the late Carolyn) Gaines and Patty (Mark) Russell. Numerous Nieces, Nephews and Great Nieces and Nephews also survive as well as a host of Dear Friends and Neighbors.

Preceded in death by his Parents; his Mother and Father-in-Law, Harry and Edna Padgett;

Siblings, John, Ernest, Leo (the late Vera), Roscoe (the late Bettye), George (the late Selma), James (the late Garnett), Doris (the late Arvel) Norrington, Elva (the late Henry) Nixon, Jean (the late Robert) Benjamin, Sarah (the late Kenneth) Whitman and sadly several nieces and nephews.

Robert retired from Caterpillar Tractor Company, Joliet after 35 rewarding years of service.

He was a graduate of Winslow Indiana High School, Class of 1954.

Robert will be fondly remembered as a Loving Husband, Father, Brother,

Uncle and Friend. He was a skilled Woodworker and Gardener. He was an enthusiastic Fisherman and Bowler. An avid Sports Fan cheering on the Chicago Cubs and the Chicago Bulls. He was generous with his time serving the Channahon Community as a Boy Scout Scoutmaster and Basketball Referee for the Channahon School District.

Time may pass and fade away, but memories of you will always stay.

Visitation for Robert C. Thompson will be held on Friday, April 5, 2024 from 3:00 PM until Funeral Service at 6:15 PM at The Maple Funeral Home located at 24300 S. Ford Rd, Channahon. Per Robert's Wishes Cremation Rites will be accorded following Services and Interment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, The Thompson Family asks that you please consider memorial contributions to Lightways Hospice, Joliet.

Cemetery Details

Willard Grove Cemetery

Channahon , IL

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 5. 3:00 PM - 6:15 PM (CT)

The Maple Funeral Home
24300 West Ford Road
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<https://www.themaplefuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service for Robert C. Thompson will begin at 6:15 PM on Friday, April 5, 2024 at The Maple Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Bob is one of my little league coaches for baseball at Channahon. Fond memories I have and a story about hitting Billy Gans fastballs at the big field at Channahon and out to ST. Joe cemetery at Garnsey Field.*

James More - April 02, 2024 at 03:24 AM