



Joseph V. Morgan

March 2, 1927 - August 3, 2023

Joseph V. Morgan, 96 years and five months, of Boyd, passed away at 12:45 a.m., August 3, 2023, at Nature Trail Health and Rehabilitation Center, in Mt. Vernon.

He was born March 2, 1927, in Clay County, Illinois, to the late Perry and Bernice (Memmer) Morgan.

He was a veteran of the Second World War, serving in the United States Army, and stationed in Okinawa, Japan, following a stopover at the docks in Pearl Harbor. After his service in the military, Joe worked in a variety of occupations and applied his skills in farming, factory work, and in security for Joy Manufacturing of Mt. Vernon. In his retirement years, Joe became an accomplished and talented wood craftsman.

Joseph Morgan is survived by his sons, Larry W. Morgan of Dix, and Ronnie J. Morgan of Kankakee; second wife, Stella Patterson (Puckett) of Kankakee; niece, Charlene R. Morgan of Mt. Vernon; nephew, Dale E. Morgan and wife Rosemary of Bluford; cousins, Sally M. Smith, Eddie L. Smith, and Edna K. Smith of Florida, and Clyde Hall and wife Virginia of Mt. Vernon.

In addition to his parents, Joe was preceded in death by his grandparents, Peter Memmer, Jr. and Rachel Memmer (Seesongood), and Harriet Ann Cook and Lewis Charles Morgan; brother, Charles E. Morgan; sister-in-law, Arlene Morgan; uncles, Willie J. Memmer, Frank F. Memmer and wife Hazel, George H. Memmer, and Johnny L. Memmer; aunts, Josephine K. Barnett (Memmer), Ellerea C. Hall (Memmer) and husband Clyde Hall, Sr.; his first wife, Betty J.

Hutchins (Robison); and wife, Alice R. Morgan (Marteeny).

Funeral services for Mr. Morgan will be held at 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 8, 2023, at the Osborn Funeral Home in Dix, with Jonathan Schnautz officiating. Burial will follow at Little Grove Cemetery in Walnut Hill, Illinois. Visitation will be held Monday, August 7, 2023, from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m., at the funeral home. Online condolences may be made at www.osbornfuneral.com, or on the Osborn Funeral Home Facebook page.

Cemetery Details

Little Grove Cemetery

Walnut Hill, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 7. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Osborn Funeral Home
322 North Main Street
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Funeral Service

AUG 8. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *This face brings back a lot of memories that i had almost forgot. Joe was one of the nicest guy and best people you could ever meet. I worked at Joy in the 80's and he would call us for breakdown to coal mines and was always the best when he would ask if you would want to take the run or not. I am sure all the warehouse guys that are still around remember Joe. Glad to see he had a long and productive life and have a family that can very proud of what he had accomplished in life.*

Gary Cole - August 04, 2023 at 07:57 PM