



Paul Ray Duncan

May 6, 1945 - April 24, 2018

Paul Ray Duncan, 72, of Kell, passed away at 7:25 p.m., Tuesday, April 24, 2018, at Barnes-Jewish Hospital in St. Louis, Missouri.

He was born May 6, 1945, in Salem, the son of Herman Admiral and Gladys Irene (Powell) Duncan. On May 30, 1964, at Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church, he married Stella Finn, and she survives.

He graduated from Salem High School, and was a member of Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church. He worked as a truck driver for Egyptian Concrete for 23 years. Mr. Duncan was an avid fisherman, hunter, and outdoorsman.

In addition to his wife, Stella Duncan of Kell, he is survived by three sons, Tony Duncan and wife Susan of Iuka, Rick Duncan and wife Kim of Kell, and Doug Duncan and wife Tiffany of Kell; nine grandchildren, Jason Gillespie, Ericka Duncan, Shianna Duncan, Kaleb Bracken, J.D. Sullivan, Ursa Matlock, Cody Hesper, Jacob Hesper, and Nikki Hesper; ten great-grandchildren; two sisters, Dorothy Goostree and husband Zane of Salem, and Brenda Ray and husband Kenny of Dyersburg, Tennessee; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; twin sister, Pauline Sands; and one brother, Leroy Duncan.

Funeral services for Mr. Duncan will be held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, April 28, 2018, at Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Rte. 161 Extension, Iuka, Illinois, with Pastor Randy Hayes and Pastor Lance Tate officiating. Burial will follow at Pleasant Grove Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 5:00 p.m. to

7:00 p.m., Friday, April 27, 2018, at Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church. Memorials may be made to the Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church, and will be accepted at the service, or by mail to the Osborn Funeral Home, P.O. Box 130, Dix, Illinois 62830. Online condolences may be made at www.osbornfuneral.com, or on the funeral home's Facebook page.

Cemetery Details

Pleasant Grove Cemetery

Iuka, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 27. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church
Iuka, IL

Service

APR 28. 10:30 AM (CT)

Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church
Iuka, IL

Tribute Wall

DB

“ *i will always cherish the time i had with paul as a young boy growing up.thinking of the fun we had on all those coon hunts.*

don brumfield - April 26, 2018 at 07:04 PM

TC

“ *Teresa C. purchased the With Distinction for the family of Paul Ray Duncan.*



Teresa C. - April 26, 2018 at 05:46 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Paul Ray Duncan.*



April 26, 2018 at 04:43 PM



“ 37 files added to the album Life Tributes



Osborn Funeral Home - April 26, 2018 at 02:30 PM

SC

“ Salem Tire Center purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Paul Ray Duncan.



Salem Tire Center - April 26, 2018 at 01:41 PM

TP

“ Paul Ray took Terry and I out behind Gladys and Herman's house to a big grown up field. We must have been 6 or 7. Paul gave Terry and I each a grocery sack and told us to hold the sacks high in the air. Paul said I'll run down and flush the Snipe and they will fly right into our sacks. We were sure we would catch them and we waited and waited, with our sacks high in the air. We finally gave up and went back to the house, to find everyone laughing, especially Paul.



Tommy Powell - April 25, 2018 at 11:51 PM