



Frank Stuart Dickey Jr.

February 22, 1934 - December 15, 2019

Age 85, of Braceville, IL passed away Sunday, December 15, 2019 at Amita Health St. Joseph Medical Center in Joliet, IL. Born February 22, 1934 in McPherson, KS to the late Frank, Sr. and Helen Dickey. Frank grew up in Boston, MA and was proud to have been accepted into the Boston Latin High School. He retired from Caterpillar Tractor Manufacturing Company in 1989 after thirty-one years of employment and was active in the Caterpillar Retiree Group. Member of the Grace Lutheran Church in Wilmington and the Chevy Corvair Owners Club. Frank was an active and proud supporter of Alcoholics Anonymous at the Braceville and Wilmington groups. He was known for his love of sports, he was an avid Boston Red Sox and New England Patriots fan. He was always hopeful to one day watch the Boston Red Sox and Chicago Cubs in the World Series, but maybe one day his grandchildren will be able to witness it for him. Surviving are his wife of thirty-six years, Doris (nee Hoffman) Dickey of Braceville, whom he married April 29, 1983 in Joliet; one son, Frank "Skip" (Karen) Dickey of CO; two daughters, Laurie Wickstrom of CO and Cheri Dickey of TX; one step-son, Dean (Kyle) Cuning of Reddick, IL; two step-daughters, Lori (Willie) Quigley of Braidwood and Donna Cuning of Chicago, IL; nine grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and numerous nieces and nephews. Preceding him in death were his parents; one step-son, Tom Cuning; his four-legged companions, Clifford, Toby, and Dudley; and two brothers, Bob and David Dickey. Visitation for Frank will be at the R.W. Patterson Funeral Home & Crematory, Braidwood, Friday, December 20, 2019

from 4-7 p.m. with the funeral service beginning at 7:00 p.m. Cremation rites will be accorded following services. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in his name may be directed to the Grace Lutheran Church: 907 Luther Dr., Wilmington, IL 60481. For more information and to visit his online guestbook, please log on to www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com or find us on Facebook.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **20**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

R.W. Patterson Funeral Home
401 East Main St.
Braidwood, IL 60408
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Service

DEC **20**. 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

JU

“ Aloha Doris and family, Sending my sympathy on Frank`s death. I remember wishing Frank a Happy Patriots Day when it meant the baseball game and the marathon. He was a good Mended Hearts member and enjoyed our visit when you came to Maui. Malama pono, Judy Manthei

Judy - December 22, 2019 at 10:40 PM

JC

“ Dean, Kyle, Lori, Willie and family,

We are so very sorry for your loss. We are thinking of you and your whole family are in our prayers. The past memories will be so comforting to help you get thru this most difficult time.

Love,
Jim and Bev Chaney

Jim and Bev Chaney - December 21, 2019 at 02:07 PM

DC

“ Lori, Cheri and Skip I'm so sorry for the loss of your father. I hope that your memories help you as you begin to grieve his loss.

Donna Cuning - December 20, 2019 at 05:35 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Frank Stuart Dickey Jr..



December 20, 2019 at 11:53 AM

YL

“ Laurie, Cheri and Skip - I'm so very sorry for the loss of your father. The few times I met him, he was always kind and gracious to me. I believe his life shows that we can always change our path and that we are all children of God.
Love, Yvette



Yvette LaCroix - December 19, 2019 at 12:09 PM

MC

“ Meri Cunning lit a candle in memory of Frank Stuart Dickey Jr.



Meri Cunning - December 17, 2019 at 11:29 PM

JD

“ 🙏🙏 RIP Frank. My condolences to you Doris, Lori and family. I loved Frank, truly a great guy!
THANKS BE TO GOD!!



Jodi & Bill Dzak - December 16, 2019 at 05:43 PM