



Harold Humbert

March 10, 1925 - February 27, 2014

Harold "Babe" Humbert

Age 88, of Braceville, IL, passed away Thursday, February 27, 2014 at home. Born March 10, 1925 in Dwight, IL. He married Jean Lenzie September 25, 1953, in the backyard of his parent's home in Gardner, IL. Preceded in death by his loving wife, Jean on July 24, 1997.

His family consisted of five siblings, Frank "Bud " (Betty) Humbert, Lucille (Karl) Bookwalter, Margaret (Richard) Patton, Twilla (Corky) Margarone, Arden (Sandy) Humbert. Survivors include his children, Jane (Dave) Schnetlagie from Tennessee, Patti (Dave) Furlano from Braceville, Tim Humbert from Braceville, Bob (Wendy) Humbert from South Wilmington; four grandchildren, David Furlano from Braceville, Amanda (Adam) Chapman from New Jersey, Morgan and Luke Schnetlagie from Tennessee; and 1 great granddaughter, Chloe Furlano from Braceville; and many others who considered him, "Grandpa ".

Harold graduated from Reddick High School. He was a U.S. Navy WWII vet. He was a building trades instructor at GAVC. Harold was a member of the Wilmington Congregation of Jehovah 's Witnesses. Harold was known for his generosity and kind heart. He was an avid photographer, gardener and loved the outdoors.

Visitation will be Monday, March 3, 2014 from 3:00-7:00 p.m. with a memorial talk officiated by Mr. Bruce Jensen at 6:30 p.m. at the RW Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd. & Crematory, 401 E. Main St., Braidwood, IL. A luncheon to share in the celebration of Harold 's life with his family, will be served at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday at the Braceville Community Center on Mitchell Street. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to his family to be distributed according to his wishes.

R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd.

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Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 3. 3:00 PM - 6:30 PM (CT)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



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“ When I was 17 years old in 1976, I was coming home from working at Hen House in Gardner and my car broke down on Braceville Road. It was the middle of winter with about six inches of snow on the ground. We didn't have cellphones then, so I started walking. Mr. Humbert stopped and asked me if I wanted a ride. I said yes, could he take me to my uncle Bob McKinney's in Central City, so I could call my dad. He asked me if I was Dean's son and I said yes and he said I'll take you home to Coal City. The roads were covered with snow and slick, and he went out of his way to take me home. I am now 55 years old and have never forgotton the kindness he showed to me. My name is Rich McKinney and I felt that I needed to share this with his family and also offer them my condolences.

Rich McKinney - March 04, 2014 at 09:54 PM