



Harry Robert Roe

August 14, 1927 - February 1, 2012

Age 84, of Verona, IL, passed away Wednesday, February 1, 2012 with his family by his side at Morris Hospital in Morris, IL. Born August 14, 1927 in Braidwood, IL to the late Charles C. and Marie Josephine (nee Culley) Roe. A lifetime member of the United Methodist Church in Verona; he was also involved with the Methodist Men Group. Harry was President of the Grundy County Farm Bureau from 1961-1975. In 1996, he was awarded the Grundy County Farm Bureau Distinguished Service Award and most recently, in 2012, was awarded the Outstanding Farm Bureau Member Award. He was a member of the Illinois Corn Growers and Soy Bean Association and other various state organizations; a past member of the Grundy County Hospice and a former 4-H leader for Vienna Township. He enjoyed farming and raising hogs and for several years he enjoyed participating in the Heritage Tractor Drive. Harry was an avid sports fan and was known to never miss a local sporting event. His greatest joy in life was spending time with his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. Surviving were five children, David (Lauri) Roe of Verona, Linda (Nick) Kinsella of Morris, IL, Tom (Helen) Roe of Port Charlotte, FL, Randy (Julie) Roe of Verona, and Brett (Karen) Roe of Okawville, IL; twelve grandchildren; sixteen great-grandchildren; one sister, Lois (Jake) Volk of Regina, Saskatchewan; close friend, Carl Adams of Peoria, IL; and numerous nieces and nephews. Preceding him in death were his wife, Joyce (nee Starks) Roe, whom he married August 8, 1948 in Verona; one great-grandchild, Jayden Roe; two brothers, William and Chuck Roe; and

one sister, Margaret "Sis" Ruffino. Funeral services were at the United Methodist Church in Verona, Monday, February 6, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. Rev. Mark Amenda officiated. The organist was George McComb. The vocalist were Dave and Lori Ritter and the guitarist was Jake Raymer. The pallbearers were Shane and Brandon Gilbertson, Robert Kinsella, Ryan, Brian, Mark, and Christopher Roe, and Andrew Wright. Interment followed in Ward Cemetery in Verona. The visitation was at the R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd, Braidwood Chapel, Sunday, February 5, from 2-6 p.m.

Cemetery Details

Ward Cemetery

Ward Road
Verona, IL

Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album *Harry Robert Roe Video Tribute*



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