



Fred Kalhammer

December 14, 1933 - March 5, 2024

Fred Kalhammer, 90, of Manito, passed away at The Lodge, in Manito, at 12:30 a.m., on Tuesday, March 5, 2024. He was born December 14, 1933, in Springlake Township, to Fredrick and Anna (Werdinger) Kalhammer. He married Dolores Dickson on January 15, 1955, in Pekin. She survives.

Mr. Kalhammer is survived by his wife, Dolores, of Manito; one son, Scott (Deborah) Kalhammer, of Forest City; one daughter, Denise Howard, of Marquette Heights; six grandchildren: Adam Howard, Ashley Howard, Taylor Meyer, Nathan Kalhammer, Brea Rohn, and Rikie Rabbe; as well as seven great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents; two sisters: Mary (Bob) Becker and Ann (Fred) Shanklin; one brother, Frank (Mildred) Neulinger; as well as one son, Mark Kalhammer.

Mr. Kalhammer was a member of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, in Manito. He served in the US Army in Germany. He started his career in farming, and later worked for Caterpillar, Inc., from 1971 until 1988. In 1984, he purchased Manito Hardware, which he ran from 1984 until 2013. He served as a Village Trustee and was very community involved. He enjoyed decorating downtown Manito with flowers and Christmas trees.

A Funeral Mass will be held at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, in Manito, on Saturday, March 9, 2024, at 2:00 p.m., with visitation two hours prior to the services. Burial will follow the services at Meadowlawn Cemetery, in Manito. Hill Palmer Legion Post will provide military rites at the cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Forman Ambulance or Forman Fire Department. Online memorial messages may be left for the family at www.hurleyfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Meadow Lawn Cemetery

801 E. Meadow Lawn St.
Manito, IL 61546

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 9. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church
501 S. Adams St.
Manito, IL 61546

Funeral Service

MAR 9. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

JF

“ Joy Fischer lit a candle in memory of Fred Kalhammer



Joy Fischer - March 08, 2024 at 08:26 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Fred Kalhammer.



March 08, 2024 at 09:50 AM

JA

“ Delores and family, I'm so sorry for your loss. Fred was so dedicated in everything he did. I wish I had told him more often how much I loved his flowers downtown.

Jane Armbrust - March 07, 2024 at 10:28 AM

NM

“ You all are in my thoughts and prayers.



Nancy Morris - March 07, 2024 at 10:27 AM

RT

“ Rosie Tebben lit a candle in memory of Fred Kalhammer



Rosie Tebben - March 06, 2024 at 10:01 PM

SS

“ Steve Kim Singley sent a virtual gift in memory of Fred Kalhammer



Steve and Kim Singley - March 06, 2024 at 05:27 PM

LH

“ Larry Mary Hundt sent a virtual gift in memory of Fred Kalhammer



Larry and Mary Hundt - March 06, 2024 at 03:55 PM

MM

“ So sorry to all of you for your loss.
. Tim & Marsha McDonough

Marsha McDonough - March 06, 2024 at 03:20 PM

JS

“ Jackie Schier sent a virtual gift in memory of
Fred Kalhammer



Jackie Schier - March 06, 2024 at 03:14 PM