



John "Jack" Bacon

May 3, 1928 - March 21, 2018

John "Jack" Bacon, 89, of Tallula, passed away at his home on Wednesday, March 21, 2018. Jack was born on May 3, 1928 in Tallula; the son of the late Claude and Naomi (Gum) Bacon. Jack married Doris Emmett at Petersburg Christian Church on June 19, 1953. Jack proudly served his country in the Army from 1950-1952 during the Korean Conflict. After his service to our country Jack went on to work for 24 years at Coca-Cola in Petersburg, he was also a rural mail carrier in Petersburg, and owned and operated a body-paint shop in Tallula. Jack was a member and past commander of the Tallula American Legion, an avid St. Louis Cardinals fan who never missed a game, an accomplished bowler bowling 2 perfect games, and he also loved fishing and hunting.

Jack is survived by his loving wife of 64 years Doris, his children; Robert S. (Brenda) Bacon of Tallula, Randy Bacon of Tallula, Pamela (Stacey) Stigall of Petersburg, his grandchildren: Adam Robert (Natasha) Bacon, Randall Bacon, Brett (Amber) Bacon, Jessica (Joe) Hill, Jake Boeker, and Bradley Boeker, 13 great-grandchildren, a brother Joe Bacon of Tallula, as well as several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Jack was preceded in death by a son Allen Bacon, a daughter Cheryl Bacon, a sister Emma Lou Beers, and a brother Roy D. Bacon.

Funeral arrangements for Jack are under the direction of Hurley Funeral Home Petersburg. The family will receive guests at the funeral home on Saturday, March 24, from 10 am until the time of service officiated by Pastor Harold Hughes at 11 am. Burial will follow at Greenwood Cemetery in Tallula.

In lieu of flowers memorials in Jack's name may be made to the Tallula BLS.

Please visit Jack's online obituary at www.hurleyfh.com

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery - Tallula

Tallula, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Hurley Funeral Home - Petersburg
122 West Douglas Avenue
Petersburg, IL 62675
(217) 632-2500
<https://www.hurleyfh.com/>

Funeral

MAR 24. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *John "Jack" Bacon*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Bob, We are so sorry to hear of the loss of your father. May God give you comfort as we lift you and your family up in prayers. Steve & Sharon Allen*

Steve & Sharon Allen - March 26, 2018 at 11:56 AM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of John "Jack" Bacon.*



March 23, 2018 at 05:24 PM



“ *The Families of Nancy, Brenda, Darrel and Margie purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of John "Jack" Bacon.*



The Families of Nancy, Brenda, Darrel and Margie - March 22, 2018 at 10:52 PM

KH

“ Ken And Laquita Haynes lit a candle in memory of John "Jack" Bacon



Ken and laquita haynes - March 22, 2018 at 08:49 PM

JA

“ Jo Ann lit a candle in memory of John "Jack" Bacon



Jo Ann - March 22, 2018 at 08:13 PM

KH

“ Ken And Laquita Haynes lit a candle in memory of John "Jack" Bacon




Ken and laquita haynes - March 22, 2018 at 07:43 PM

CK

“ Cheryle Kaufman lit a candle in memory of John "Jack" Bacon



Cheryle Kaufman - March 22, 2018 at 06:57 PM

 Teresa
Cady
Bacon

“ Teresa Cady Bacon lit a candle in memory of
John "Jack" Bacon



Teresa Cady Bacon - March 22, 2018 at 06:45 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the
family of John "Jack" Bacon.



March 22, 2018 at 05:46 PM



“ So many memories from childhood I have of Uncle Jack and my
Dad Roy. From being at the body shop every night watching them
paint cars to going to the cabin every weekend watching them fish.
Having fun trying to interpret their language as they carried a
conversation using the word huh.... that only the both of them knew!
I know Uncle Jack is in a happy place hitting that fishing hole. My
heart and prayers go out to to Aunt Doris, Bobby, Randy, Pam
because I know how hard it is to lose your Dad.

Brenda Carper - March 22, 2018 at 02:15 PM

ES

“ *Elva Stigall lit a candle in memory of John "Jack" Bacon*



Elva Stigall - March 22, 2018 at 02:04 PM

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“ *So sorry for your lost. Prayers for the family. Elva Stigall*

Elva Stigall - March 22, 2018 at 02:03 PM

BP

“ *You were such a good hearted man and a great father-in-law. I remember all the great times we shared bowling in Pleasant Plains. You were a great grandfather to our boys. May you rest in peace until we meet again. Sending hugs and prayers for Doris and the family. You will be truly missed.*



Brenda (Bacon) Payne - March 22, 2018 at 12:36 PM