



John E. Roat

September 14, 1928 - May 7, 2019

John E. Roat, 90, of Havana passed away on Tuesday, May 7, 2019 at 5:22 a.m. at Mason District Hospital. He was born on September 14, 1928 to Henry and Julia (Hendricker) Roat in Havana. He married Phyllis Frampton on December 30, 1961 in Pekin, Illinois. She preceded him in death on January 13, 2014.

John is survived by his children Gordon (Lynne) Roat of Pekin and Gloria (Tony) Sanguedolce of Springfield, grandchildren Elena (Stephen) Adams, Zachary (Kara) Roat, Emily Roat, and Sophia Sanguedolce, and great-granddaughter Amelia Adams. He is also survived by his brother Dan (Eleanor) Roat, sister Carol Reedy, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, wife, daughter Cynthia Ruth Roat, brothers Gerald, Marvin, Paul, Roy, and Charles, and sisters Alice Murphy, Mildred Park, and Bess Wade.

John was a member of the Havana Church of the Nazarene. He attended Roat School and graduated from Havana High School. He served in the Army as Military Police in Germany. He was a lifelong farmer and was a member of the Mason County Farm Bureau and Irrigated Growers.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, May 11, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. at the Havana Church of the Nazarene with a visitation to be held two hours before from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Burial will follow at Laurel Hill Cemetery. Rev. Jim Buchanan and Pastor Sue Roat will officiate.

Memorial donations can be left in John's name to the Havana Church of the

Nazarene Building Fund. Online condolences can be left for the family at www.hurleyfh.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 11. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Havana Church of the Nazarene
328 S Broadway St
Havana, IL 62644

Funeral

MAY 11. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *John E. Roat*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Gloria & Gordon sorry to hear about your dad. I have some good memories about him.*

Robert Hahn - May 17, 2019 at 02:05 PM



“ *I have many pleasant memories of John and Phyllis, not only as patients, but also fond memories working for him on the farm while in High School. He was a respected member of our community. He will be missed.*

Tad A. Yetter, M.D.

Tad Yetter - May 11, 2019 at 07:21 PM



“ *Kristi Lawson lit a candle in memory of John E. Roat*



Kristi Lawson - May 09, 2019 at 06:11 PM

AA

“ Aunt Carol, Earl, Dawn, John, Celeste, Max & Addi purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of John E. Roat.



Aunt Carol, Earl, Dawn, John, Celeste, Max & Addi - May 09, 2019 at 02:32 PM

DE

“ Uncle John and Aunt Phyllis invited us to park the motorhome we were using outside their house when our family came for Roat Christmas years ago. We so appreciated their hospitality.

*Love and prayers for you all,
Dawn and Earl*

Dawn and Earl - May 08, 2019 at 06:10 PM

MF

“ It is so sad to hear of John's passing! He was a long-time friend of our family. May the Roat family take comfort in knowing he is with our Savior and we will be together again.

Marion Ogden & family. - May 08, 2019 at 04:03 PM

BW

“ So sorry to hear of Johns passing. I always enjoyed talking with him about the “old days” and he had a lot of wisdom! We know he is now rejoicing in the Lord! Praise God from whom all blessings flow!
Bill Weime Sierra Vista Az

bill weime - May 08, 2019 at 12:50 PM

LB

“ Love - Marshall & Beth purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of John E. Roat.



Love - Marshall & Beth - May 08, 2019 at 08:54 AM

DW

“ Sorry for your loss Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family



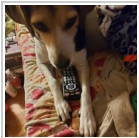
Dan and Chris Wilson - May 08, 2019 at 08:34 AM

KK

“ With sympathetic thoughts and prayers



Kraig Krause - May 08, 2019 at 07:37 AM



“ Nancy Elliott lit a candle in memory of John E. Roat



Nancy Elliott - May 08, 2019 at 07:19 AM

NW

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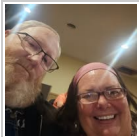


Nancy Wilson - May 07, 2019 at 11:59 PM

DG

“ Memories from David & Judy Glick: We were married in Jan 1965 and excited to share our 1st Christmas together. We cut our own tree at John's farm. So exciting to walk the land and see all the beauty of the trees. John didn't charge us, just said "Merry Christmas"! Only one special memory. He had a big heart. Our thoughts, prayers, and love to John's family.

David & Judy Glick - May 07, 2019 at 09:17 PM



“ John was always so friendly to my Dad and they really enjoyed seeing each other every Sunday. Now they will be able to see each other every day in glory. But I am so very sorry for your loss!

Se?urity Kline - May 07, 2019 at 04:37 PM

DR

“ So sorry for your loss

Debbie Rich - May 07, 2019 at 03:50 PM

LL

“ Love and prayers for the family of Bro. John. He's crossed the line of worlds.

Larry & Tamla Leckrone - May 07, 2019 at 02:57 PM

J(

“ Keeping your family in prayers Mrs. Sanguedolce. It's been a few years since you were my 6th grade teacher.



Jenny Kraft (Moore) - May 07, 2019 at 02:48 PM

DW

“ Sorry for your loss, John was a wonderful man. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family



Dan and Chris Wilson - May 07, 2019 at 01:32 PM

 Lisa Jill Ulrich Thompson

“ Our sincere sympathies to the family, Roger worked many years with John Roat!❤️



Lisa Jill Ulrich Thompson - May 07, 2019 at 01:26 PM

KM

“ Kevin L Miller lit a candle in memory of John E. Roat



Kevin L Miller - May 07, 2019 at 01:23 PM