



Lloyd Herman Behrends

December 24, 1934 - September 3, 2022

Lloyd Herman Behrends, 87, of Havana, passed away at 12:07 p.m., on Saturday, September 3, 2022, at St. John's Hospital, in Springfield, Illinois. He was born December 24, 1934, in Quiver Township, on the family farm, near Havana, to Franklin and Bertha (Deverman) Behrends. He attended Ebenezer Country School and then later Havana High School; graduating in 1952.

On October 26, 1956, he married Phyllis Malone at the First Baptist Church in Havana. From that union of almost sixty years, they had five children: Tami (Rick) Davidage of Havana, Tony Behrends of Springfield, Tara Behrends of Canton, Teresa Link of Havana, and Todd (Jamie) Behrends of Virginia. Also surviving are eight grandchildren: Leslie (Ken Espejo) Rivillo, James Walker, Jay (Kristy) Behrends, Adria Behrends, Morgan (Kris) Woll, Annie Link, Allison (Tyler) McGrew, and Nia Sanguedolce; as well as one great-grandson, Titus Espejo. Also surviving are two nieces: Carol (John) Breedlove, of Manito and Sally (Terry) Miller, of Morton. He was preceded in death by his parents, one sister, Beulah Lyons, one brother, Paul Behrends, wife, Phyllis Behrends, and one niece, Christi Lynn.

In 1955, he enlisted in the National Guard and was called to active duty in 1961-62. He was also a Quiver Township Trustee for twelve years, a member of Mason County Farm Bureau and American Legion Post #138, Havana.

Lloyd lived and farmed his entire life in Havana. He enjoyed restoring his International Harvester Tractor and riding it in local parades. While in 4-H, he was the first Mason County tractor rodeo winner, and came in fourth in the State of Illinois. He did this several years in a row. He retired from farming in 2002. Lloyd enjoyed family gatherings, watching Chicago Cubs baseball, going out to eat, and socializing. His favorite food was pizza and anything chocolate.

He was a life time member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, in Havana, having been baptized and confirmed at St. Paul's. He served as Sunday School Superintendent for two years and as a Trustee for four years.

Funeral services will be held at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, in Havana, at 11:00 a.m., on Tuesday, September 6, 2022, with visitation one hour prior to the services. Burial will follow the services at Laurel Hill Cemetery. Rev. Ian Heinz will officiate. Military rites will be provided by American Legion Post #138 and VFW Post #6408, Havana.

Memorial contributions may be made to Mason County Arts Council or University of Illinois - Mason County 4-H.

Hurley Funeral Home in Havana is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Laurel Hill Cemetery

1105 E Laurel Ave
Havana, IL 62644
(309) 543-2986

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St Pauls Lutheran Church
121 N Pearl St
Havana, IL 62644

Funeral Service

SEP 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

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121 N Pearl St
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Tribute Wall



“ *Lloyd Herman Behrends*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *We are sorry for your loss. Sincerely, Darell and Rosanne Sarff*

Rosanne Sarff - September 06, 2022 at 08:42 PM



“ *Jennifer Trimpe lit a candle in memory of
Lloyd Herman Behrends*



jennifer trimpe - September 05, 2022 at 08:19 PM



“ *I knew Lloyd through his son Todd. He was a quite gentleman who lead people by example of the way he lived his life. His son, Todd is one of my best friends. Todd is a great friend, great husband and outstanding father. From that I can tell that Lloyd must have been the same and passed all those qualities to Todd. I am sorry for his family's loss. God bless him and his family.*

Todd Turner and Family - September 05, 2022 at 01:12 PM



“ *So Sorry to hear of this. Lloyd was always a soft spoken, friendly man who would always take time to talk with you. He will be missed, but I'm sure he's loving the fact that he is with Phyllis again.*

james yaeger - September 05, 2022 at 11:24 AM



“ *Gail and I send our sincere condolences to the entire family.* ”



Robert Specketer - September 05, 2022 at 03:03 AM

BB

“ *So sorry for your loss. Mom and Dad always enjoyed their time spent with Lloyd. You all are in our thoughts and prayers.* ”



Bill Behrends - September 04, 2022 at 10:02 PM

RK

“ *Todd and Jamie, we send our sympathy to you.* ”



Richard and Annice Kammeyer - September 04, 2022 at 07:29 PM

SC

“ *So very sorry for your loss. May God's comfort and peace be with you.* ”

Shirlee Clark - September 04, 2022 at 05:29 PM

DW

“ Sorry for your loss Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family 8



Dan and Chris Wilson - September 04, 2022 at 09:52 AM

JE

“ Jeff Elam lit a candle in memory of Lloyd Herman Behrends



Jeff Elam - September 04, 2022 at 09:21 AM

LH

“ Larry And Mary Hundt sent a virtual gift in memory of Lloyd Herman Behrends



Larry and Mary Hundt - September 04, 2022 at 08:56 AM

LT

“ So very sorry for your family's loss! Lisa Thompson



Lisa Jill Ulrich Thompson - September 04, 2022 at 02:07 AM

JF

“ So sorry to hear of your dads passing. He was a sweet man and a great neighbor of my family for many years. He will surely be missed.

Thoughts prayers and condolences to you all.
Julie (Friedrich) Shults & family



Julie (Friedrich) Shults & family - September 03, 2022 at 10:25 PM

SL

“ Thoughts and prayers for all of the family!

Sheri Luft - September 03, 2022 at 09:31 PM

NE

“ To all the Behrends family, you are in my thoughts and prayers. Your father was a wonderful man.



Nancy Elliott - September 03, 2022 at 07:27 PM