



## Richard Knackmuhs

February 5, 1940 - August 30, 2023

Richard Dalton Knackmuhs, 83, of Manito, passed away Wednesday morning August 30, 2023 at

Hallmark Nursing Home in Pekin.

He was born February 5, 1940 in Pekin, Illinois to the late Eugene William and Dorothy Lucille (Durbin)

Knackmuhs. He married Charlene Rose (Marshall) Knackmuhs December 1, 1963.

Richard was a veteran of the US Army, a member of the Iron Workers Local #112 and the former owner operator of Pekin Bass and Bow Shop for over 20 years.

Richard enjoyed hunting and fishing, especially with his son Gregg. He loved to spend his days on his farm and was an avid fan of the St Louis Cardinals.

He is survived by his four children, Candy (Rob) Hill, Gregg (Alisa Rabb) Knackmuhs, Lynn Van Dyke and

Gina Richardson, all of Manito. His two grandchildren, Jaime (Brad) Crum, and Dalton Richardson and

great-grandchildren, Oakley Crum and Abraham Crum. Also surviving is his sister, Anita Crum.

Richard was preceded in death by his parents, Eugene and Dorothy, his wife Charlene, his mother-in-law

Dorothy Marshall and his brother-in-law Bob Crum.

Cremation Rites have been accorded and a graveside service with Military Honors will be held at

Meadow Lawn Cemetery in Manito on Thursday September 7, 2023 at 11:00 am.

Immediately following the services, lunch will be provided for friends and family at the Peoria

Sportsman Club, 6404 Bass Rd, Manito, IL 61546.

Friends and family may leave words of comfort and care by visiting [www.hurleyfh.com](http://www.hurleyfh.com)

Memorial Donations may be made to Peoria Sportsman Club

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

SEP 7. 11:00 AM (CT)

Meadow Lawn Cemetery  
801 E. Meadow Lawn St.  
Manito, IL 61546

# Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Lanette Crum lit a candle in memory of Richard Knackmuhs*



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**Richard and Lanette Crum** - September 07, 2023 at 02:02 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard Knackmuhs.*



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September 06, 2023 at 09:15 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Richard Knackmuhs.*

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September 05, 2023 at 05:33 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Richard Knackmuhs.*



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September 05, 2023 at 05:33 PM

DO

“ *Deepest sympathy to Richard's family. I will miss my helpful country neighbor.* ”

Deborah O'Shea - September 02, 2023 at 04:11 PM

CC

“ *Cheryl Cockerham lit a candle in memory of Richard Knackmuhs* ”



Cheryl Cockerham - September 02, 2023 at 03:52 PM

LH

“ *Larry And Mary Hundt sent a virtual gift in memory of Richard Knackmuhs* ”



Larry and Mary Hundt - September 02, 2023 at 08:21 AM

PJ

“ *Sorry for your loss, my condolences are with you.* ”



PJbAnderson - September 01, 2023 at 04:18 PM

LT

“ So sorry for your family during this difficult time!💜



**Lisa Jill Thompson** - September 01, 2023 at 04:04 PM

DH

“ Spent many enjoyable days hunting and training dogs with Richard. Prayers for the entire family. Carol and Dan Himmel

**Daniel Himmel** - September 01, 2023 at 03:14 PM

SS

“ Steve Kim Singley lit a candle in memory of Richard Knackmuhs



**Steve and Kim Singley** - September 01, 2023 at 02:02 PM

JS

“ Richard was a good neighbor. His presence will be missed. We send our deepest sympathy to the family. All of you are in our thoughts and prayers.  
Jim and Dorothy Shifflet

**Jim and Dorothy Shifflet** - September 01, 2023 at 01:53 PM