



## Robert W. Hayes

November 20, 1938 - September 19, 2022

Robert W. Hayes, 83, of Havana passed away at 1:03 p.m. on Monday, September 19, 2022 at St. John's Hospital in Springfield. He was born on November 20, 1938 in Peoria County to Paul and June (Gibbs) Hayes. He married Anna May Morse in Peoria on April 27, 1957. She preceded him in death on May 16, 2010.

Robert is survived by his children, Tammy (Jim) Farwell of Havana, Bobann Bashaw of Colorado, Lisa (Dwight) Kolves of Havana, and Robert (Renee) Hayes of Edwards, Illinois; nine grandchildren; and eleven great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents; wife; grandson, Josh Clayton; aunt, Virginia Adkins, who helped raise him; and sister, Nancy Jenkins.

Robert worked for Steamfitter #353 in Peoria for many years. He also owned Hayes Calls for several years, making duck, goose, and turkey calls. He was an avid hunter, fisherman, and outdoorsman, and was a member of Ducks Unlimited and the National Wildlife Turkey Federation.

Cremation rites have been accorded and a private family service will be held at a later date.

Memorial donations may be made in Robert's name to the local chapter of National Wildlife Turkey Federation, the Spoon River Gobblers in Canton.

Online condolences can be left for his family at [www.hurleyfh.com](http://www.hurleyfh.com).

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Robert W. Hayes*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Brenda Dudley lit a candle in memory of Robert W. Hayes*



**Brenda Dudley** - September 28, 2022 at 08:34 PM



“ *Jim Miles lit a candle in memory of Robert W. Hayes*

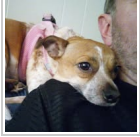


**Jim Miles** - September 24, 2022 at 02:22 PM



“ *Sending deepest sympathy to Bob's family. I knew Bob when growing up in Elmwood. He was a few years older than me and I always thought he was a cool guy. What a bowler he was ! Jim and Agnes Miles Brimfield*

**Jim Miles** - September 24, 2022 at 02:14 PM



“ Sorry to hear of Bob's passing. He was one of the best bowlers ever to bowl in Elmwood.

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**Ron Miles** - September 24, 2022 at 01:37 PM



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



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**Robert Specketer** - September 24, 2022 at 06:06 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Robert W. Hayes.



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September 23, 2022 at 10:01 AM



“ We are so sorry to hear of Bob's passing. He was truly one of a kind and a special friend to our family. Cheryl and Harry Ulrich

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**Cheryl Ulrich** - September 22, 2022 at 06:56 PM

ES

“ *Elva Stigall lit a candle in memory of Robert W. Hayes*



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**Elva Stigall** - September 22, 2022 at 03:04 PM

JM

“ *Joanna Mustered lit a candle in memory of Robert W. Hayes*



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**Joanna Mustered** - September 22, 2022 at 02:34 PM

RQ

“ *RON AND BARB QUINONES lit a candle in memory of Robert W. Hayes*



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**RON AND BARB QUINONES** - September 21, 2022 at 03:57 PM

LS

“ *Our very deepest sympathy to Bob's family. He was a great man. God bless you all. Alvin and Lorenda Spilker.*



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**Lorenda Alvin Spilker** - September 21, 2022 at 03:54 PM

DW

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



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**Dan and Chris Wilson** - September 21, 2022 at 10:10 AM

BL

“ *So sorry to hear about your dad, keeping you in our prayers. Becky and Larry Lilly*

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**Becky Lilly** - September 21, 2022 at 08:36 AM

MH

“ *Mary And Larry Hundt sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert W. Hayes*



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**Mary and Larry Hundt** - September 21, 2022 at 08:31 AM

DW

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



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**Dan and Chris Wilson** - September 20, 2022 at 08:21 PM

LT

“ *Sorry for your family's loss! He was a good man! Lisa Thompson*



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**Lisa Jill Ulrich Thompson** - September 20, 2022 at 03:24 PM

CS

“ *Courtney Session lit a candle in memory of Robert W. Hayes*



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**Courtney Session** - September 20, 2022 at 03:16 PM