

William L. Russell

July 9, 1941 - August 28, 2021

William Lewis Russell, 80, of Chandlerville passed away at Hannibal Regional Hospital in Hannibal, Missouri at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, August 28, 2021. He was born in Havana, Illinois to John Edwin "Gabe" and Marguerite Helen (Sarff) Russell on July 9, 1941. He married Dixie Lynn Ames in Canton, Illinois on January 3, 1959. They were married for 25 years and later divorced, however, they remained close friends. They had three daughters together. William is survived by his daughters, Pamela (David) Parrish and Paula Russell, both of Chandlerville; granddaughters, Carmen (Brian) Riebeling and Jaylin Parrish; grandsons, Robert (Missy) Oller, Russell (Jinger) Oller, Ryan Oller, Zachary Parrish, and Rhett Birdsell; great-granddaughters, Josalynn Oller, Alexis Guthrie, Ellie Riebeling, and Aria Birdsell; and great-grandsons, Ross Oller, Reese Oller, and Braxxton Birdsell. He was preceded in death by his parents, half-brother, Jack Russell, daughter, Sheana Russell, and companion of 17 years, Earlene Drew.

William attended church services at Hopewell Baptist Church and Mt. Olive Baptist Church. He had worked on the railroad, farmed, and as a pusher at local duck hunting clubs. He was a former State of Illinois employee, working on road construction and at Anderson Lake. He was the former owner of a gas station in Chandlerville. He also worked for Caterpillar. Most recently, he had worked as a security guard for Kraft Foods in Jacksonville.

Cremation rites have been accorded and graveside services will be held at Snicarte Cemetery on Friday, September 10, 2021 at 10:30 a.m. Rev. Mike

Hopps will officiate.

Memorial contributions may be made in William's name to Hopewell Baptist Church, Mt. Olive Baptist Church, or Seven County Kidney Fund. Online memorial messages can be left for his family at www.hurleyfh.com.

Lintner-Hurley Funeral Home in Chandlerville is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Snicarte Cemetery

Snicarte, IL 62617

Previous Events

Graveside Service

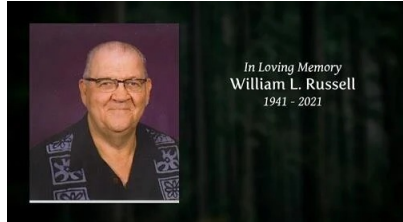
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Snicarte Cemetery
Snicarte, IL 62617

Tribute Wall



“ Hurley Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of William L. Russell



Hurley Funeral Home - September 07, 2021 at 10:29 AM



“ William L. Russell

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ Such a nice video!!!

Marsha Thomas - September 10, 2021 at 08:29 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of William L. Russell.



September 08, 2021 at 09:52 PM



“ My sympathy and prayers to you, Paula.

Marilyn Blakeley - September 06, 2021 at 12:01 PM

ME

“ *Our sympathy to Bill's family. Milton and Hazel Edge*

milton and Hazel. Edge - September 04, 2021 at 01:20 PM

MI

“ *So sorry for your loss 🙏 I always loved hanging out with your family!! Will keep you all in my prayers ❤️*



Mindy - September 02, 2021 at 08:09 AM

CC

“ *Thinking of all the fun we had together as kids. Prayers and hugs to all. Cindy Lascelles Chaffin*

Cindy Chaffin - September 01, 2021 at 03:55 PM



Rhonda Sanders

“ *Rhonda Sanders lit a candle in memory of William L. Russell*



Rhonda Sanders - September 01, 2021 at 03:50 PM

KR

“ *Kim Russell lit a candle in memory of William L. Russell*



Kim Russell - September 01, 2021 at 03:41 PM

MS

“ Sorry to hear about Bill's death, I am the only one, with him and his brother Jack who went through Bath at a 100 mile per hour! we laughed about that over the years, God Bless His Family.
Pastor Mike Stroh, Enon Missionary Baptist church
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Michael Stroh - September 01, 2021 at 01:51 PM

TR

“ So sorry to hear about your dad. He was such a nice guy. You are all in my prayers

tricia ruppel - September 01, 2021 at 10:29 AM

CS

“ Craig Schaeffer lit a candle in memory of William L. Russell



Craig Schaeffer - August 31, 2021 at 11:53 PM

TU

“ Traci Unruh lit a candle in memory of William L. Russell



Traci Unruh - August 31, 2021 at 08:04 PM

DW

“ *Sorry for your loss* ”



Dan and Chris Wilson - August 31, 2021 at 05:33 PM