

Robert D. "Bus" Mortensen

BIRTH 19 Apr 1919

DEATH 8 Oct 1998 (aged 79)

Hoopeston, Vermilion County, Illinois, USA

BURIAL Floral Hill Cemetery

Lovejoy Township, Iroquois County, Illinois, USA

MEMORIAL ID 37887939



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HOOPESTON - Robert "Bus" Mortensen, 79, of Hoopeston, died at 2:15 a.m. Thursday (Oct. 8, 1998) at his residence.

Born April 19, 1919, he was the son of Hawker and Nelle (Baxter) Mortensen. He married Bertie F. DeFevers on Dec. 12, 1949, at Watseka, Ill. She preceded him in death on March 20, 1986. He then married Esther Purdue Lane on Feb. 14, 1989, at St. Petersburg, Fla. She preceded him in death on Nov. 26, 1997.

Mr. Mortensen is survived by: one daughter, Connie (Jeff) Alkire of Hoopeston; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He was preceded death by his parents.

He had worked at the grain elevator in Rossville for 12 years. Mr. Mortensen had also worked at the Wheeler School at Riley, and had worked for R.A. Carlson Roofing of Hoopeston for many years. He enjoyed fishing and camping.

Funeral services: 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 10 at Brown-Alkire Funeral Home, 309 E. Washington St. Hoopeston; Officiating: Rev. Earl Eells; Burial: Floral Hill Cemetery in Hoopeston; Visitation: one hour prior to the services on Saturday at the funeral home; Memorials may be made to the Carle Hospice, 2300 N. Vermilion St., Danville, Ill. 61832.

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