



Donald Lee "Donnie" Clyden Sr.

August 27, 1936 - December 14, 2013

Donald Lee "Donnie" Clyden Sr., 77, of Hoopeston, IL, passed away at 3:19 P.M. Saturday December 14, 2013 at Carle Foundation Hospital in Urbana, IL. He was born August 27, 1936, in Hoopeston, IL, the son of Herbert Ervin and Flossie Mae (Allison) Clyden. He married Cindy Lou Rutledge on September 14, 1959 in Danville, IL. She survives in Hoopeston.

He is also survived by two daughters, Vickie (Roger) Beaty of Hoopeston, IL and Janet Doyle of Benton, IL; two sons, Donald (Betty) Clyden of Hoopeston, IL and Werner (Jo) Clyden of Cora Peake, North Carolina; one sister, Donna Wyant of Houston, TX; one brother, Marvin (Connie) Clyden of Sheldon, IL; 7 grandchildren, 3 step-grandchildren, 1 great-grandson, 4 step-great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; four sisters, Geraldine, Elsie, Elador and Lillian and two brothers, Gerald and Herbert.

Donnie worked at Joan of Arc in Hoopeston, which later became Pillsbury, for 41 years, before retiring in 1993. He was a very active member of the Chestnut Street Church of Christ in Hoopeston, where he served his church with countless hours of volunteering. He was also a member of the Hoopeston Masonic Lodge #709. Donnie enjoyed raising Homing Pigeons, fishing and building things with his hands. He always enjoyed lending a helping hand and gave of himself unselfishly to others, but his greatest enjoyment was spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren. Donnie was a very kind and compassionate person and will be missed by all who knew him.

Memorials may be made to the Chestnut Street Church of Christ Building Fund 709 E. Chestnut St. Hoopeston, IL 60942.

Cemetery

Events

Floral Hill Cemetery
Hoopeston
IL, 60942

DEC 18 Visitation 04:00PM - 08:00PM

Anderson Funeral Home
427 E. Main St., Hoopeston, IL, US, 60942

DEC 19 Visitation 10:00AM - 11:00AM

Chestnut Street Church of Christ
709 E. Chestnut St., Hoopeston, IL, US, 60942

DEC 19 Funeral Service 11:00AM

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