

Preston Lewis Hedgecock

BIRTH 3 Sep 1905
Wellington, Iroquois County, Illinois, USA

DEATH 9 Feb 1985 (aged 79)
Potomac, Vermilion County, Illinois, USA

BURIAL Floral Hill Cemetery
Lovejoy Township, Iroquois County, Illinois, USA

MEMORIAL ID 11636641



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Preston L. Hedgecock, 78, of Potomac, died Saturday, Feb. 9 at his home following a sudden illness.

Born Sept. 3, 1905 in Wellington, he was the son of Lawrence and Mabel Mobley Hedgecock.

On Feb. 5, 1926 he married the former Laura B. Holcutt, who survives. Before retiring in 1965, he was employed for 37 years by John Deere Ironworks, Hoopeston. For a number of years, Mr. Hedgecock and his wife, were custodians of the Vermillion Fishing Club near Danville. They moved from Hoopeston to Potomac in 1968.

He was an avid fisherman and camper.

Mr. Hedgecock was a member of the Wellington United Methodist Church and a social member of the Hoopeston Veterans of Foreign Wars Post.

Survivors, in addition to his wife, include a son, Leroy of Momence; four daughters, Maxine Livingston of Hoopeston, Juanita Williams of Burbank, Calif., Mrs. Gene (Patricia) Short of Glendale, Calif. and Mrs. Walter (Shirley) Ruskowski of O'Fallon; 25 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren and a sister, Wilma J. Finehout of Mount Morris, Mich.

A brother and two sisters are deceased.

Services were held Friday, Feb. 15 in Hoopeston at the Brown-Alkire Funeral Home.

Burial was in Floral Hill Cemetery.

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Family Members

Spouse



Laura Belle *Hocutt* Hedgecock
1909–1999