

Charles "Bud" Edward Matthews

December 2, 1938 ~ March 5, 2017 (age 78)

Charles "Bud" Edward Matthews, 78, of Hoopeston, passed away at 11:40 p.m. Sunday, March 5, 2017, at Heritage Health, in Hoopeston. Mr. Matthews was born on December 2, 1938, in Rossville, Illinois, the son of Lawrence and Dorothy (Creamer) Matthews. He married Sharon Lucille Hilderbrandt, on November 23, 1981, in Hoopeston. She preceded him in death on June 30, 2013.

He is survived by one step-daughter- Misty Johnston of Hoopeston; one step-son- Mark Booth of Atlanta, Georgia; ten step-grandchildren; one brother- Harry (Lois) Matthews of Columbus, Indiana; three sisters- Alice Wagoner of Hoopeston, Rose Watson and Judy Johnson both of Danville; and several nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents, wife, one brother- Henry Matthews and four sisters- Jerry Anderson, Betty Buhrmester, Irma Norris and Beverly Hiser.

Bud worked for the City of Hoopeston Street and Alley Department for several years, until he retired in 1996. He enjoyed playing poker, playing scratch off lotto tickets and driving his scooter chair around downtown. Graveside services for Charles "Bud" Matthews will be held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, March 11, 2017, at Floral Hill Cemetery, with Pastor Micah Mobley officiating. According to his wishes cremation rites were accorded by the Blurton Funeral Home. The family has entrusted the Blurton Funeral Home to assist them in honoring Mr. Matthews's life. Memories or photos may be sent to the family on his memorial page at: www.blurtonfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Floral Hill Cemetery

Hoopeston, IL, 60942

Graveside Service

MAR 11. 10:00 AM

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