

Jack D. Rhodes

December 22, 1928 - January 1, 2015

Jack D. Rhodes, age 86 of Higginsville, Missouri died on Thursday, January 1, 2015, at Lexington Memorial Hospital.

Born Saturday, December 22, 1928 in Lexington, Missouri to Homer Rhodes and Minnie Lizzie (Strader) Rhodes. He and LaVerne M. Harms were united in marriage on August 23, 1958.

A graduate of Higginsville High School, Jack was a farmer and lived in rural Corder, Missouri until moving to Higginsville in 1998 when he retired. He was currently serving on the Corder Bank Board of Directors, and previously served on the West Central Electric Cooperative Board of Directors. He was a member of the Higginsville American Legion Post #223 and the Corder Lions Club. He also served on the Corder Picnic Association for many years. He was a member of Grace United Methodist Church in Higginsville and an Army veteran.

He is preceded in death by his parents, two brothers; Cecil Rhodes and Kenneth Rhodes; and two sisters; Thelma Knipmeyer and Kathryn Conzelman.

Surviving are his wife, LaVerne M. Rhodes of the home in Higginsville; one son, Stan (Vicky) Rhodes of Corder; one daughter, Jackie (Jeff) Wright of Fremont, Missouri; two sisters; Virginia Hines of Pleasant Valley, Missouri and Martha Williams of North Kansas City, Missouri; sister-in law Jean Rhodes of Lexington, Missouri; five grandchildren, Bailey (Atticus) Dyer, Mason Rhodes, Spencer Rhodes, Madie (Dane) Plymell and Beau (Katie) Ryun; three great-grandchildren, Roman Dyer, Ian Dyer and Marley Plymell.

A Funeral service will be at 10:30 A.M. on Monday, January 5, 2015 at Grace United Methodist Church, 16 W. 15th St. Higginsville with Rev. Terry Cook officiating and Sharon Pragman, organist. Interment will be in the Higginsville City Cemetery. Pallbearers are Mason Rhodes, Spencer Rhodes, Beau Ryun, Atticus Dyer, Dane Plymell and Dave Schreiman.

The family will receive friends from 5:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. on Sunday at Hoefer Funeral Home, 1600 Main St., Higginsville, Missouri. Memorial contributions may be made to Higginsville American Legion Post #223 or the Corder Lions Club.

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.hoeferfuneralhome.com

Comments



Jackie we are so sorry...we are sending our sincere condolences to your family during this difficult time and praying Gods blessings on your broken hearts...love ya Katie and Randy

Katie and Randy Barnes - April 28, 2018 at 10:26 AM



I am grateful for the life of Mr. Rhodes. Thanks to his service and to the service of others in our armed forces, my family and I have been able to lead our lives in freedom and peace.

Bob - April 28, 2018 at 10:26 AM



I am so sorry....I am just finding this sad news out today. My heart goes out to Mrs. Rhodes and the rest of your family. What a sweet man he was...he always had the nicest words to share. I will miss seeing him around the neighborhood. I am so sorry...

Susan Otero - April 28, 2018 at 10:26 AM



Just learned the passing of Jack today...My thoughts and prayers are with LaVerne, Stan and all the family.

Wally Hulver - April 28, 2018 at 10:26 AM