



Gene E. Linenfelser

October 14, 1934 - January 4, 2013

Gene Elmer Linenfelser, age 78 of Highland, IL, died Friday, January 04, 2013, at Saint Joseph Hospital in Highland, IL.

He was born October 14, 1934, in Alhambra, IL, the son of Elmer H. and Myrtle (nee Owens) Linenfelser.

On January 17, 1959, he married Joyce Ann Bargetzi who survives.

He was a member of Saint Paul Catholic Church. He was also a member of Life Member to Lee Iten American Legion Post #439 (Past Commander) American Legion District 22 Commander Life Member to Highland VFW Post #5694.

Gene was born in Alhambra and was a 1952 graduate of Highland High School. He worked at McDonald Douglas as an Electronics Tech and attended Belleville Jr. College. He served with the US Air Force with duty in England and Azores from 1957 to 1961. He then worked at Magnavox in Urbana for 10 1/2 years and moved back to Highland in 1971 to work at Broadway Battery & Tire. He then drove a truck over the road for Horn Trucking, Kustermann Trucking, Kreider Tank Truck Co. and Truck Centers and retired in 1996. He enjoyed bowling, and any type of machine or engine he could take apart or repair. He also enjoyed time in front of his computer and TV.

Survivors include :

Wife - Joyce A. Linenfelser nee Bargetzi, Highland, IL

Daughter - Tracey J. (Robert) Goestenkers, Pocahontas, IL

Daughter - Trudy J. (Oscar) Linenfelser-Guerra, Miami, FL

Grandchild - Dane G. Firkus, Dallas, TX

Grandchild - Kyle R. Goestenkers, Pocahontas, IL

Grandchild - Che' C. Guerra-Linenfelser, Miami, FL

Grandchild - Levi R Goestenkers, Pocahontas, IL

Brother - Junior L. (Mildred "Millie") Linenfelser, Marine, IL

Sister - Velma J. Schope, Grimes, IA

Nieces and Nephews - Many

He was preceded in death by :

Father - Elmer Harry Linenfelser (DOD 8/21/63)

Mother - Myrtle Linenfelser, nee Owen

Step Mother - Martha Linenfelser, nee Borst

Brother - Nelson H. Linenfelser