



## George B. Shaw

July 9, 1941 - August 19, 2020

George B Shaw, age 79 of Greenville, IL, died Wednesday, August 19, 2020, at his residence in rural Greenville, IL.

He was born on July 09, 1941, in rural Pocahontas, IL, the son of Earl and Marie (nee Stueber) Shaw.

On Saturday, August 11, 1962, he married Shirley Y. Martin at Pocahontas, Illinois.

He was a member of United Methodist Church, Pocahontas, IL. He was also a member of Gordon Masonic Lodge #473 in Pocahontas and Ma Cli Bo Shriners.

George was born and raised on a farm, which is now a Family Centennial Farm. He graduated Greenville High School and continued to farm. He worked as a general contractor and later started his own business, G. Shaw Construction. After retirement he became the Building and Zoning Administrator for Bond County, the Village of Pocahontas and Sorento. George enjoyed getting out in the woods, hunting, restoring a 55 Chevy and a John Deere tractor.

Survivors include:

Wife - Shirley Y. Shaw, nee Martin, Greenville, IL

Son - George Mark Shaw (Partner Charles Vandergrift), Rehoboth Beach, DE

Grandchild - Lillie Ellen Shaw, Hampden, NC

Grandchild - Daniel William Larkin Shaw, Hampden, NC

Sister - Judith E. (Ken) Lockwood, Chesterfield, MO

Brother In-Law - James F. "Max" Clements, Highland, IL

He was preceded in death by:

Father - Earl E. Shaw

Mother - Marie H. Shaw, nee Stueber

Son - Martin Earl Shaw - Died 10/01/1983

Sister - Margorie M. Clements

Arrangements are being handled by Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 PM on Tuesday, August 25, 2020, at Greene Cemetery in Pocahontas, IL, with Rev. Ray Snider, officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to Shriners Hospitals for Children or United Methodist Church in Pocahontas, IL.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My deepest condolences. Some of my best times & memories were at the cabin for the Shaw Reunions. I am glad I was able to reconnect with family. It has meant the world to me to have gotten acquainted & to be welcomed by George & his family. I regret not having made a trip there as I had planned but the best of plans sometimes just never materialize. RIP, Cousin George!!*

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**Sheryl Stookey** - August 30, 2020 at 08:38 PM

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“ *Our deepest sympathy for your loss and wonderful memories of wienie roast and picnics we had at your place. Thanks for being great friends.  
Lois and Tom Stiles*

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**Lois and Tom Stiles** - August 25, 2020 at 02:52 PM

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“ *My Deepest Sympathy for your Loss Prayers*

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**Chris Atchison** - August 24, 2020 at 08:02 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of George B. Shaw.*



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August 23, 2020 at 06:24 PM

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“ Mary Gaffner and family purchased the Garden Accent Stone - "Wherever a Beautiful Soul..." for the family of George B. Shaw.



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**Mary Gaffner and family** - August 22, 2020 at 08:31 PM



“ Comfort & Light 30" Sonnet was purchased for the family of George B. Shaw.



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August 21, 2020 at 07:39 AM

CB

“ Shirley, so sorry to hear of George's passing. I know the last couple of years have been tough. George was truly a delightful person and we always enjoyed talking with him

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**Charlotte Bair** - August 20, 2020 at 06:31 PM