



Harry R. Buchanan

September 9, 1938 - March 6, 2018

Harry R. Buchanan, age 79 of Highland, IL, died Tuesday, March 06, 2018, at Highland Health Care Center in Highland, IL.

He was born September 09, 1938, in Vandalia, IL, the son of Fred E. and Helen (nee Copple) Buchanan.

On June 30, 2000, he married Katherine Ann Dillman at Bentonville, KY. She survives in Highland.

He was a member of Saint Paul Catholic Church in Highland, IL. He was also a member of K of C #1580 in Highland; former Toastmaster's Club, and a former Rotarian.

Harry was an only child born in Vandalia, IL and grew up in Mulberry Grove. He served in the US Army, discharged in 1964. After the service he worked as a Bond County Deputy Sheriff. He later worked at Tri Ford from 1970 until retiring in 1985 as sales manager. He then worked at Aviston Lumber, then drove for IT Corp. Zeilinske & Associates and part time at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home. He was a woodworker and craftsman making wind chimes that he tuned himself. He loved to cook.

Survivors include :

Wife - Katherine A Buchanan nee Dillman, Highland, IL
Daughter - Lisa M. (Life Partner Richard Stockmann) Buttry, Saint Louis, MO
Daughter - Laura J. (Lester) Maue, Belleville, IL
Grandchild - Nicole Kreiter
Grandchild - Joshua (Nikki) Kleinik
Grandchild - Teagan Buttry
Grandchild - Bennie Buttry
Grandchild - Nicholas Brooks
Grandchild - Jessica Maue
Grandchild - Tapanga Maue
Great Grandchild - Cameron Kreiter
Great Grandchild - Jullian Kreiter
Great Grandchild - Lorelei Knieke
Great Grandchild - Josephine Kleinik
Great Grandchild - Natalie Maue
Great Grandson - Maue
Great Grandchild - Paige Hummel
Great Grandchild - Dylan Hummel
Step Child - Annette M. Burlingame, Sorento, IL
Step Child - William R. Duckworth, Valparaiso, IN
Step Child - Margaret E. (Bob) Connors, Edwardsville, IL
Step Child - Gena L. (Spouse Dawn Walter) Duckworth, Imperial, MO
Step Child - Clay Maurer, Highland, IL
Step Child - Ashley (Charles) Hummel, Highland, IL
Step Grandchild - Kelsi Waugh
Step Grandchild - Payton Connors
Step Grandchild - Madie Connors
Step Grandchild - Sophia Duckworth
Step Grandchild - Austin Duckworth
Step Grandchild - Kole Walter
Former Wife - Jo Ann M. Mettler, Belleville, IL

He was preceded in death by:

Father - Fred E. Buchanan - Died 4/25/2003

Mother - Helen L. Buchanan, nee Copple - Died 5/2/2004

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

Visitation will be held at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL on March 21, 2018 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Family or Mass.

Tribute Wall

ER

“ Enjoyed talking and working with Harry at the Homestead Harvest Day's. He was a great and fun man. Love my wood items he had made. God gained another angle. My thoughts and prayers to his wife and family.

Ellen Reinacher - March 09, 2018 at 06:29 PM

FP

“ I will never forget Harry. He taught me a great piece of cooking.

Father Peters - March 08, 2018 at 09:25 PM

DH

“ Harry was an amazing man! We enjoyed time spent with him at Harvest Days. Our thought and prayers are with your family.



Delray and Connie Hug - March 08, 2018 at 06:09 AM



Thanks for your thoughts and prayers we appreciate your kindness.

Laura Maue - March 08, 2018 at 01:12 PM

LK

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you as you remember and celebrate Harry!*

*Larry Kramer and Family
Class of '56
Mulberry Grove High School*



Larry and Sue Kramer - March 07, 2018 at 08:07 PM

SG

“ *Sandy Gentry sent a virtual gift in memory of Harry R. Buchanan*



Sandy Gentry - March 07, 2018 at 05:43 PM