



Wallace P. Schrumpf

January 19, 1923 - January 22, 2011

Wallace P. "Wally" Schrumpf, age 88 of Highland, IL, died Saturday, January 22, 2011, at his residence in rural Highland, IL.

He was born on January 19, 1923, in Highland, IL, the son of William and Caroline (nee Kraus) Schrumpf.

On June 13, 1945, he married Shirley Mae Zobrist who survives.

He was a member of Grantfork United Church of Christ. He was also the Grantfork UCC Sunday School Superintendent; Woodmen of the World Camp 105; Highland Sportsman Club; Madison County Fair Association; Madison County Farm Bureau; 4H Leader; American Hereford Association.

Wallace was born at home, and lived in the same house for 88 years on Deck's Prairie. He attended Giger School, and he has farmed his entire life. He helped build most of the buildings on his farm. He was known as the "Governor of Deck's Prairie". He served as Saline Township Road Commissioner for 12 years. He enjoyed playing horseshoes, baseball, cards, hunting, fishing, showing Hereford Cattle, dancing, and making sausage, and was a Big Cardinal Fan. He was an avid mushroom hunter and enjoyed checking out the neighborhood on his "Gator".

Survivors include :

Wife - Shirley M. Schrumpf nee Zobrist, Highland, IL

Son - Dennis L. (Mary) Schrumpf, Godfrey, IL

Son - Ronald W. (Pam) Schrumpf Sr., Highland, IL

Son - Dale A. \"Gabe\" (Special Friend Linda Radcliffe) Schrumpf, Highland, IL

Son - Terry D. \"Giz\" (Pamela) Schrumpf, Highland, IL

Daughter - Sandra A. (Alan) Poletti, Troy, IL

Grandchild - Patrick L. (Keri) Schrumpf

Grandchild - Nathan L. (Meghan) Schrumpf

Grandchild - Eric B. (Elizabeth) Schrumpf

Grandchild - Blake A. (Significant Other Katelyn Zumwalt) Schrumpf

Grandchild - Ronald W. (Melissa) Schrumpf Jr.

Grandchild - Katie M. Schrumpf

Grandchild - Elizabeth M. \"Beth\" Schrumpf

Grandchild - Gabriel L. (Jennifer) Schrumpf

Grandchild - Danielle M. (Josh) Thompson

Grandchild - Michelle S. Schrumpf

Grandchild - Colby D. (Lindsey) Schrumpf

Grandchild - Justin D. (Jessica) Schrumpf

Grandchild - Jennifer A. (Scott) Herman

Grandchild - Stefani S. Poletti

Grandchild - Melissa D. (Ryan) Cates

Grandchild - Amanda M. (fiancee Andrew Romanitis) Poletti

Grandchild - Brittany L. Poletti

Great Grandchildren - Seventeen .

Sister - Leila (Jackson \"Jack\") Kirchhoff, Arnold, MO

He was preceded in death by :

Father - William Oscar Schrumpf died 4/3/83

Mother - Caroline J. Schrumpf, nee Kraus died 3/12/55

Step Mother - Louise L. Fruitiger Schrumpf nee Lorenz

Step Brother - Delmar Fruitiger died 1964

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