



Harvey John Blumhorst

September 29, 1940 - May 13, 2014

Harvey J. Blumhorst
1940-2014

Funeral Mass for Harvey J. Blumhorst, age 73 of Malden, IL., will be at St. Louis Roman Catholic Church in Princeton Saturday, May 17, 2014 at 10:00 am. Father Jeffrey Stirniman will officiate. Burial will follow in the Malden Cemetery on May 17, 2014. The family will receive friends on Friday, May 16, 2014 from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm at the Norberg Memorial Home in Princeton, IL.

Harvey Blumhorst passed away peacefully at home on Tuesday, May 13, 2014 in Malden, IL. He was born on September, 29, 1940 in Tiskilwa, IL to Harvey H and Virginia 'Pat' (Zurliene) Blumhorst. He was raised in Malden. He met his wife Ethel Danielson while attending Malden high School where they were Homecoming King and Queen before graduating in 1958. They were married in St. Louis Catholic Church on July 1st, 1961, nearly 53 years "traveling lifes' road together".

A lifelong truck driver, Harvey drove for several companies over the years. His last trip was for Sondergroth Trucking in December of 2013. Harvey found joy in many things like coaching Pony League baseball and going to 2 o'clock coffee at the Coffee Cup. But, he was most fond of watching his grandkids grow-up and going to their sporting events and any activity involving his

grandchildren. He will be remembered for his sense of humor and his quiet generosity.

Harvey is survived by his wife Ethel and their four children Brian (Patti) of Mendota, Kyle (Alisa) of Rochester, IL. Troy (Krista) of Dover, DE., and Tonya (John) Yetter of New Douglas, IL. One brother survives, Paul (Betty) Blumhorst, Yuma, AZ. Also surviving are 17 grandchildren, Chance, Brianne, Trae, Nicole, Ross, Roger, Breanna, William, Christopher, Shane, Theo, Shamon, Isaac, Kaycee, Mayanna, Brandon and Robert.

Mr. Blumhorst was preceded in death by his parents, several aunts and uncles, 2 brothers-in-laws, a niece and a nephew.

Memorials may be directed either; to St. St. Louis Catholic Church, or to Special Olympics.

Arrangements have been accorded thru Norberg Memorial Home. Online condolences may be submitted at www.norbergfh.com .