



Neil Howard Genslinger

January 9, 1930 - June 28, 2024

Princeton - Neil Howard Genslinger, affectionately known as "Bub," passed away on Friday, June 28, 2024, at Country Comfort in Princeton, IL, surrounded by his loving family.

Bub was born on January 9, 1930, in Princeton, IL, to the late Clarence and Margorie (Howard) Genslinger. Bub was raised by his Foster Parents, John and Tina Taylor. Bub graduated from Malden High School with the Class of 1948 and married the late Bonnie Grabill on September 16, 1949, who preceded him in death on November 19, 2007.

Throughout his life, Bub held various roles including working at Malden Oil, Princeton Tire, and owning his own tire business. He served as the Road Commissioner for Berlin Township and dedicated most of his life to the betterment of his community. He volunteered as a firefighter for the Malden Fire Department for over 40 years. Bub's passion for community extended to coaching Little League Baseball for 25 years and being an active member of the Moose Lodge.

In his leisure time, Bub enjoyed coon hunting and gardening, pursuits that brought him joy and relaxation. He was a devoted fan of the New York Yankees, following their seasons with great enthusiasm. He loved fishing and being outdoors. Spending time with family was a given and he loved to teach

younger generations how to catch the big one, or the bigger one that got away.

The family would like to extend their heartfelt thanks to the staff at Country Comfort for the love and exceptional care they provided to Bub during his time there.

Bub leaves behind cherished memories and will be deeply missed by all who knew him. Survived by one son, Michael (Marsha) Genslinger of Princeton, IL; four grandchildren Cory Griffin, Erica (Jon) Sterling, Joe (Terri) Genslinger, Chad (Rebecca) Genslinger; Seven great grandchildren, two great great grandchildren; one sister Linda "Toots" Cumpston as well as numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

Preceded by his parents, Clarence and Margorie Genslinger, as well as his foster parents, John and Tina Taylor, his wife of 58 years, Bonnie Grabill Genslinger, four brothers, and one sister.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be directed to the Bonnie Genslinger Scholarship or the Malden Vets Club.

A visitation for Bub will be held on Saturday July 6, 2024 at Norberg Memorial Home, Inc. & Monuments from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Services to follow on Saturday, July 6, 2024 at 12:00 p.m. at Norberg Memorial Home, Inc. & Monuments.

Cremation Rites Accorded.

Online condolences may be directed to www.norbergfh.com

Arrangements by Norberg Memorial Home, Inc. & Monuments.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 6. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Norberg Memorial Home, Inc.
701 E. Thompson Street
Princeton, IL 61356

Funeral Service

JUL 6. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

MM

“ *Bub you are one of a KIND THE BEST KIND !!! Marjorie & Mike*

Marjorie Martin - August 01, 2024 at 05:22 PM

JO

“ *Rest in peace my cherished uncle. I'm sorry I will miss your service today. You're the only person who ever called me "Jackson" and took me coon hunting. I will never forget how much fun Kim and I had playing as youngster's while your house was being built. God Bless and Keep you. All my love Jackie xoxo*



jacquelin oconnor - July 06, 2024 at 07:18 AM

JL

“ *Bub was an amazing human with a heart of gold. So very grateful to be a part of his family. He will be sorely missed but forever loved and remembered.*

Justin Lienau

justin lienau - July 05, 2024 at 05:15 PM

MA

“ *What an amazing person and what a remarkable life. We were so lucky that Bub was a part of our family. He will be missed. Love, Maddison & Karter.*

Maddison - July 04, 2024 at 01:29 PM

CC

“ Curt and Maribell Cunningham purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Neil Howard Genslinger.



Curt and Maribell Cunningham - July 04, 2024 at 09:34 AM

RS

“ Rich and Donna Smerker purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Neil Howard Genslinger.



Rich and Donna Smerker - July 02, 2024 at 11:33 AM

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“ Rich and Donna Smerker planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Neil Howard Genslinger.

Rich and Donna Smerker - July 02, 2024 at 11:33 AM