



Wilbur B Duffield

January 21, 1930 - July 30, 2024

Murfreesboro, TN - Wilbur Bruce Duffield, affectionately known as Duffy or Skee, passed away peacefully on July 30, 2024, in Murfreesboro, TN. He was born on January 21, 1930, in Ohio, IL, to Harry and Florence (Eggimann) Duffield.

Duffy was a proud graduate of the University of Illinois. On November 25, 1949, he married Joan Marilyn Gibbs in Kasbeer, IL, and together they built a loving family and a life filled with joy.

A dedicated HVAC technician and electrician, Duffy worked tirelessly in his profession, earning respect and admiration from colleagues and clients alike. He was an active member of the Lions Club, where he contributed to his community with passion and dedication. He was known for his large slice of any type of pie, known as the Duffy cut, which also was about 1/4 of an entire pie. Other than his pie consumption, nothing meant more to him than the love of his family, especially all his grands and they loved him right back, Grandpa Duffy was where is was at.

In addition to his professional achievements, Duffy enjoyed gardening and woodworking, where he expressed his creativity and love for nature. His hands-on approach to life was a testament to his hardworking spirit and love for craftsmanship.

Duffy is survived by his children: Bruce (Margie) Duffield of League City, TX, Thomas Duffield of Murfreesboro, TN, Carol (Richard) VanPelt, Paradise, CA, Neil Duffield, Florida, Jackie (John) Johnson, Murfreesboro, TN, Dan (Beth) Duffield of Murfreesboro, TN; one daughter-in-law, Sandra Duffield of Louisburg, NC; thirteen grandchildren as well as numerous great grandchildren.

Preceded in death by his parents, Harry and Florence Duffield, his beloved wife, Joan Duffield, and one son, Tim Duffield.

Duffy's legacy of love, hard work, and community service will continue to inspire those who knew him. He will be greatly missed by his family, friends, and all who were fortunate to have crossed paths with him.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to the family for charitable distribution.

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

Services to follow on Tuesday, August 6, 2024 at Norbergs, officiated by Pastor Michael R Hickok at 12:00 p.m.

Graveside services to follow at Elm Lawn Cemetery in Princeton with words of comfort offered by Pastor Michael R Hickok.

Pallbearers: Boz Duffield, Elijah Johnson, John Pierson, Rick VanPelt, Andy Duffield and Tim Duffield.

Online condolences may be directed to www.norbergfh.com

Arrangements by Norberg Memorial Home, Inc. & Monuments.

Previous Events

Visitation

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

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

Funeral Service

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

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

Graveside Service

AUG 6. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Elm Lawn Memorial Park
North Knox Street
Princeton, IL 61356

Tribute Wall

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“ *USI Brentwood Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Wilbur B Duffield.*



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