



Gerald "Jerry" Thomas Williams

April 22, 1932 - January 31, 2019

Gerald (Jerry) Thomas Williams, 86, passed away Thursday, January 31, 2019 at River North of Bradley. He was born in Rockville Township Illinois on April 22, 1932, the son of Jacob and Hattie (Warner) Williams. Jerry married Rita Hunter on December 16, 1951 during a leave from the Naval Seabees. Besides his time in the military, he was a lifetime resident of Rockville Township, and was proud to be a farmer. In his younger years he enjoyed participating in tractor pulls. He also enjoyed bowling, camping, snowmobiling, and playing cards. As he grew older he became an avid reader and liked spending cold days in his rocker with a good book. His most pleasure, however, came from being a great husband, dad, and grandpa. Spending time with and helping his family was what mattered most.

Jerry is survived by his wife Rita, sons Michael (Cathie) Williams of North Judson, IN and Alan (Patty) Williams of Manteno, IL, a daughter Karen (Dave) Kentala of New Lenox, IL, and a daughter-in-law Jody Williams of Manteno, IL along with 14 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents, his son Dennis Williams. He is also preceded in death by 5 brothers Harold, Leo, Russell, Frank and Roy Williams and his sister Rita (Williams) Ghery.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, February 5, 2019 from 9am until the 11am funeral service at Schreffler Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. Burial will follow at Mound Grove Cemetery in Kankakee. Memorials may be made to the family

wishes.

Cemetery Details

Mound Grove Gardens of Memory

1000 N Greenwood
Kankakee, IL 60901

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 5. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Schreffler Funeral Home - Bourbonnais Chapel
1100 N. Convent St.
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 932-2421

Funeral Service

FEB 5. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Gerald "Jerry" Thomas Williams*

February 03, 2023 at 04:30 AM



“ *So very sorry for your loss. We will be unable to attend as we will be out of town but wanted to be sure to pass on our condolences. Barb and Jerry Jackson*



Barb Jackson - February 01, 2019 at 06:17 PM



“ *MR MRS sent a virtual gift in memory of Gerald "Jerry" Thomas Williams*



MR MRS - February 01, 2019 at 09:51 AM