



Milledge Wayne Dieckman

May 4, 1934 - June 15, 2019

Milledge "Wayne" Dieckman, age 85, of St. Anne, died on Saturday, June 15, 2019 at home. Wayne was born on May 4, 1934 in Metropolis, IL to George and Ollie (Craig) Dieckman. He proudly served his country in the United States Army. He married Charlene Burk on November 10, 1956. Charlene died on June 11, 2018. He worked for A.O. Smith and retired from Sherwin Williams. He also owned and operated Yard Man Wayne for over 20 years. He enjoyed landscaping and gardening.

Wayne is survived by one son, Mark (Dawn) Dieckman of Kankakee, IL; three grandchildren, Sydney Dieckman of Kankakee, IL, Gina Dieckman of MN and Graham (Kaitlyn) Dieckman of MN and two sisters, Opal May of Metropolis, IL and Dora Wrye of Metropolis, IL. He was preceded in death by his wife, Charlene one brother, Virgil Dieckman.

Vistiation will be held on Tuesday, June 18, 2019 from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Schreffler Funeral Homes, Kankakee Chapel. Cremation rites will be accorded following the services and inurnment will be on Thursday, June 20, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. at Kankakee Memorial Gardens.

Memorials may be made to the wishes of the family.

Cemetery Details

Kankakee Memorial Gardens

15 South 3000 E. Rd.
Kankakee, IL 60901

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 18. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Schreffler Funeral Home - Kankakee Chapel
1900 W. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-2421
<https://www.schrefflerfuneralhomes.com/>

Graveside Service

JUN 20. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

JY

“ Jack Young - I didn't find this until now when I asked my son-in-law to look Wayne up. My belated condolences to Wayne's family. He and I worked for A O Smith together in Kankakee one summer when we were in high school. We'd drive back to Metropolis every weekend - Wayne would drive so fast I thought we we'd never survive. We had one exciting night on Halloween when his new Ford ended up in the ditch. We had a lot of fun together - Wayne was a good guy. Jack Young of Metropolis.

Jack Young - October 23, 2023 at 08:54 PM



“ Milledge Wayne Dieckman

February 03, 2023 at 04:30 AM

JH

“ Milledge and his family were neighbors of my family. I went to Fairview school with him and his siblings. We had a meal at his house one Sunday, the first time I ever saw bought bread! Loved it. I moved away in 52 and lost contact with him and his family. My condolences to the family. John Hille



John Hille - June 20, 2019 at 12:23 AM

LO

“ No matter what the circumstance Wayne and Charlene were always a huge support system the heart of family members were felt strongly. Encouragement cards were sent and Prayer warriors were real also. Two hearts of Love will be missed greatly at Grace Baptist Church and two hearts are joined in Heaven with the Lord!
Prayers to the family and friends of Wayne Dieckman

Leila Owen - June 18, 2019 at 09:03 PM

HP

“ Wayne and Charlene were a big encouragement to me after I received The Lord Jesus Christ. They always had smiles and kind words. I will never forget that. What a blessing they were to many of us. May the Heavenly Father's comfort, grace, love, and peace be with the family now and in the days and weeks to come.

Helen Pombert
Jacksonville, FL

Helen Pombert - June 18, 2019 at 05:51 PM

MM

“ MR MRS sent a virtual gift in memory of Milledge Wayne Dieckman



MR MRS - June 18, 2019 at 09:22 AM