



Thurman L. "Mac" McMorris

August 4, 1931 - March 2, 2024

Thurman L. "Mac" McMorris Sr., age 93, of Kankakee passed away Saturday, March 2, 2024 at Citadel of Kankakee. He was born August 4, 1930 in Texas, the son of George & Hattie (Briggs) McMorris.

Mac worked at Martell's in Essex producing and manufacturing automotive parts for 32 years. He enjoyed boating, fishing, and motorcycles. Mac was an excellent gardener with a tremendous green thumb.

He is a veteran of the United States Army, proudly serving from 1948-1952.

Surviving are his children, Pamela Abbott of LA, Thurman Jr. (Cheryl) McMorris of LA, Cynthia "Candy" (Bob) Lawson of LA, and Tracey Goddard of Kankakee; one sister, Joyce (Clayton) Robinson of LA; one brother, Jerry McMorris of FL; many grandchildren; several great-grandchildren; two great-great grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. Mac is preceded in death by his parents, George & Hattie (Briggs) McMorris; one daughter, Jacqueline Lentz; one grandson, Travis Goddard; five sisters, Helen Fetcher, Eleanor McMorris, Inez Bull, Bobbie Williams, and Marlene Leard; and four brothers, Howard McMorris, David McMorris, Raymond McMorris, and Allen McMorris.

Burial will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, March 5, 2024 at Kankakee Memorial Gardens in Aroma Township.

Cemetery Details

Kankakee Memorial Gardens

15 South 3000 E. Rd.
Kankakee, IL 60901

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAR 5. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I care gave for Mac, for a bit. Took em mini golfing for his 90th birthday. Was a honor to know you Mac. ☐.

William Evans - January 05 at 01:46 PM

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“ I knew Mac from the time my dad Don Hall rented Joe Dayhoff's garage. Just a nice guy....Dan Hall

Dan Hall - March 05, 2024 at 12:49 PM