



## Budd Earl Meents Sr.

December 14, 1946 - November 21, 2019

Budd E. Meents Sr., 72, of Chebanse, passed away on Thursday, November 21, 2019 at Amita St. Mary's Hospital in Kankakee. He was born on December 14, 1946 in Kankakee, the son of Vernon Sr. and Bertha Christensen Meents. He married Rosalina Macapulay on October 12, 1968 in Bad Homburg, Germany.

Budd was a veteran of the United States Army. He was a heavy equipment operator and a computer technician. Budd enjoyed fishing, hunting, camping, and trap shooting. He was the Director, and was recently voted Vice President, of the Kankakee County Fair Board. Every winter, Budd would go house to house in his neighborhood plowing snow for others. He was a former member of St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church.

Budd is survived by his wife, Rosalina Meents, of Chebanse; one son and daughter-in-law, Budd Jr. (Butch) and Heather Meents, of Chebanse; two daughters and one son-in-law, Gracia Turner, of Chebanse and Sherri and Clayton Statler, of Kansas City, MO; seven grandchildren, Carter Turner, Carley Turner, Carson Turner, Jacob Meents, Kaedyn Meents, Saylor Statler, and Cooper Statler; four sisters and two brothers-in-law, Virginia Moore, of Crescent City, Jeannie and Al Mosier, of Yellville, AR, Peggy and Andy Grossi, of New Lenox, and Karen Sanchez, of Arizona; and one brother, Vernon Meents Jr., of Yellville, AR.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and one brother-in-law, Robert Moore.

Cremation rites have been accorded. A memorial visitation will be held from 9:00 am until the time of the 11:00 am memorial service on Tuesday, November 26, 2019 at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee. Deacon Patrick Skelly will officiate the service. Inurnment will follow at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood.

Memorials may be made to the wishes of the family.

# Cemetery Details

## Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 Hoff Road  
Elwood, IL 60421

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

NOV **26**. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home  
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# Tribute Wall

PF

“ So sorry for your loss. Gracia I know how much you meant to him. I remember speaking to him in high school and how concerned he was for you. Love & Blessing Paula Schoolman France (from Central High School)

Paula Schoolman France - December 01, 2019 at 07:13 PM



“ 63 files added to the album Life Tributes



Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes - November 25, 2019 at 03:45 PM

YR

Rosa, sorry to hear of Budd's passing. May God give you peace and comfort. Duane & Yvonne Rieder, Prairie Sam's Friends

Yvonne Rieder - November 27, 2019 at 09:55 AM

DV

Rose, so sorry for your loss. Condolences to you and your entire family, Dalia Vakselis

Dalia Vakselis - November 27, 2019 at 11:06 AM

DF

“Buddy was a wonderful person. He worked for my father in construction for many years, he was a person who could do it all, a trusted individual. The world is less with his passing. RIP, my friend.

David Frantz - November 24, 2019 at 02:28 PM

MD

“Maureen Dubuque lit a candle in memory of Budd Earl Meents Sr.



Maureen Dubuque - November 24, 2019 at 01:50 PM

MD

Budd was a good man who always reached out to help. I met him when the Village of Limestone was incorporated at the same time as Sammons Point. our world has lost a good one. Love and prayers 🙏 to his family...

Maureen Dubuque - November 24, 2019 at 01:56 PM

LC

“Linda K Carman lit a candle in memory of Budd Earl Meents Sr.



Linda K Carman - November 24, 2019 at 08:21 AM

LC

Rose and Family, Wishing you peace to bring comfort, courage to face the days ahead and loving memories to forever hold in your hearts.  
Linda

Linda K Carman - November 24, 2019 at 08:25 AM

LN

“ *Les & Greta Naese lit a candle in memory of Budd Earl Meents Sr.*



Les & Greta Naese - November 23, 2019 at 01:45 PM

LN

*Prayers for all of the family. Deepest Sympathy*

Les & Greta Naese - November 23, 2019 at 01:46 PM

PA

“ *PamKammann lit a candle in memory of Budd Earl Meents Sr.*



PamKammann - November 23, 2019 at 10:48 AM

PA

*So sorry for your loss. I'm your neighbor Kathy's friend .*

PamKammann - November 23, 2019 at 10:50 AM

DC

“ *So sorry for your families loss. He was a nice man. You have my deepest sympathy.*



Deidre Coble - November 23, 2019 at 09:25 AM

MM

“ *MR MRS sent a virtual gift in memory of Budd Earl Meents Sr.*



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**MR MRS** - November 23, 2019 at 08:22 AM