



## Edmond Irps, Jr.

January 9, 1938 - October 19, 2008

Edmond Irps Jr. -- Bourbonnais Visitation for Edmond K. Irps Jr., 70, of Bourbonnais, will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais, where services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday. The Rev. Allen Dace will officiate. Cremation rites will be accorded. Memorials may be made to the Community Foundation. He died Sunday (Oct. 19, 2008) at Provena Heritage Village, Kankakee. Mr. Irps was the former owner of Hobson Motor Sales in Clifton and First Autohaus in Bourbonnais. He was born Jan. 9, 1938, in Gilman, the son of Edmond Sr. and Mildred Claussen Irps. He was a 1955 graduate of Onarga Military Academy, where he won the Mentz Bench Award. He also attended the University of Illinois. He was a member of the Clifton Lions and was instrumental in the founding of Clifton Hospital. He enjoyed spending time with friends and going out to eat. Surviving are his wife, the former Joy Thompson, whom he married Dec. 1, 1990, in Bourbonnais; one son and daughter-in-law, Scott and Amanda Irps of Clifton; one daughter and son-in-law, Tari and Jon Olszewski of Clifton; four grandchildren, Tyler, Reid and Abigail Olszewski, and Ian Irps, all of Clifton; one sister and brother-in-law, Marla and Paul Warner of Arizona; and two nephews, Glen and Walter Shirley. Deceased are his parents and one sister, Jean.

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“ ME AND MARY'S PRAYERS ARE WITH THE WHOLE IRPS FAMILY, GREAT MAN THAT TAUGHT ME ALOT ABOUT THE CAR BUISNESS. HE WILL BE SADLEY MISSED##imported-begin##CRAIG LATTZ##imported-end##

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“ NULL##imported-begin##Craig, Kim & Lyndsey Morrison##imported-end##

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“ My sympathy to the family, especially Marla and Paul Warner.##imported-begin##Diane (Seibring) Nowicki##imported-end##

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“ NULL##imported-begin##Ray and Vickie Sandack##imported-end##

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“ MY CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY OF ED IRPS.ED AND I GO BACK MANY YEARS IN THE CAR BUSINESS AND HE WILL BE MISSED.SCOTT,I FEEL YOUR LOSS.SEE YOU IN DEC.IN ILL.MAY YOU FIND STRENGTH AT THIS DIFFICULT TIME.JOE##imported-begin##JOE LANOUE##imported-end##

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“ Joy, Tari and family,<br><br><br><br>I am so sorry to hear about your loss. I will never forget Ed's smile and laughter, or the love that Joy has for her "Eddie" It was always an inspiration to others. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.<br><br><br><br>All my Love,<br><br><br><br>Joanne##imported-begin##Joanne Bracken##imported-end##

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“ Joy,  
  
  
  
I did not hear of Ed's passing and only saw it in the newspaper this past Sunday. ĩ½Mike Yurkowski had told me last Saturday that Ed was not doing at all well. ĩ½It was good to see you at the Oktoberfest; I thought you looked lovely and at peace. ĩ½May you be surrounded by special family and friends who can ease your grieving period although, of course, you will need to feel the depth of the sorrow and loss which you now face. ĩ½Please accept my sincerest sympathy.  
  
  
  
Vicky McBurnie ĩ½ĩ½###imported-begin##Vicky J. McBurnie###imported-end##

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. ĩ½May he rest in peace.###imported-begin##Bob and Vicky Shell###imported-end##

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“ Scott & Tari,  
  
  
  
Our deepest condolences go out to you...Our thoughts and prayers to you and your family. ĩ½Had a chance to talk with your Dad a while back...had a big smile on his face and as jovial as ever. ĩ½He will be missed.###imported-begin##Jeff Caspary###imported-end##

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“ So sorry to see another sadness in this family. ĩ½Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.###imported-begin##Walt & LouAnn Barisa###imported-end##

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“ Joy, Tari and Scott and family...<br><br>We are so very, very sorry for your loss. i ½ You are all in our thoughts and prayers. i ½<br><br>Love you, <br><br>Ann, Adam and Drew i ½ i ½###imported-begin###Ann Offermann###imported-end##

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“ Tari and Scott,<br><br>My thoughts and prayers go out to both of you during this time.<br><br>Love ya,###imported-begin###Kelly Gaunce###imported-end##

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“ Our prayers are with you in your sadness. May God's loving arms hold you close and help ease the pain. May your fond memories bring smiles through the tears.###imported-begin###John & Mary Thomson###imported-end##

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“ i ½ i ½ Joy, i ½ We ar so sorry to hear of your loss. i ½ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. i ½ Russ and Bev Bufford###imported-begin###Russ and Bevufford###imported-end##

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