



John J. Mosier

June 19, 1924 - February 26, 2011

John J. Mosier, 86, of Chebanse, died Saturday (Feb. 26, 2011) at Provena Our Lady of Victory in Bourbonnais. Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday at the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee, where funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday. The Rev. Daniel Gansch-Boythe will officiate.

Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery, Chebanse. Memorials may be made to Provena Our Lady of Victory or to the United Church of Christ in Chebanse.

He was born June 19, 1924, in Axtel, Kan., the son of William and Georganna Dutour Mosier.

Surviving are his wife, the former Mary Elizabeth Bradley, of Chebanse, whom he married Dec. 24, 1948, at the United Church of Christ in Chebanse; one daughter and son-in-law, Kathy Jo and Richard Dennis, of St. Anne; one granddaughter, Joy Desiree Dennis; one sister-in-law, Foy Baker; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; three sisters, Mary Julia Mosier, Alice Domagala and Rose Mosier; and two brothers, Fred and William Louis Mosier.

Mr. Mosier retired from Otto Township as the maintenance man after 50 years, building and maintaining all the roads and bridges of Otto Township. He loved to share his stories of plowing through snowstorms to help stranded school buses, ambulances and cars, and always making sure the Otto Township overpass was clear. John also shared many stories of his adventure as a young man working as an oiler on the ore boat, The Harvester, that plied the waters of the Great Lakes. He loved working the land, whether it was the 120 acres of the former Mosier farm, or keeping his lawn and garden looking immaculate. John leaves a legacy of love for family and devotion to a job well done.

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Cemetery

Chebanse, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 2. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home
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Kankakee, IL 60901
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Funeral Service

MAR 3. 11:00 AM (CT)

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