



Kenneth F. Marcotte

July 18, 1922 - December 13, 2013

Kenneth F. Marcotte, 91, of Bonfield, passed away Friday (Dec. 13, 2013) at Illinois Veterans Home in Manteno.

He was born July 18, 1922 in Bourbonnais, the son of Ralph and Rosella Nourie Marcotte. He married Esther Walter Jan. 18, 1954, in Quincy.

He served in the U.S. Army during World War II.

Mr. Marcotte retired from Kankakee Roper after 22 years of service. He had also worked at Krozhlars for 25 years. He was a member of the Herscher American Legion. He also volunteered at Riverside Medical Center, Bourbonnais and Salina fire departments, enjoyed fishing, woodworking and helping with farming.

Surviving are his wife; sons, Joe and Fran Marcotte, of Lake Village, Ind., Richard and Peggy Sue Marcotte, of Manti, Utah, Walter Marcotte, of Bonfield, Roger Marcotte, of Bonfield; daughter and son-in-law, Bonnie and Alan Buckley, of Kankakee; sisters and brothers-in-law, Henrietta Chamness, of Bourbonnais, Pat Perreault, of Kankakee, Rose Longtin, of Bourbonnais; brothers and sisters-in-law, Rolland and Eleanor Marcotte, of Dugger, Ind., Eucharist "Mush" Marcotte, of Bourbonnais, and sister-in-law Mary Marcotte, of Bourbonnais; 12 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Phoebe Ealy; brothers, Ralph "Red" Marcotte, Brother in Laws - Francis "Foo" Chamness, Ambrose Perreault, Harold Longtin, Jim Ealy; and sister-in-law, Yvonne Marcotte; and a grandson, Benjamin Marcotte.

Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Maternity B.V.M. Catholic Church in Bourbonnais. The Rev. Jason Nesbitt will officiate. Burial will be in Memorial Gardens, Kankakee. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Illinois Veterans Home in Manteno, Hospice of Kankakee Valley or the Salina Township Fire Department.

Memorials may be made to:

Illinois Veterans Home at Manteno - www.vfwil.org/Manteno.asp

Hospice of Kankakee Valley - www.hkvcares.org

Salina Township Fire Department

Cemetery Details

Kankakee Memorial Gardens

15 S. 3000 E. Rd.
Kankakee, IL 60901

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **19**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home
1480 W. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Funeral Mass

DEC **20**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Maternity B.V.M. Catholic Church
308 E. Marsile
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 933-8285
<http://www.mbvchurch.org/>

Tribute Wall

SH

“ To the family of Kenneth Marcotte are prayers and sympathy are with you. The Family of Presence Our Lady of Victory are very close friends of Kenneth's brother ,Deacon Mush, and sisters, Henreitta, Pat and Rose. Blessings, Sister Martha Harrington, sscm

Sr. Martha Harrington, sscm - December 18, 2013 at 05:05 PM

DW

“ You are in our thoughts and prayers in this time of loss. We all know this happens but we never want it to, and there is nothing anyone can do to make the pain go away.
God bless you all. David & Neva Weedon

David Weedon - December 18, 2013 at 08:51 AM

RR

“ Prayers and sympathies for the entire family. I remember when Ken and Esther were like second parents to me. God Bless you all at this time. Robin Sue Ryan (Cramer)

Robin Ryan - December 16, 2013 at 06:41 PM

JS

“ Our thoughts and prayers for the family, we will be unable to come.
Jim and Ila Schultz




jim and Ila Schultz - December 16, 2013 at 12:23 PM

AL

“ You were such a great uncle, always showing us how much you loved us by pinching our toes! You'll be missed.



Annette Langellier - December 15, 2013 at 02:44 PM

 Debra Lester

“ Growing up, I remember all the good times we had at the Walter Christmas get togethers at his house. He was always laughing and carrying on. Such fond memories! You will be missed Uncle Ken.

Debra Lester - December 15, 2013 at 12:21 AM



“ We love you and will miss you, Uncle Kenny! It was a pleasure to know you! Hope you are enjoying a good game of cards up in Heaven tonight!

Melissa Marcotte - December 14, 2013 at 10:54 PM

MF

“ Mary And Pete Theisen And Family lit a candle in memory of Kenneth F. Marcotte



Mary and Pete Theisen and family - December 14, 2013 at 07:37 PM

MB

“ *Michelle Baldwin lit a candle in memory of Kenneth F. Marcotte*



michelle baldwin - December 14, 2013 at 01:55 PM

MK

“ *So sad to hear of Cut-Cut's passing. He was a vital part of The Main Street (Bourbonnais) Neighborhood Gang. Full of fun and life but good, good all the way...*

Mary Ann Kirsch - December 14, 2013 at 01:40 PM



“ *Denise Marcotte lit a candle in memory of Kenneth F. Marcotte*



Denise Marcotte - December 14, 2013 at 12:26 PM