



## Leonard G. Orwig

August 17, 2017

Leonard G. Orwig, age 86, of Kankakee, passed away Thursday, August 17, 2017 at Riverside Medical Center in Kankakee.

He married Valda Dillon on June 5, 1955 in Thawville. She preceded him in death on August 27, 2016.

Leonard was a retired farmer. He had been a master welder for Roper. He was an avid Chicago Cubs, Chicago Bulls, and Chicago Bears fan. He enjoyed gardening and loved attending and working at auctions.

He was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force.

Surviving are one son and daughter-in-law, Gary & Cindy Orwig of Kankakee; two daughters and one son-in-law, Lauri Orwig of Elgin and Cindy & Terry Conlon of Champaign; one sister, Carol Corner of Oregon; five grandchildren, Samuel & Kim Orwig of Georgia, Megan & Jefferson Reynolds of Minnesota, Lauren & Matt Panasevich of Missouri, Ryan & Audralee Conlon of Villa Grove, and Jonathan Conlon of Villa Park; and six great-grandchildren.

In addition to his wife, Leonard is preceded in death by his parents, Erwin & Emma Klaiss Orwig; five brothers; three sisters; and one son, Tim.

Cremation Rites have been accorded. A memorial visitation will be held 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 23, 2017 at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee, where the memorial service will be held at 11:00 a.m. Thursday, August 24, 2017.

Memorials may be made to the family wishes.



# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

AUG **23**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

## Memorial Service

AUG **24**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Leonard and Val are two of the best people this Earth will have ever carried. I hope they will be reunited joyfully with Tim who preceded them both so long ago. My condolences to the remaining family members, specifically Lauri. Tim and your parents have never been far from my thoughts.

*William Ross Shearer  
Lake Worth Florida*

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**William Shearer** - August 22, 2017 at 03:24 PM

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“ Your parents were always so friendly. I enjoyed visiting with them when I was staying at Ray and Mona's as a kid. As the years went by we saw each other less often but they always had something to say. When my husband passed away during a very nasty winter they came to his memoria even though the weather was awful. I never forgot that kind gesture. I am in Florida now or I would be at his services. My thoughts and prayers are with all of your family. I am Ramona's sister.

*Cherie Saindon*

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**Cherie Saindon** - August 22, 2017 at 07:07 AM

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“ Prayers for God's peace and comfort at this sad time.



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**Mary Thomson** - August 21, 2017 at 01:43 PM