



## Louis "Bud" Rouse

August 21, 1925 - January 15, 2024

Louis B. "Bud" Rouse, age 98, of Bradley, passed away Monday, January 15, 2024 at his home.

He was born August 21, 1925 in Rockville Township, the son of Charles & Blanche Deschand Rouse. He moved to Bradley soon after. After graduating from school, he enlisted in the U.S. Navy for 4 years, the U.S. Army for 16 years, and then the U.S. Airforce for 4 years. He retired in 1964. After retiring from the military, he moved back to Bradley and worked at various jobs and retired from the State of Illinois.

Bud married Hildagard Ullesperger in Germany in 1952. She preceded Bud in death on October 30, 2005.

Surviving are two sons, Louis W. Rouse (Loretta) of Limestone and Terry D. Rouse of Bradley; eight grandchildren, Ann Fann, Louis W. Rouse Jr., Jennifer L. Keast, Debbie J. Raines, Deena Rabideau, Chelle Wingo, Hollee Gaytan, and Austin Rouse; 17 great-grandchildren, and 9 great-great-grandchildren. In addition to his wife, Bud is preceded in death by one daughter, Patricia Launius; his parents; two brothers, Larry Rouse and Kenneth Rixie; two sisters, Vivian Dayhoff and Ardis Baker.

Visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. until the 12:00 Noon funeral service on Friday, January 19, 2024 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais.

Interment will follow at Bloom Grove Cemetery in Rockville Township.

Memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.



# Cemetery Details

## Bloom Cemetery

W. 8270N Rd.  
Manteno, IL 60950

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 19. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.  
295 Main St., NW  
Bourbonnais, IL 60914  
(815) 932-1214  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Funeral Service

JAN 19. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Always remember Bud for his great smile and sense of humor! You never could figure out what he would come up with next..he was very special.

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**Lyllette (Lou) Coy-Lamie** - January 17, 2024 at 08:11 PM