



Ralph L. Masters

August 1, 1937 - July 17, 2014

Masters, Ralph L. of Hamel, Illinois was born August 1, 1937 in Gideon, Missouri, to Theodore and Minnie (nee Tipton) Masters, and entered into rest, Thursday, July 17, 2014, at Hitz Memorial Nursing Home in Alhambra, Illinois at the age of 76 years, 11 months and 16 days.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Theodore and Minnie (nee Tipton) Masters, his wife, Helen Laverne (nee Stratton) Masters, son Bruce Masters, daughter Julie Masters and brother Lloyd Collins

He is survived by,

two (2) children, Larry (Donna) Masters of Hamel, Illinois and Steven Masters

five (5) grandchildren, Brandy Gieger, Stevie Masters, April (Chad) Bollmann, Angela (Robert) Wallace and Stephen (Lura) January

five (5) great-grandchildren, Colin, Brooklynn, Isabella, Cayden and Cameron

two (2) siblings, Bonnie (the late Cletus) Barker and Arthur (Faye) Masters

In-laws, Shirley (the late Phil) Winslow, Charlie (Helen) Stratton and James (Sharon) Stratton

Numerous of nieces and nephews and many other relatives and friends.

Ralph was passionate about GOLF.

Ralph L. Masters is fondly remembered and will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Memorial service will be held on Thursday, July 24, 2014 at 11:00 am at Salem United Church of Christ, 1117 West North Street, Alhambra, Illinois 62001. Memorials to Hitz Memorial Home, 201 Bell Street, Alhambra, Illinois 62001 and Hospice of Southern Illinois, 305 S. Illinois, Belleville, Illinois 62220. Family and friends can review and share stories, photos and condolences online at www.stlfuneral.com and follow details of this event and others in the community at

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“ *Ralph L. Masters*

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