



Kenneth E. Robbins

February 23, 1920 - September 28, 2010

WINCHESTER, Ind. – Kenneth E. Robbins, age 90, of Winchester, died Tuesday, September 28, 2010, at Reid Hospital. Born February 23, 1920, in Lynn, Ind., to E. Earl and Carrie Cooper Robbins, he moved to Centerville in 1925 and lived there until 2009. Kenneth was a 1938 graduate of Centerville High School. He was a veteran of the United States Marine Corps, serving in the Pacific during World War II. Kenny was a self-employed carpenter for 56 years. He was a member of Winchester Friends Church. Survivors include three sons, James Robbins (wife Carol) of Etna Green, Ind., Bruce Robbins (wife Linda) of Indianapolis, Ind., and Keith Robbins (wife Debbie) of Etna Green, Ind.; two daughters, Cathleen Spaulding (husband Dennis) of Portland, Ind., and Karen Edwards (husband Dean) of Winchester, Ind.; eight surviving grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife of 58 years, Nancy R. (Hanford) Robbins on March 30, 2006. Visitation for Kenneth E. Robbins will be from 12 to 2:00 p.m. Friday, October 1, 2010, at Mills Funeral Home, 405 East Main St., Centerville. A funeral service will be at 2:00 p.m. at Mills Funeral Home. Burial will be in Crown Hill Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to: Winchester Friends Church, 124 E. Washington St., Winchester, IN 47394. Condolences may be sent to the family via the guest book at www.doanmillsfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

DM

“ Bruce: My heart aches also for your loss. I miss both your parents but know they are in a better place now.

Dana Mason - October 23, 2010 at 10:20 AM

DH

“ Jim, Bruce, Keith, Cathleen, and Karen. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Sorry I could not be there with you at this sad time due to our being out of town. Jim it has been so good to talk to you lately. I have so many special memories of Kenny, it is hard to not smile at the thought. Love you all. Please keep in touch, Jim.
Delores (Dee) and Dick Hawkins

Delores Hawkins - October 03, 2010 at 10:15 PM

EH

“ MEMORIES JIM...YOUR DAD AND MOM AND MY MOM AND DAD WERE SUCH FRIENDS... I REMEMBER WHEN MY MOM AND MARY ADLINE JOHNSTON REMOLDED A HOUSE IN THE WOODS WHEN I WAS REALLY YOUNG. WE KIDS HAD TO STRAIGHTEN THE NAILS EVERY DAY... WHEN IT CAME TO PUTTING IN THE PLUMBLING AND ELECTRIC YOUR DAD CAME TO THE RESCUE FOR THEM AND FINISHED THE PROJECT... AS HE DID MANY TIMES WHEN MOM WOULD START SOMETHING THAT SHE COULDNT FINISH... OR WHEN DAD NEEDED ADVICE ABOUT SOMETHING YOUR DAD WAS ALWAYS THERE TO BAIL THEM OUT ... I WISH I COULD HAVE WISHED THE FAMILY IN PERSON, BUT I WAS SICK IN BED...GIVE MY BEST TO ALL THE FAMILY.. YOUR FAMILY WAS ALWAYS SPECIAL WHEN WE WERE ALLL LITTLE...

EDITH RHOADES HAMMOND - October 02, 2010 at 11:08 PM

C5

“ Jim and family we are saddened to learn of the death of your Father. Please know that we are with you in thoughts and prayer. Love to you and your family.

Class of 58 - October 02, 2010 at 11:45 AM

LB

“ Dear Robbins family, I have such fond memories of the Beals-Robbins gatherings in the past. Kenny was such a loving & great man to be around. You will all be in my thoughts & prayers as you adjust. I'm sure he's glad to be together with your mom again and that they are both smiling from above. love & hugs, Laura (Beals) Beeler

Laura (Beals) Beeler - October 01, 2010 at 03:47 PM

KW

“ Saddened by this news. We lived next door to Ken & Nancy until they built their new house. We hated to see them move. They both were there for us many times. Often I would seek advice from Ken on my remodeling & Nancy would often bring us some fresh baked goodies & check on us if we were ill. Wonderful, thoughtful, Godly people that we miss. Ken Van Winkle

Ken & Gail Van Winkle - October 01, 2010 at 10:11 AM

RP

“ We were saddened to hear the news of your father's passing, but rejoice in the fact he has a new home. He will be greatly missed.

Rob and Valerie Pearson - October 01, 2010 at 07:20 AM

CR

“ Dear Family, condolences to you all. Kenny and Nancy were a grand couple. I remember knowing his parents, Earl and Carrie when they lived on a farm south of Centerville, and E. Earl Robbins was the resident lawyer in Our Town. By some stroke of luck, I recall of having his desk to work at, when Joel and I were publishing the local weekly newspaper, The Crusader.

Carrol McConaha Rhodes - September 30, 2010 at 04:29 PM

ME

“ Cathleen We were so sorry to hear about your father. We are thinking of you and remembering your family in our prayers. See you soon. Love, Karen and Mike

Mike and Karen Evans - September 29, 2010 at 09:55 PM

TA

“ Dear Karen, Dean and family, we are so sorry for your loss. We love you very much and are thinking of you in this time. Isaiah 54:10 "Though the mountains be shaken and the hills be removed, yet my unfailing love for you will not be shaken nor my covenant of peace be removed," says the LORD, who has compassion on you. Love, Tom, Tina, Colt and Jewelia

Tom and Tina Austin - September 29, 2010 at 08:23 PM

CL

“ Dean, Karen, Jordan and Brock: Our thoughts are with you during this difficult time. Love and prayer, Cary and Mark

Cary Lankford - September 29, 2010 at 04:52 PM

DS

“ Cathleen, I am so sorry to hear about Kenney's passing. We were neighbors for so many years and I will always remember him as a kind man with such a warm smile. You were so blessed to hear him tell you how much he loved you on each visit to see him. He lived a long and happy life on this earth and was a man of great faith. I'm sure he is smiling now that he and Nancy are once again reunited. Please extend my condolences to the rest of the family, especially to Karen. I'm so glad that you and I got to spend some time together recently. May God lay his healing hand on each of you and ease your pain during your loss. You will all be in my prayers and may God bless. Love, Dianne

Dianne Seamans - September 29, 2010 at 03:22 PM

KC

“ Keith, All though its been years since I have seen you I wish to tell you how sorry I am to hear about your dad. I will keep you and Debbie in my prayers. Kathy

Kathy Hines Caldwell - September 29, 2010 at 12:07 PM

LC

“ Bruce & Linda: We extend our deepest sympathy to you and all your family. You will all be in our thoughts and prayers.

Larry & Sharon Collins - September 29, 2010 at 11:30 AM

JF

“ Cathleen and Karen, We are so sorry for your lose. Our prayers are with you and your families at this time. God Bless you all!!!

John and Theresa Fisher - September 29, 2010 at 09:32 AM

AK

“ *Kenny was a special guy. His warm smile and deep spirit made every encounter with him extraordinary. He and Nancy are treasured memories of mine. Bless his soul.*

Alan Kolp - September 29, 2010 at 08:50 AM

GH

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.*

Gil Alford and the staff of Mills Funeral Home - September 28, 2010 at 03:28 PM