



B.G. Sills

July 5, 1926 - October 29, 2008

Rev. B.G. Sills age 82 of Sterling died Thursday Oct 29, 2008 in his home. He was born July 5, 1926 in Valley Mills, TX the son of James C. and Nell (DeHart) Sills. He was ordained in the Presbyterian Church in 1962 retiring in 1990. He has since served as an interim pastor in several United Church of Christ assignments including Woodside Congregational United Church of Christ in Rockford until 2007. He was a veteran of the Navy during World War II and a member of the Masonic Order. He was married to Hilda Elaine Lair in Sterling, IL on Sept. 7, 2000. . He was preceded in death by 2 brothers. B.J. Sills and Jack Sills. He is survived by his wife of Sterling, step son Douglas (Greta) Lair of Rock Falls; 2 step grandsons Isaac Lair and Elijah Lair both Rock Falls and 1 brother James C. Sills Euliss TX. Cremation Rites have been accorded. There will be no services. Memorials have been established to the Salvation Army and the FISH food Pantry both in Sterling.

Tribute Wall



“ *B.G. Sills*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *B.G. Sills*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *I was very sorry to read of Rev. Sills passing. I met him at Woodside Congregational UCC. He was very sincere in his pastoring and a true servant of God. His council to me as I was facing a difficult time was helpful and heartfelt. He touched my life in a meaningful way, as I'm sure he did countless others. As God is surely rejoicing in Pastor Sills homecoming, may he comfort you in your grief.*

Kathy - October 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ I just found out about BJ's passing.

I am the eldest daughter of Reverend Henry J and Helen Jewel Holverson who lived in Amboy and served the churches there for many years.

BJ was an exceptional friend to them and the family. He was with them through many challenging times.

He participated in my Dad's 80th Birthday/Pastor Emeritus Service and both of my parents' Memorial Services.

He was a character, and very down to earth. I remember sitting with hiim and my Dad while my Mom was having eye surgery and listening to their wonderful dialogue.

He will be missed. He was a blessing in many people's lilves.

Love,

*Georgia Holverson Chilton**

Georgia Holverson Chilton - October 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM