



Edward Sylvester Haefner

October 20, 1939 - October 6, 2015

Edward S. Haefner, age 75, of Amboy departed this life Tuesday October 6, 2015 and joined our heavenly Father.

Ed was born at his paternal grandmother's house in Amboy on October 20, 1939, the son of Sylvester "Vet" and Elsie (Newhausen) Haefner. He lived in the Amboy/Walton area his entire life where he attended local schools. After graduation he served his country for three years in the United States Army spending a good deal of the time in France. Ed farmed and raised cattle, retiring in 2000.

Ed was married to Viva Bernice Moore Tait on her birthday April 10, 1964 at St. Patrick's Church, Amboy.

He is survived by his daughter Teresa Nancy Holman and grandson, Seth Ryder Holman both of Ocala, FL, his granddaughter Lacey (Dan) Royer, Dixon, and his great-grandson, Waylon Jackson Royer; two sisters Nadine (Henry "Larry") Knoll of Dixon and Kay (Elmer) Shaw of Amboy; one brother Melvin "Bud" Haefner of Las Vegas, Nevada; special friend, Nancy Estes of Amboy; Godson Jeff Shaw and Goddaughter Jerilee Knoll, among many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife who died January 10, 1984, his parents, his brother Donald, his sister Faye (Kenneth "Pete" deceased) Brooks, and sister-in-law, Norma Haefner; son-in-law William Holman.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, October 8, 2015, at St. Patrick Church, Amboy, with the Rev. Timothy Draper, Pastor,

officiating. Burial will follow in Prairie Repose Cemetery in Amboy with Military Graveside Rites by the Amboy American Legion. Visitation will be held on Thursday from 9:30 until 10:30 AM in the church. A memorial has been established. Arrangements were made by Mihm-Jones Funeral Home. Hospice Care was given by Serenity House, Oregon, Illinois.

Cemetery Details

Prairie Repose Cemetery

990 Rockyford Rd
Amboy, IL 61310

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 8. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

St Patrick Catholic Church Amboy
32 N Jones
Amboy, IL 61310

Service

OCT 8. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

St. Patrick Catholic Church in Amboy
32 N. Jones
Amboy, IL 61310
mail@stpatrickamboy.org
<http://www.stpatrickamboy.org>

Tribute Wall



“ *Edward Sylvester Haefner*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Edward Sylvester Haefner*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Edward Sylvester Haefner.*



October 07, 2015 at 10:34 AM



“ *Brian And Betty Morgan Lovett lit a candle in memory of Edward Sylvester Haefner*



Brian and Betty Morgan Lovett - October 07, 2015 at 08:38 AM