



## John Frybarger

September 1, 1925 - May 31, 2009

John S. Frybarger, age 83 of Harmon, died Sunday May 31, 2009 in his home. He was born in Oak Park, Illinois September 1, 1925 the son of Dr. Clarence and Elsie (Meissner) Frybarger. He was a locomotive engineer for the Indiana Harbor Belt Railway from January 25, 1947 until April 1978 when he retired. He was a veteran of the Navy serving during World War II. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Amboy and the Dixon American Legion Post 12. He married Betty Jane Kolze in Bensonville, Illinois November 13, 1948. She preceded him in death September 29, 1993. He was also preceded in death by 3 brothers and 1 sister. He is survived by 6 children John Glen Frybarger of Arlington Heights; Diane Lynn Frybarger of Knoxville, TN; Nancy Karen Zion of Orlando, FL; Larry Frybarger of Chicago; Marlene Frybarger of Hoffman Estates; Sharon Louise Frybarger of Schiller Park; 7 grandchildren; 3 great grandchildren; 1 sister Connie Bretz of Phoenixville, PA; 1 brother William Frybarger of Ft. Wayne, IN. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday June 3, 2009 at 10:00 AM in the First Baptist Church in Amboy with the Rev. Rocky Fritz, pastor, officiating. Burial with Military Graveside Honors will be at 2:00 PM in Mt. Emblem Cemetery in Elmhurst. Visitation will be held on Tuesday June 2, from 4:00 until 8:00 PM in the Mihm-Jones Funeral Home in Amboy. A memorial has been established to Hospice of the Rock River Valley.

# Tribute Wall



“ *John Frybarger*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *John Frybarger*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *Dad,  
Thinking of you today especially since your Birthday just passed---  
September 1st.  
All the baseball knowledge you recited to me, for hours, in the back  
yard in Harmon, Illinois will always live out in my memory forever.  
Just wished I would have taped all of this information. Then  
mentioning to me over and over again: How the Chicago Cubs lost  
the World Series, going 7 games; losing the World Series by a  
measly hit by Tiger Goose Gossage.*

*You were listening to the broadcast overseas on a big ship serving  
your country in the United States Navy serving as a Navy medic.*

*SALUTE TO DOCTOR CLARENCE FRYBARGER, your DAD, too!  
AMEN*

*LOVE YOU, DAD! Your first daughter, Diana*

**Diana Lynn Frybarger** - September 08, 2016 at 01:53 PM

BB

“ *My deepest condolences and prayers go to the family during this time of prayer and remembrance.*

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**Bob Boyle** - May 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

HF

“ *Please read this for me since I cannot be present:*

*Grandpa Fry, and now you are no longer in pain and you are with the Lord. Walk up in the heavens and keep an eye on us, we will see you when it is our time. You will be missed and in my heart always.*

*Love your grand-daughter Heidi and my son, Austin (your great-grandson).*

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**Heidi Anne Frybarger** - May 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM