



Morris N. Dalby Jr.

July 22, 1936 - February 17, 2024

Morris N. Dalby, Jr., 87, of Hampshire died peacefully February 17, 2024, surrounded by family.

He was born July 22, 1936, in Hampshire, the son of Morris and Agnes (Nielsen) Dalby, Sr.

Morris grew up on a dairy farm helping his parents with the many chores. Upon graduating from Dundee High School, he joined the Airforce and served four years. Shortly after, he married the love of his life, Marie. They started their family in Algonquin and then moved to Hampshire where they still reside. Morris had many hobbies, was full of energy, and family always came first. He will be missed beyond words and live on in the hearts of all who loved him forever.

He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Marie; his sons, Mark, Michael (Kimberly), Karl, Keith, Scott, Stephen (Susan); 12 grandchildren; 8 great grandchildren; sisters, Mary Graf, Rosa Short, Linda Bookman, and Kathy (Tom) Brown.

He is preceded in death by his parents; 1 brother; and 5 sisters.

Services will be held at 11:30 am on Friday, February 23, at First United Methodist Church, 207 Grove Ave. in Hampshire. Burial with Military Honors

will follow in the Hampshire Center Cemetery.

Visitation will be prior to services at the church from 9:30 – 11:15 am.

In lieu of flowers, memorials in his name may be directed to the church.

Cemetery Details

Hampshire Center Cemetery

17N002 Harmony Rd
Hampshire, IL 60140

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **23**. 9:30 AM - 11:15 AM (CT)

First United Methodist Church
207 E. Grove Ave.
Hampshire, IL 60140

Service

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Tribute Wall

KZ

“ Morris was my dad’s (Chester Swanson) cousin. They were very close since they were young, and always talked nonstop when they would see each other through the years... sometimes acting a bit silly. 🤔. Pop would have liked to have made it to the memorial service, but just isn’t up to traveling that far anymore. Our family is very sorry for your loss of such a dear man.



Kirsten Zellmer - February 27, 2024 at 10:11 AM



“ Sympathy Gift Vintage Wind Chime - "I Have You In My Heart" was purchased for the family of Morris N. Dalby Jr..



February 23, 2024 at 05:32 AM

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“ The Eaton Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Morris N. Dalby Jr..

The Eaton Family - February 23, 2024 at 05:32 AM

LH

“ *Lois and Don Hince planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Morris N. Dalby Jr..*

Lois and Don Hince - February 22, 2024 at 06:24 PM

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“ *The Choi Family purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Morris N. Dalby Jr..*



The Choi Family - February 22, 2024 at 12:00 PM

DJ

“ *My condolences to the Dalby family and friends. I hadn't seen Mo in quite a few years and believe it or not, I was just thinking of him a few hours before I got this notification. R.I.P.*

Darrel Johnson - February 21, 2024 at 07:49 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Morris N. Dalby Jr..*



February 21, 2024 at 03:27 PM

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“ *The Vogel Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Morris N. Dalby Jr..*



The Vogel Family - February 20, 2024 at 08:11 PM

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“ *The Vogel Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Morris N. Dalby Jr..*

The Vogel Family - February 20, 2024 at 08:11 PM