



Rollie Paul Greif

June 20, 1929 - July 14, 2021

Rollie Paul Greif, 92 of Marengo, died Wednesday, July 14, 2021, at Florence Nursing Home.

Born June 20, 1929, in Oconee, IL the son of Rollie Martin and Barbara (Krenline) Greif. He was the youngest of 10 children and served in the United States Army during the Korean Conflict, spending his time in Austria from 1951-1952. Married his loving wife of 70 years, Janet Gnakow-Nelson on May 14, 1951, in Aurora. Rollie was a farmer all his life, first farming in Sycamore from 1953-1959 and settled in on his own farm in Marengo from 1959 to present. He was an avid bowler, pinochle player and Chicago Cubs Fan. He was a kind and caring man who cherished his family and loved farming, he will be missed dearly.

Survivors include his wife, Janet of Marengo; children, Dave (Pamela) Greif, Deborah (Phil) Freund, Larry (Julie) Greif and Patrick (Kimberlee) Greif all of Marengo; 9 grandchildren; 16 great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his 9 siblings.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, July 20, 2021, in the Parish Hall of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 323 N. Taylor St., Marengo, from 9 a.m. until time of prayer at 9:45 a.m.

Funeral Mass will follow the visitation in church at 10 a.m. Interment will be held in Sacred Heart Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in his name to: Sacred Heart Catholic Church or St. Jude Children's Hospital.

Cemetery Details

Sacred Heart Cemetery

Marengo, IL 60152

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 20. 9:00 AM - 9:45 AM (CT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
323 N Taylor Street
Marengo, IL 60152

Prayers

JUL 20. 9:45 AM (CT)

Sacred Heart Church
323 N Taylor St
Marengo, IL 60152
(815) 568-7878

Mass of Christian Burial

JUL 20. 10:00 AM (CT)

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323 N Taylor Street
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