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Donald L. Uhl, 78, of Decatur, died Friday, March 20, 2009 in Decatur. Donald was born July 17, 1930, in Decatur, the son of Curtis and Alice Yocum Uhl. A U.S Army veteran of the Korean War, Donald worked as a mechanic for the U.S. Postal Service. He was a member of First Christian Church, N.A.R.F.E., life member of V.F.W. Post #99 and a member of the Military Order of the Cooties. Donald married Barbara D. Shonkwiler March 25, 1955 in Decatur.

Surviving is his wife of nearly 54 years, Barbara of Decatur; children: Mary husband, Phillip Short of Decatur, Curtis wife, Diane Uhl of Zion and Larry Uhl of Decatur; twelve grandchildren and three great grandchildren; sister, Barbara husband, William "Boots" Burgess of Decatur; many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Donald was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers.

The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 pm Monday, March 23, 2009 at the Moran & Goebel Funeral Home. Funeral service: 2 pm, Tuesday, March 24, 2009 in the funeral home. Interment will be in Hall Cemetery, Blue Mound with military rites conducted by the Macon County Honor Guard. Memorials: V.F.W. Post #99. The family of Donald L. Uhl is being served by the Moran & Goebel Funeral Home/Veterans Funeral Care, 2801 N. Monroe St. Decatur.



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RS

Rick And Jacque Sloan posted:

PLEASE ACCEPT OUR DEEPEST CONDOLENCES.I WORKED BRIEFLY WITH DON AT T THE GARAGE.
MT.ZION, IL US

March 25 at 7:00 PM

JJ

Jim And Marilyn Jordan posted:

Barbara,Mary,Larry,CurtisWe are really sorry to hear about the loss of your husband and dad. For many years you have lived on the next block from us – at least 45 – we have raised our families together – they have been friends as well as Donald and Barbara have been friends of ours. We will miss your husband and dad coming by in that black cadillac and waving and talking with us as he went by. He was a friend of ours as well as a good neighbor. He was always a joyful man – never saw him any other way. We are also hurt by YOUR loss. We lost a friend and neighbor who has been our friend for MANY years. Time takes a toll on all of us as we get older – our neighborhood is changing with the loss of GOOD neighbors like your husband and dad. Really sorry.Jim and Marilyn Jordan Decatur, IL US

March 21 at 7:00 PM

JF

Joe & Ellen Figura posted:

Ellen and I wish to offer our condolences and prayers to the Uhl family. Don was a gentle giant and we can't help but think of a passage from the book of John, 14.1-6.God Bless and Peace.Joe Figura Bozeman, MT US

March 21 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Donald by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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