



# Max Albert Napierski

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**M**ax Albert Napierski, 88, passed away on November 2, 2023, in Forsyth, IL in Hickory Point Christian Village at 7:33 AM.

Max was born to John A. and Harriett L. Napierski, on January 23, 1935, in Decatur, IL. He grew up in Mt. Zion and graduated from Mt. Zion High School. He joined the Airforce right out of high school where he spent time in Washington state and 2 years in Japan as a radar technician. After he got out of the Air Force, he went to work at A.E. Staley's where he completed his apprenticeship. He retired after many years of service at Staley's.

Max loved golf and basketball. He played basketball until his late 40s and was a lifetime golfer. He was an avid collector of antiques and loved his trips to the thrift shops and antique stores. The most important thing in his life was family. He took great care of his mother and was very close with his brothers. He loved his nieces and nephews like they were his own.

Max is survived by his brothers, John (Diane) D Napierski, Kent (Terri) Napierski, and many nieces and nephews.

Max was preceded in death by his parents.

The family would like to thank Christian Village for their love and care of Max.

A graveside service will be held on Thursday, November 9, 2023, at Macon County Memorial Park at 1:00 PM




# Events

**Max Albert Napierski**

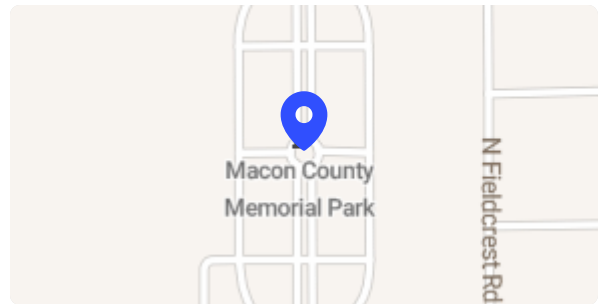
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## Graveside Service

 **Thursday**, November 9, 2023

 1:00 PM CT

 **Macon County Memorial Park**  
5700 West Main Street, Decatur IL 62537





# Tribute Wall

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**Dennis Strachan** posted:

Uncle Max was a favorite of my family, very nice to my wife Cheryl & son Vaughn. Max dedicated his life to take care of his Mother, our Aunt Harriett and we are very grateful & blessed for the weekly visits that brought joy to my Mother, his cousin Nelda. We love you Max, rest in peace, you will always remain in our thoughts and prayers.

November 8 at 3:32 PM



**Ray Steffen** posted:

Cousin Max had a great family spirit and we always looked forward to visiting he and the family. He was an accomplished sportsman at golf and in his early high-school was a great basketball player.. My dad would often take us to Mt Zion games to watch Max play and we'd root for him and for the home team!!So many memories in my heart. Say hi to your mom from Uncle George and cousin Ray.

November 7 at 4:57 AM



**Coralei R Roberts** posted:

Max and my brother, Glen Nihiser were great friends for many years. He always enjoyed getting together for the one room school reunions. You will be missed. Coralei Nihiser Hobson Roberts

November 6 at 11:49 AM



**Dennis, Cheryl & Vaughn Strachan** sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Napierski family.



November 6 at 7:38 AM



**Susan** posted:

He was an amazing cousin, friend and comfort to my Mom. She looked forward to and enjoyed the Friday visits. He will truly be missed.

November 6 at 6:42 AM



**Terri Napierski** November 6 at 9:29 AM

Thanks Susie!! They sure stayed good friends!! He loved those Fridays too!



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**Greg Sullivan** posted:

Max was a great guy. I worked at the Wabash Depot Antique store and Max would come in at least once a week if, for no other reason, that to shoot the bull. He used to play golf with my father in law. We had a lot of laughs and shared a lot of stories. He will be greatly missed. Max, you were one of a kind! See ya Pal!

November 5 at 9:41 AM



**Dwight And Melba Stockdale** posted:

So sorry for your loss. Max was a Special guy. Always loved talking to him. He always wanted to know how I was doing. He loved my Snickerdoodle cookies 🧑🧑

November 3 at 11:15 AM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

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



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