



Bobby Gene Thorne

March 21, 1932 - October 26, 2003

Bobby Gene Thorne, age 71 years, a resident of rural Vienna, IL, passed away Sunday, October 26, 2003 at 1:47 p.m. at the Parkway Manor Nursing Home in Marion, IL.

Bobby was born March 21, 1932 in Belknap, IL. He was the son of Clella and Opal (Bost) Thorne.

Bobby was united in marriage to Mildred Hester on December 21, 1955 in Vienna, IL. She survives.

Other Survivors include:

3 Daughters: Cheryl Phillips of Brookport, IL; Beverly Hibshman of Elkhart, IN; and

Barbara Kline of Elkhart, IN.

4 Sons: James Thorne of Ohio;

Carl Thorne of Orlando, FL; Mike Thorne of Vienna, IL; and Doug Thorne of Vienna, IL; 16 Grandchildren; 9 Great Grandchildren; 3 Sisters: Ruth Caraker of Vienna, IL;

Alice Schultz of Midlothian, IL; and Norma Lane of Browning, IL. 1 Brother: Denny Skelton of Vienna, IL.

Several Nieces & Nephews and Friends.

In addition to his parents, Bobby was preceded in death by an infant brother, Lloyd Douglas Thorne.

Bobby had been employed as a truck driver. He was a US Army Veteran, having served during the Korean Conflict. He was of the Pentecostal faith.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, October 29, 2003 at 1 PM at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.

Burial will be in the Belknap Masonic Cemetery.

Friends may call after 5 PM Tuesday, October 28, 2003 at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.

Memorials may be made to the Heather Harper-Treat Memorial Cancer Fund, PO Box 98, Vienna, IL 62995.

To leave an online message of condolence, or to sign the guest register, please visit www.baileyfh.com.

Tribute Wall



“ Bobby Gene Thorne

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ Our deepest sympathies. If there is anything you need Mildred just let us know, we're right next door.##imported-begin##Ted & Sue Hirsch##imported-end##

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“ Dear Carl, Mildred and Family, \nMy thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Take care and God Bless.##imported-begin##Teresa Rainbolt-Heffernan and Family##imported-end##

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“ Dear Carl and Family,\nSending you our deepest condolences in your loss. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers at this time of need. May the love of God be with you at this time and His strength nourish and support you now and always.\nGod bless you,\nLove,\nEfren, Alex and Sebastian##imported-begin##Efren and Alex Sanchez##imported-end##

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“ Carl,\n\nCondolences to you and your family. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Mark J. Crowell##imported-end##

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“ TO CHeryl, Mike, and all family,
Just to say how deeply sorry I am about Bob. He can rest now and continue to watch over you. He and my dad are probably ruling it all now. (SMile). Know my thoughts and prayers are with all of you. JAckie Martin and family###imported-begin##Jackie S. Martin###imported-end##

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“ Carl, \n\nMy prayers and thoughts are with you and your family at this time of need.\nGod bless you and your family.\n\nEd\n###imported-begin##Ed Clark###imported-end##

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“ Carl & Family\nOur thoughts, love and prayers are with you and your love ones in this difficult time of sorrow. God needed one more angel up in heaven.\n\nHayley & Family###imported-begin##Hayley Quinones###imported-end##

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“ In this great lost, just know that we are here with you. Focus on the happy moments that you shared with your father and ask God watch over him.###imported-begin##Theo Dawe###imported-end##

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time of great sorrow.##imported-begin##Randy Davis and Family##imported-end##

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“ Carl & Family\n\nIn time of sorrow and morn,\nCondolences from Me to You and Your Family.\nYour Guardian Angel had been called to guide you and yours. \nGod Bless you and your family\nDon Hudson##imported-begin##Don Hudson##imported-end##

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“ Carl and Thorne family.\n\nI send my deepest condolences in your loss, and wish you all the very best in the times to come.\n\n"May the blessings of each day, \nBe the blessings you need most.\n\nGodspeed!\n\nThe Taylor Family\nOrlando, Florida##imported-begin##Kevin Taylor & Family##imported-end##

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“ To a great friend and wonderful brother-in-law, our family wishes the best for Mildred and her family and we know Bobby will be in great hands with the Lord, our Father.\nWe love you Bobby!!!##imported-begin##Bobby, Pauline and Kerry Tannehill##imported-end##

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