



## Malchus I. Smith

March 27, 1923 - January 24, 2016

Malchus I. Smith, age 92 years, a resident of rural Grantsburg (the Renshaw community), passed away Sunday evening, January 24, 2016, at 9:21 PM at Massac Memorial Hospital.

Malchus was born March 27, 1923 in Hamilton County Illinois. He was the youngest of four children born to Everett Smith & Clara (Irvin) Smith.

On June 5, 1939, Malchus was united in marriage to Dollie M. Trout at Morganfield, Kentucky. She preceded him in death on December 5, 2008.

Survivors include: his children – Bobbie (Willa Mae) Smith of Brookport, Shirley Tobin of Chatham, Sharion (Arnold) Casey of Metropolis, and Beverly (Larry) Bowman of Golconda; 9 grandchildren; 11 great grandchildren; 2 great-great grandchildren; and a sister – Wilma Rose Smith of McLeansboro.

In addition to his parents and wife, Malchus was preceded in death by: a son-in-law – Mike Tobin; a great grandson – Kelton Smith; and 2 brothers – Dick Smith and Lewis Smith.

Malchus was a U.S. Army veteran. He served in the Pacific Theater of Operation and in Occupied Japan from 1945 – 1947.

Malchus was employed in the construction trade. He worked as a laborer and later as a foreman. Malchus was formerly a member of the Laborer's International Union.

He was of the Baptist faith. Malchus enjoyed gardening, coon and mink hunting, and attending antique auctions.

A graveside service will be conducted Friday afternoon, January 29, 2016, at 1 PM at the Temple Hill Cemetery in Pope County Illinois. Pastor Mike Hardison will officiate. Those attending the service are asked to gather at the cemetery at 12:45 PM Friday. There will be no public visitation.

Memorials are suggested to the American Cancer Society, 4503 W. DeYoung St., Suite 200C, Marion, IL 62959.

# Cemetery Details

## Temple Hill Cemetery

Temple Hill Road  
Golconda, IL

# Previous Events

## Service

JAN 29. 1:00 PM (CT)

Temple Hill Cemetery  
Temple Hill Road  
Golconda, IL

# Tribute Wall



“ *Malchus I. Smith*

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ *Anita Bullock lit a candle in memory of Malchus I. Smith*



**Anita Bullock** - January 25, 2016 at 09:11 PM



“ *Helen Goddard lit a candle in memory of Malchus I. Smith*



**Helen Goddard** - January 25, 2016 at 03:39 PM



*PRAYERS FOR THE FAMILY--- I GREW UP WITH THE SMITHS HAVE WONDERFUL MEMORIES.*

**Helen Goddard** - January 25, 2016 at 03:40 PM

DM

“ You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Love, Donnie and Jolene Morris



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**Donnie and Jolene Morris.** - January 25, 2016 at 08:51 AM

FB

“ Faye Bowman lit a candle in memory of Malchus I. Smith



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**Faye Bowman** - January 25, 2016 at 08:11 AM

JB

“ Jim & Pat Blankenship lit a candle in memory of Malchus I. Smith



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**Jim & Pat Blankenship** - January 25, 2016 at 07:53 AM