



## Floyd N. Gruell

September 22, 1922 - January 29, 2015

Floyd N. Gruell, 92, a lifelong Rush County resident, passed away January 29, 2015 in Rush Memorial Hospital. He was born September 22, 1922 at home in Rush County, to Newton & Una (Spilman) Gruell.

Floyd graduated from New Salem High School in 1940. He had been a farmer in the Richland and New Salem communities his entire life. He married Ruth Ann Austen on November 26, 1944. This 70 year commitment to each other has served as a wonderful model.

He was a 70 year member of the Andersonville Masonic Lodge #96 F&AM where he had served as Secretary for 23 years. He belonged to the Little Flatrock Christian Church and was also active in the Republican Party at the local level. Floyd will be remembered for his commitment to his family & his love of farming-dairy, livestock & crop. He enjoyed talking with friends and family and sharing stories of earlier times in their lives including times on the basketball court, working in the fields, on the farm & good times of meeting people.

Floyd is survived by his wife, Ruth Ann, of Rushville, daughters, Judy (Bob) Cupp and Janet (Bob) Bedel all of Greensburg, a son, Terry (Sandy) Gruell of Osgood, grandchildren, Morgan & Ryan Cupp, Christina Koeneman, Susan Calabrese, Kurt & Bruce Bedel and Brian Gruell and great grandchildren, Ethan & Nora Beth Cupp, Makenna & Aliza Calabrese, Kylie & Madeline Bedel, Brody & Kason Bedel and Jordan Owens. He was preceded in death by his parents, brothers, Lowell & Harold and grandson, Daniel Gruell.

Services will be held at 1 PM Tuesday, February 3, 2015 at Moster Mortuary, Rushville, with Eric Hopkins & Rev. Sandy Gruell presiding. Friends are welcome to visit at the mortuary from 10 AM until time of service on Tuesday. Burial will be in Rushville's East Hill Cemetery. There will be a Masonic Service at the mortuary at 12:45 PM Tuesday, prior to funeral service.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Floyd N. Gruell*

January 28, 2023 at 12:19 PM



“ *Grandpa, we love you and grandma so much! We will see you again! Until then, we know you will be an angel in Heaven who watches over us.  
With lots of love,  
Chris, Susan, Makenna, and Aliza*

**Susan Calabrese** - February 07, 2015 at 05:19 PM



“ *Mrs Cupp, please know our prayers are with you during this time.  
Romans 8:28. Marty Ballard*

**marty ballard** - January 31, 2015 at 01:23 PM



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**Chris Calabrese** - January 31, 2015 at 09:38 AM

RM

“ Judy and Bob and family, we first saw the brief notice in the *Rushville Republican*, which comes only twice a week. Then we received Danny's email. You are fortunate to have kept your father for so long. My mother was 62 and my father was 67; Richard's mother was 56 and his father was 68. May God keep you and your family in His care.

*Friends - Richard & Dorothy Mahan*

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**Richard & Dorothy Mahan** - January 30, 2015 at 08:39 PM

JG

“ Judy and Bob may you feel God's arms around you giving you comfort at this time of sorrow. May your memories bring joy as you remember the fun times !



*Dan and Judy Graves*

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**Judy Graves.** - January 30, 2015 at 07:18 PM

KM

*Nothing finer than an Indiana farmer. Judy and Bob our thoughts are with you and your family ~ Kathy Murphy*

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**Kathy Murphy** - January 31, 2015 at 05:54 PM

CW

*Very honored to have Floyd as a friend. Shared many a great stories and jokes. He was a very honest person with morals. Floyd will always be a part of my memory. -- Kevin Comer*

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**Christy Winters** - February 01, 2015 at 10:22 AM

JC

*Judy and family,*

*I'm sorry to hear of your loss. We are so fortunate to have had our parents many more years than a lot of people. Dad will be 95 in August. He shared many stories about your Dad and Tom Johnson. They all had so much fun together in the filling station years ago. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*

*Jackie Borders Cook*

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**Jackie Cook** - February 01, 2015 at 03:48 PM

MD

*I received information about this today - sorry to hear of your loss, Judy.*

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**Marilyn Davisson** - February 03, 2015 at 09:49 AM