



James R. "Dick" Bayless

August 19, 1926 - November 15, 2013

James R. "Dick" Bayless, 87, of Rush County, passed away at his home on November 15, 2013 in Rush County. He was born August 19, 1926 in Shelby County to Roy A. & Missouri (Bentley) Bayless. Dick was a 1944 graduate of Manilla High School & received his cost accountant degree after high school. He married Georgia Cline on March 4, 1952 and she survives.

Dick was a WW2 US Navy veteran. He served during the Pacific Theatre. He returned home from the war & worked for Western Electric in Indianapolis as a cost accountant for nearly 30 years. He retired in 1986.

Dick lived nearly 30 years in Northern Shelby county. After retirement, he & his wife moved to Lake Santee & spent nearly 10 years there before moving to their present home in Rush County in 2003. Dick was a member of Trinity United Presbyterian Church.

In addition to his wife, Georgia, of Rush County, he is survived by a sister, Lois Bayless of Shelbyville, several nieces, nephews and great-nieces & great-nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, a stillborn son, James Abel Bayless, brother's, Paul, John, Edwin, Robert & his twin, Harry; and sister's, Zelma, Elizabeth & Martha.

Services will be held at 1 PM Monday, November 18 at Moster Mortuary, Rushville, where friends are welcome to visit from 11 AM until time of service. Rev. Roger Abraham will preside and burial will be in Rushville's East Hill Cemetery. The Rush County Veteran's Honor Guard will provide military rites. Memorial contributions may be made to Our Hospice of South Central

Indiana.

Tribute Wall



“ James R. "Dick" Bayless

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“ My name is Lisa, and I'm Marc Kollander's sister. My husband & I traveled to Rushville, Indiana to go visit my brother Marc & we were so blessed to be able to meet Dick & Georgia, my brother's wonderful neighbors! They made us feel right at home! We will miss Dick very much, & we are so grateful that he is safely home with his King! We are sending our love & prayers to Miss Georgia. In God's Word, He says He will never leave us nor forsake us. Always remember your King is with you dear Georgia.



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