



Bennett Dean Bollinger

February 25, 1944 - December 26, 2024

Bennett Bollinger, 80, of Marble Hill passed away on Thursday, December 26, 2024 at St Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau.

Ben was born in Marble Hill on February 25, 1944 to the late Oscar and Frieda Allene (Lincoln) Bollinger. He and Judy Marie Proffitt were married June 6, 1961 in Cahokia, IL Judy and Ben had been married 33 years when she passed away on August 20, 2014.

He graduated from Cahokia High School in 1960, married Judy in 1961 and went to work at the GM plant as a electrical maintenance repairman. He retired from GM in 1995 after almost 35 years of service. After retirement he and Judy moved to Marble Hill where he enjoyed country living. He loved hunting and fishing, gardening and even became a logger at the age of 60. Over the years he would always be available to help anyone who may have encountered problems with their car. He was an amazing mechanic.

Ben is survived by his son Bennett Dean (Laurie) Bollinger Jr. of Scopus, two daughters Angie Bollinger of Cahokia, IL. and Tammy Jolly of Marble Hill along with four sisters; Jeanett Whitner, Yvonne Estes, Joyce Staten, and Sue Crader.

He is also survived by eight grandchildren; R.J. Kinne, Jordan Kinne, Danielle

Roberts, Dakota Elsie, Justin Bollinger, Tiffany Bollinger, Joshua Jolly and Emma Jolly and 10 great grandchildren.

In addition to his wife Judy He is preceded in death by two brothers; Dennis and Lynn Bollinger.

Graveside services will be held on Thursday, January 2, 2025 at 1:00pm at the Cook Cemetery north of Scopus with Rev Gerald Huff officiating.

Ford and Liley Funeral Home in Marble Hill is in charge of arrangements.

Visit fordandlileyfuneralhome.com to leave an online condolence.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JAN 2. 1:00 PM.

Cook Cemetery North Of Scopus