



Fred E. Finck

January 1, 1931 - March 1, 2017

Dateline: Godfrey

Fred E. Finck, 86, died at 1:28 a.m. Wednesday, March 1, 2017, at Integrity Healthcare of Godfrey. Born January 1, 1931, in St. Charles County, MO, he was the son of August Henry Finck Sr. and Hulda Carolyn Elise (Greiwe) Finck. Mr. Finck graduated from University of Missouri where he was class president and participated in various school activities. He was a member of Messiah Lutheran Church and the New Horizons Band. He retired as owner/broker of Century 21 House Center. He enjoyed being involved in real estate and land development as well as fishing and wood-working. On July 16, 1966, he married Clare A. (Neunaber) Higgins in Godfrey. She preceded him in death on May 20, 2010. Surviving is a daughter, Casey L. (Finck) Martin of El Dorado, AR, a son, Charlie Finck and his wife of Buffalo, MO, an adopted son, Jess Finck and his wife of Granite City, IL, a daughter-in-law, Debbie Higgins of Brighton, three grandchildren, Amanda Higgins, Kate Finck and Mike Finck, two great grandchildren, twins, Conner and Logan Finck, a brother, A. Henry Finck Jr. and his wife RuthAnn, and a sister, Martha Barklage and her husband Marlin. Along with his parents and wife he was preceded in death by a step-son, Jeff Higgins, a son, Michael Finck, a brother, Norman Finck and sisters, Elsa Borcharding, Alice Spragle Johnson, and Helen Koeller. A memorial service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, March 4, 2017 at Messiah Lutheran Church in Alton. Reverend Randy Fischer will

officiate. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Messiah Lutheran Church or the New Horizons Band and are to be mailed to 920 Milton Road, Alton, IL 62002. Gent Funeral Home in Alton is in charge of arrangements. Online guestbook and information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR 4. 10:30 AM (CT)

Messiah Lutheran Church
920 Milton Road
Alton, IL 62002

Tribute Wall



“ Fred E. Finck

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



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January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ Fred helped me numerous times as a Real Estate Broker and as a neighbor to my business on Godfrey Road he had a true "Heart of Gold" and will be missed by many..... Dave Wickenhauser.

Dave Wickenhauser - March 05, 2017 at 09:38 PM



“ Casey, Deb, and all: We are saddened to hear of Fred's passing. The last years have sure been a struggle. On this side of heaven, we may never fully understanding the workings of God's good will, but through the resurrection, we know it is about eternal life in the presence of the Father. May that give all of us peace in our loss. It is an honor to have known Fred as his pastor and friend. Lots of good laughs and kidding. But always back to faith in Christ. Hugh and Bo Fitz, Mascoutah IL

Pastor Hugh Fitz - March 03, 2017 at 10:37 PM

AG

“ Our deepest sympathy to all, especially Casey, Debbie, and Amanda. We are in Tucson and so frustrated that we can't be there to give you hugs of condolence. We are praying for you and the family that God will sustain you at this sad time. Much love,
AJ & Sue Goers

AJ & Sue Goers - March 03, 2017 at 04:49 PM

RM

So sorry for your loss. The McGowen's

rebecca mcgowen - March 03, 2017 at 06:37 PM

DW

Our sympathy for your loss. I enjoyed Fred as a realtor and a gentleman.

Dennis A. Wooff - March 04, 2017 at 02:25 PM