



Rodger William Penning

May 26, 1927 - June 20, 2012

Rodger William Penning, 85, died at 10:47 a.m. on Wednesday, June 20, 2012 at Eunice Smith Home in Alton. He was born May 26, 1927 in Alton the son of Arthur A. "Doc" and Augusta L. (Handler) Penning. He served in the U.S. Army and attended St. Ambrose Catholic Church in Godfrey. He retired in 1985 as a letter carrier with the U.S. Post Office. On April 24, 1954 he married Mary T. Beiser and she survives. Also surviving are three daughters; Helen Ann Fowler and her husband David of Ottawa, IL, Martha Smith and her husband Darrell of Godfrey and Mary Boulds and her husband David of Alton, two sons; Joseph Penning and his wife Janis of Dale City, VA and Paul Penning and his wife Debbie of Brighton, twelve grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by one brother; John A. Penning. Visitation will be from 9:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m. on Saturday, June 23, 2012 at St. Ambrose Catholic Church in Godfrey where a mass of Christian Burial will be conducted at 11:00 a.m. With Father Steve Pohlman officiating. Interment will be private. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, St. Vincent DePaul Society or Disabled American Veterans.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Rodger William Penning*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



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January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Mrs. Penning, Joe, Helen, Mary, Marty, Paul - wish that I could have come by Saturday; I was en route home from out-of-state, and did not learn of his passing until today.*

Mr. Penning was a great guy, always fun to be around; I have nothing but great memories of him from my youth.

My thoughts and prayers are with you. I know that you will miss him, but may find comfort knowing that he has gone home, and is cradled in the loving arms of the Lord.

We will request that a Mass be said in his memory at St. Boniface Catholic Church, Edwardsville, and also one at St. Ambrose.

Ross

Ross Case - June 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *We are very sorry for your loss.*

Pamela and John Beiser - June 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ Paul & Deb,

Sorry for the lost of your Dad. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Marikay & Rick Gaertner - June 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *Helen and family: You are in our thoughts and prayers during this time of sadness.*

Dale & Kathleen Wolf - June 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ *Paul and Debbie, My prayers and condolences go out to you and your family at this time.*

Paul Burrows - June 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ *I wish I could be there on Saturday. I will be flying home from my family visit in San Diego, CA on Sat. My favorite memory of my Uncle Rod is how he smiled and made me laugh from the time I was born. I was lucky to have him in my life. He fed me ice cream when I was a baby! He was a great guy!*

Sandy Penning Schairer - June 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ *Paul, Mary, Martha and family, I am truly sorry for your loss. your dad was a great man. i will always remember him cracking jokes. our thoughts and prayers are with you and your mom at this difficult time. just know he is now at peace. Condolences The Rick Crivello Family and employees of Bobs Lawn & Garden*

The Rick Crivello Family - June 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM