



William Stairwalt

February 4, 1928 - January 4, 2023

Dateline: Godfrey

William Stairwalt, 95, died Wednesday, January 4, 2023 at Eunice Smith Nursing Home. Born February 4, 1928 in London Mills, IL, he was the son of Russell Byron and Anna L. (Voorhees) Stairwalt. Mr. Stairwalt served in the U.S. Army during WWII and was a member of Godfrey First United Methodist Church. He retired as a school teacher having worked in Sparta, Edwardsville and Libertyville as chairman of Industrial Arts. On June 2, 1956 he married the former Helen Wood in Sparta, IL. She survives, also surviving are two children, Mark William Stairwalt of Sparta, WI and daughter Beth and grandson, Zachary Lampman.

Avid square dancers, Bill and Helen also taught Round Dancing throughout the Midwest and were invited to teach in New Zealand and Australia.

Visitation will be from 10:00 a.m. until time of memorial service at 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, January 14, 2023 at the Godfrey First United Methodist Church.

Memorials may be made to Godfrey First United Methodist Church.

Gent Funeral Home in Alton is in charge of arrangements. Online guestbook and information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 14. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Godfrey First United Methodist Church
Airport Road
Godfrey, IL 62035

Memorial Service

JAN 14. 11:00 AM (CT)

Godfrey First United Methodist Church
Airport Road
Godfrey, IL 62035

Tribute Wall



“ *William Stairwalt*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *William Stairwalt*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of William Stairwalt.*



January 10, 2023 at 08:04 AM