



John William Boord Sr.

November 15, 1928 - January 13, 2020

John William Boord, Sr., 91, of Grand Island, died Monday, January 13th at his home surrounded by his family. A funeral service will be Tuesday, January 21st at 11 am at All Faiths Funeral Home. Dan Naranjo will officiate. Visitation will be from 5-7 pm on Monday, also at the funeral home.

John was born on November 15, 1928 in Veedersburg, IN to Wendell and Marie (Walker) Boord. After growing up in Veedersburg and graduating from Veedersburg High School in 1946, John spent time working in the agriculture field.

On February 24, 1952, John was united in marriage to Carmen June Mycroft. Three children were blessed into this union. In 1978, the Boord family moved to Grand Island. In addition to agriculture, John was a delivery driver for Ideal Cleaners, and a school bus driver for Grand Island Public Schools. He enjoyed spending his free time flying radio-controlled airplanes and was a member of the Grand Island Modeler's Club, and racing USAC Midgets and stock cars on the dirt tracks. He also enjoyed his time singing and playing steel guitar for the country western band The Rambling Wheels.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife, Carmen; children, Elaine Sample, John "Bill" (Vicki) Boord, Jr., and Lynn (Steve) Foulk; 11 grandchildren, Daniel (Ashley) Boord, Joshua Boord, Jonathan (Megan) Boord, Kimberly (John) Bryant, Jennifer (Todd) Hoagland, Sarah (John) Bray, Brian (Erika) Sample, Matthew (LeAnne) Foulk, Chelsey Foulk, Andrea Foulk, and Jennifer Lakey; 21 great grandchildren, Jacob (Bostyn) Bryant, Jared

Bryant, Kolby Bryant, Emma Schaefer, Gracie Hoagland, Sophia Hoagland, Annabelle Bray, Oliver Bray, Nevaeh Sample , Cora Sample, Connor Boord, Ryder Boord, Brooks Boord, Charlie Robey, Olivia Boord, Jaxon Boord, Willow Foulk, Jonah Foulk, Austyn Flores, and Ethan Rowe; and one great, great granddaughter, Kinsley Bryant.

John was preceded in death by his parents, and son-in-law, Gary Sample. Memorials are suggested to either the family or the Grand Island Modeler's Club.

Online remembrances may be left at www.giallfaiths.com.

Previous Events

Service

JAN 21. 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall



“ *John William Boord Sr.*

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“ *We are so sorry to hear of the passing of John.
He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.
We will be praying for you as you all go through this time in your
lives.
We send our love and condolences to you all ❤️
So sincerely,
Harlon and Kathy Hasselmann*

Kathy Hasselmann - January 30, 2020 at 03:33 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the
family of John William Boord Sr..*



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