



Richard "Dick" George May

May 15, 1934 - January 8, 2020

Mineral Point - Richard G. "Dick" May, age 85, of Mineral Point, passed away on Wednesday, January 8, 2020 at Upland Hills Health in Dodgeville.

Richard was born on May 15, 1934 to George and Elizabeth (Schweitzer) May at home on the farm. He graduated from Mineral Point High School in 1952. He was an Army Veteran. When he returned home from the service he decided to continue farming with his family on the family farm of 3 generations.

He was a member of Ss. Mary & Paul's Catholic Church, 3rd degree member of the Knights of Columbus Chapter 2854, Mineral Point American Legion Post 170, D.A.V. and VFW.

On June 27, 1964 he married Rosalie Armstrong at Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Darlington, WI. They were married 55 years and blessed with three children; Kevin (Kris) May, Katrina (Dan) Goninen, Kerry May (deceased); 6 grandchildren; Chelsea, Jordan, and Haley May, Jay (Jenny) Goninen, Justin (Catie) Goninen and Lyndsay (Greg) Brecka; 5 great grandchildren; Hudson, Grady, Iyla, Beau and Parker, and his sister Alice Copper.

Dick was preceded in death by his parents, his son Kerry, brothers Joe and Don May, sister Rose and Harry Spray, brother-in-law Denny Copper and his nephew Brian Spray.

Dick's passion for farming was so strong he talked about "his cows" until his last days. Dick and Rosalie enjoyed socializing with their friends. They attended so many movies, bus trips, eating out and music events. Dick loved watching the grandchildren in their school activities and being with them.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Monday, January 13, 2020 at 12 noon at Ss. MARY & PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH in Mineral Point. Fr. Tafadzwa Kushamba will officiate. Military Graveside Rites will be accorded by the Mineral Point American Legion Post 170 at St. Mary's Cemetery. A visitation will be held on Monday from 9:00 until 11:50 a.m. at the church.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the Mineral Point Opera House or the Mineral Point Rescue Squad.

Cemetery Details

St. Mary's Cemetery

700 Dodge Street
Mineral Point, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 13. 9:00 AM - 11:50 AM (CT)

Ss. Mary & Paul Catholic Church
224 Davis Street
Mineral Point, WI 53565

Mass of Christian Burial

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Tribute Wall



“ *Richard "Dick" George May*

November 15, 2022 at 06:49 AM



“ *I am so sorry to hear that Dick has died. He was a great guy. I have so many good memories of both of you on the farm. You were always there for Mike and me. Your in my prayers. I will not be able to come to the funeral. Dianne and. Todd Heaton*

Disnne Heaton - January 12, 2020 at 04:06 PM



“ *Mineral Point Lost another good Man. I run into you and Rosalie So often and loved the stories we swapped. I'm going to miss you Sir. Rest In Peace Brother. Prays go out to Dick and his Family.*

Mark J Groom - January 11, 2020 at 02:50 PM



“ *Fifty five years is a long time to be together through thick and thin. I know you will miss him greatly. We all will. We saw you together at everything since retirement. So nice to see a marriage last that long. My sympathy to you all.*

Donna Toay - January 11, 2020 at 02:49 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Richard "Dick" George May.*



January 10, 2020 at 01:31 PM