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Robert "Bob" Gene Russell, 86, of Decatur, IL passed away January 27, 2019 at Moweaqua Rehabilitation and Health Care Center.

Bob was born July 7, 1932 in Shelby, County, IL, the son of Hiram and Mildred (Ritz) Russell. He was a veteran of the US Army. He later worked as a laborer in the sanitation industry.

Bob loved his dog, Dixie and his beloved late dogs Pixie, Little Bit and Ace. He enjoyed riding his bike and has been known to ride his bike from Decatur, IL to Effingham, IL. He loved watching westerns and was an avid basketball fan.

Surviving are his son, Donald Russell (Debra) of Sullivan, IL; daughter, Connie Irene Nunn (Richard) of Lovington, IL; grandchildren, Kelli, Traci, Michelle, Ricki, Caysi, Stacie, Stephanie, Lindsey; several great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren.

Preceding in death are his parents and siblings, Mary Russell of Decatur, IL, Cecil Russell and Ruby Irene McGlade.

Funeral service will be held 11:00 AM Thursday, January 31, 2019 at Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home. Visitation will held, one hour prior to service time, at the funeral home. Burial will be at Graceland Cemetery.

Memorials: Donor's Choice.

Condolences may be left to the family at www.gracelandfairlawn.com.



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