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Cerro Gordo – Jerry Shively (84) of Cerro Gordo, IL passed away on April 7th, 2015 at 3:00pm lovingly surrounded by family.

He was born October 9th, 1930 the son of Cyril and Josephine (Smith) Shively. He worked at Caterpillar for 30 years. During his retirement, he kept busy delivering Meals on Wheels for 20 years, volunteering at the Hope Welty Library, the Lord's Store House, serving on the cemetery board, and playing cards and "42" with friends. Jerry was an avid Cubs and Illini basketball fan. He married Charlotte Morganthaler on May 6th, 1950.

He is survived by his wife, his daughter, Dana Davidson, and her husband Edward, his son, Robin Shively, and his wife Michelle. Five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren, brother, Gene Shively, of Sun City Center, FL and sister, Denise Rickleff, of Indianapolis, IN.

Private graveside service will be held in La Place, IL for immediate family only. A memorial service to celebrate Jerry's life will be held on May 2nd at 3:00pm at the Cerro Gordo Church of the Brethren, fellowship to follow. Memorials can be made to the Hope Welty Public Library in Cerro Gordo, IL.

The Shively family is being served by Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home and Cremation Center, 2091 N. Oakland Ave., Decatur, IL 62526. Condolences and memories can be shared at www.gracelandfairlawn.com.



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BR

Barbara(Propst)Rawlings posted:

Lit a candle in memory of Jerry Lynn Shively

April 21 at 4:53 AM

SF

Steve & Donna Fleener posted:

Thoughts and prayers to you and your family in this time of sorrow!

April 10 at 5:15 AM

LS

Linda Sawyer posted:

I enjoyed working with Jerry through the cemetery board. I will always have good memories of Jerry. My condolences to the family. Sincerely, Kenny McDermith

April 9 at 9:46 AM

LS

Linda Sawyer posted:

Thinking of Jerry always brings good memories. He was always happy and glad to see everyone. He would stop by every once in awhile for a chat. He was always good for a giggle. He'd visit for a short period, then jump up and say "I gotta go". He will really be missed. Our condolences to the whole Shively family. Jerry was one of the good guys! Linda & Gale Sawyer

April 9 at 9:34 AM

MT

Mary Keller Todd posted:

so many good memories over the years. Love to you all.

April 8 at 12:03 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Jerry by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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