



Mr. Charles David Boos

October 29, 1941 - October 31, 2023

Charles David Boos, age 82, of Grant entered his eternal life on October 31, 2023. David was born to the late Charles Edward Boos and Beatrice Williams in Carbondale, IL. As a young adult, David enlisted in the U.S. Army to serve his country. After retirement from the military, he was a proud retired Grandpa! He was a jack of all trades, he could do just about anything you wanted! If you knew David, you probably knew him by "Pawpaw," he was friends with everybody. He never met a stranger.

Pawpaw is survived by his wife Evangeline, or better known as "Granny," His daughter, Malynda Boos, his son Jon Phipps (Carrie), Brian Felsing, Granddaughters: Laura (Daniel) Caldwell, Heather Kennedy, Hope Felsing, Jessie Felsing, Kimmy Christmas, Brooke Thompson, and Cassey Word (Logan), Great Grandchildren: Kaitlyn (Jordan), David, Jon, Josh, Aubrey, Caiden, Marshall, Allie, and Cal. Pawpaw was blessed with a host of wonderful friends and extended family.

The family of Mr. Boos has elected for cremation, there are no other services planned at this time.

Tribute Wall

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“ I am so sorry for the family's loss. And half of Alabama, as Mom, Peggy. his sister would say. But for you all, Van, Laura, Malynda, all the kids and grandkids and everyone, especially the kids.

But a story I remember seeing about 1959, the snowstorm of the century. My family was staying with them in Missouri while my parents looked for work. All the kids were in school, normally, even David was in HS. But that storm hit and everyone hunkered down in the pre-Civil War farmhouse they were fixing up. I

The snow piled up and the temperature went down to -23 not counting wind chill. And, day after day, we piled on extra layers, some upstairs with a little old wood burning stove, some downstairs with a new Woodburn, maybe oil, I'm uncertain. But then we ran out of wood. So the men, his step-father, my dad and David, bundled up, hoods tightened around their faces as much as possible, sweaters, scarves, and I looked at David. I felt so bad this kid was headed out in this wind and incredibly cold weather, in the dark, it was late, and grabbing chain saws and axes, they trudged off to cut wood on the land they owned. Nothing neat and easy about it, but no hesitation in David at all. He always was amazing.

At least in Heaven he won't have to cut wood. But I know God will let him if he wants to. And now he can again.

Evelyn Kay Anderson - November 02, 2023 at 11:16 AM

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“ David was always having coffee and visiting at Grant Hardware Store. That's where I first met him. He was always busy doing something. He was always willing to help in any way he could. He will be greatly missed



Laurie Bates - November 01, 2023 at 10:08 AM