



Blair Ragan

April 2, 1915 - January 22, 2015

Blair "Buss" Ragan, age 99, of Albia passed away Thursday, January 22, 2015, under the care of Care Initiatives Hospice, at Oakwood Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Albia.

Blair was born April 2, 1915 in Monroe County to William and Carrie (Cooper) Ragan. He grew up and attended country schools in Monroe County. Blair married Ollie Kellogg on March 30, 1934, in Albia. To this union 6 children were born, William, Blair, Raymond, Rita, John Michael, and Anna. They shared 64 years of marriage before Ollie's passing in 2001.

He worked for Burlington Northern for 40 years before retiring in 1975. Blair enjoyed being outdoors, gardening, trapping, and spending time with his family and friends.

Blair is survived by his children, Rita (David) Bell of Bradenton, FL, Blair Richard (Lillian) Ragan of Albia, Raymond (Beverly) Ragan of Cedar, and Anna (Jimmy) Graham of Ozark AL, and numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren, and great-great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William and Carrie; his wife, Ollie; two sons, William Edward, and John Michael in infancy; 5 brothers, Ralph, Ronald, Clarence, Keith, and Cleo; 3 sisters, Helen Blazaukas, Mildred

Klobnok, and Anna Mae Gulrepp

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, January 27, 2015 at the Tharp Funeral Home in Albia, with Pastor Neil Montz officiating. Burial will follow services in Oak View Cemetery in Albia.

Visitation will be held from 9:00 a.m. until time of services Tuesday, January 27, 2015 at the Tharp Funeral Home in Albia, with Blair's family present.

Memorials may be made to Care Initiatives Hospice.

Condolences may be left for the family at www.tharpfh.com.

Tribute Wall



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