



George Elwood Penner

February 27, 1944 - December 12, 2023

George E. "Elwood" Penner, 79, of Jacksonville passed away Tuesday, Dec. 12, 2023, at St. John's Hospital in Springfield. He was born, Feb. 27, 1944, in Griffin, IN, the son of George and Pearl Jolley Penner. He married, Loretta Penner Middleton and together they had two sons.

Surviving are sons, Brent (Kalli) Penner of Jacksonville and Jason Penner of Springfield and grandchildren, Kaleb Penner, Dylan Penner, Jacqueline Cox, Eliot Penner and Jaxson Penner. He was preceded in death by grandson, Blake Penner. Elwood had 6 siblings: Bill, Betty, Shirley, Dorothy, Carolyn and Thomas.

Elwood retired from Panhandle Eastern Pipeline Company in Waverly. He enjoyed caring for horses and riding. Elwood was a previous school board member for Waverly School district.

Cremation rights have been accorded. A celebration of life will be held at a later date. Daws Family Funeral Home in Jacksonville are in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ Gil and I had some good times riding and camping together. Rest in peace old friend. Gilbert and Janice Allan.

Gil and Jan Allan - December 15, 2023 at 08:41 AM