



Ross Manning

February 4, 1919 - February 10, 2014

Ross Manning, 95, of Roodhouse passed away Monday, Feb. 10, 2014 at Heritage Health Care in Jacksonville. He was born Feb. 4, 1919 in Tiskilwa, IL, the son of Albert Raymond and Vesta B. Wright Manning. He married Mary Beth Husted Sept. 25, 1942 in Virginia, IL.

Surviving is his wife, Mary Beth of Roodhouse; children, Dr. David Manning of Sherman, Dr. Guy (Robin) Manning of Orland Park, and Mary Ardis (John) Buchanan of Jacksonville; nine grandchildren; and thirteen great grandchildren. Four sisters preceded him in death.

Mr. Manning graduated from Tiskilwa High School in 1937, the University of Illinois in 1942 and MacMurray College with a Masters Degree in 1961. He was a farmer in Greene County and a math and science teacher at Roodhouse Junior High School and Jonathan Turner Junior High School in Jacksonville. He was a member of the White Hall First Christian Church.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Saturday at the First Christian Church in White Hall with Rev. Rex Beard officiating. Visitation will be held Saturday from 10:00 a.m. until time of the service at the church. Internment will be in the Fernwood Cemetery in Roodhouse.

Memorials are suggested to the First Christian Church, Roodhouse Fire

Protection of White Hall First Responders,

Cemetery Details

Fernwood Cemetery

US 67
Roodhouse Il., IL 62082

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **15**. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Christian Church
201 Main Street
White Hall, IL

Service

FEB **15**. 11:00 AM (CT)

First Christian Church
201 Main Street
White Hall, IL

Tribute Wall



“ *Ross Manning*

January 28, 2023 at 11:11 AM



“ *Ross was truly a grassroots, environmental scientist. He was the backbone of the faculty when I first started teaching at Turner. A great educator, who always added a warm smile to any and all situations. jcampbell*

jcampbell - February 16, 2014 at 02:20 PM



“ *Ruth Ann McNeely lit a candle in memory of Ross Manning*



Ruth Ann McNeely - February 14, 2014 at 04:42 PM



“ *My sincere sympathy to the entire Manning family. Ross was a wonderful and caring person who was liked and admired by many people. He will not only be a loss to his family but also lots of people and those with whom he taught over the many years. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*

Marlene Angle - February 13, 2014 at 11:25 AM



“ *Mr. Manning was a wonderful teacher. He had a sign on the wall of his classroom at Turner that said "LABORATORY. Make sure you do the first five letter and not the last seven." It always made me laugh. I asked him once what he had against chapels. He chuckled and, with laughter in his eyes, told me that it was excess talking he was warning against, and that there would be prayer in his classrooms especially on test days.*

He was tough, but fair, and I remember being more than slightly in awe of him. May his memory be eternal.

Karen Woods

Karen Woods - February 13, 2014 at 09:03 AM



“ *Carolyn White lit a candle in memory of Ross Manning*



carolyn White - February 12, 2014 at 11:16 AM