



Carl Joe Rans

September 15, 1931 - February 21, 2014

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Carl Joe Rans, 82, North Manchester, passed away at 5:25 a.m. Friday, Feb. 21, 2014, at Timbercrest Healthcare of North Manchester, after being in failing health for eight years.

He was born Sept. 15, 1931, in Fulton County to Delbert Roy and Ethel Faye (Rouch) Rans. Carl married Joan M. Brandenstein Sept. 1, 1951, in LaPorte. She survives.

He was a retired dairy farmer and also worked doing custom baling, seed corn sales and for MoorMan's Feed. He enjoyed baling, milking cows, doing woodworking projects, square dancing and spending time with his grandchildren, family and friends.

Survivors include wife Joan Rans, North Manchester; son Monte and wife Christine Rans, Hesston, Kan.; daughters Connie Rudd, Valparaiso, and Carla and husband Roger Wagoner, Claypool; sister Virginia Ruth Agnew, Kewanna; ten grandchildren, Craig, Kevin, Beth, Brandon, Brianne, Blaine, Bryan, Scott, Cori and Sara; and ten great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; eight brothers, Billy Richard Rans,

Harold Rans, Hubert Rans, Raymond Rans, Delbert Rans, Jr., Paul Rans, Lowell Rans and Larry R. Rans; and four sisters, Helen Worl, Lois Bell, Ethel Stipp and Lorene Wood.

Funeral service is at 10:30 a.m., Monday, Feb. 23, 2014, at Akron Church of God, 301 S. West St., Akron. Pastor Terry Canfield will officiate and burial is at Akron Cemetery.

Visitation is 2-6 p.m. Sunday Feb. 23, 2014, at Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron.

Memorial contributions may be made to Timbercrest Healthcare, Gentiva Hospice or the Akron Church of God. Memories and online condolences can be left at www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com.

Cemetery Details

Akron Cemetery

S 1075 E
Akron, IN 46910

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 23. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Hartzler Funeral Home
305 West Rochester Street
P.O. Box 856
Akron, IN 46910
(574) 893-4423
info@hartzlerfuneralservices.com
<https://www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com>

Funeral Service

FEB 24. 10:30 AM (ET)

Akron Church of God
301 S. West Street, P.O. Box 66
Akron, IN 46910
<http://www.akronchurchofgod.org/>

Tribute Wall



“ Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Carl Joe Rans



Hartzler Funeral Services - February 21, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ I just learned of Joe's passing. He was such a good man. Please know that you are all in my thoughts and prayers.
Donna Branning

Donna Branning - May 13, 2014 at 08:07 PM

LP

“ Joan, I am Lora Ann Clemons Pinder,(Ora's Sister), and I just pulled up the obituaries for the News Sentinel on line and found that you had lost your dear husband. I didn't know him, but Virginia is a dear friend, and Ed taught the Agnew and Worl children. I have such fond memories of you playing the piano at good old Fulton HS; also of you being queen of a festival and Ed was the king. You have Ed and my deepest sympathies.

Lora Ann Pinder - March 09, 2014 at 03:23 PM

PH

“*Joan, was saddened to see of Joe's passing, Ivan and I have known you for many years. Sorry we cannot be with you at this time of need, we are in Florida.
May God grant you the strength to face the days ahead, he will be with you and
guide you through this most difficult time.
Our prayers and thoughts will be with you.*

Blessings, Pat & Ivan

Pat & Ivan Henderson - February 25, 2014 at 07:17 AM

DC

“*Joe and Joann were such a help to us after Dallas' uncle, Tom Caudill, passed away. We have become friends over the past 10 years and have enjoyed their hospitality and getting to know their family. May God's peace be with you now in this time of your loss... Thank God for the assurances and promises He gives us that someday you (and we) will meet him again in heaven! love, Dallas and Eva Caudill*

Dallas and Eva Caudill - February 24, 2014 at 08:42 AM

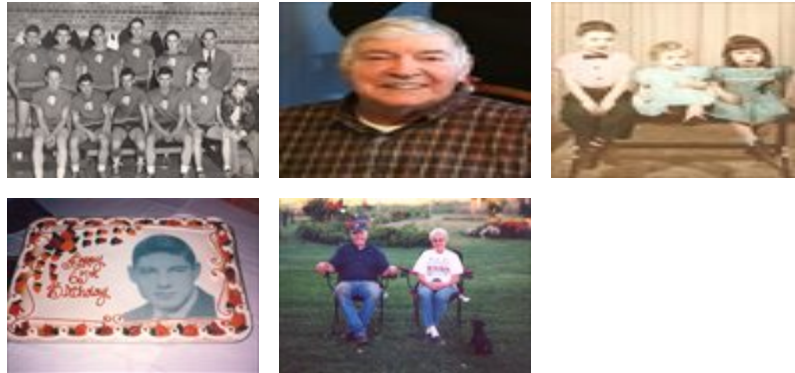
BP

“*Joan, how quickly Joe went! Our thoughts and prayers have been with you and your family. Your faithful care of him during these years of his illness is a testimony to your love. Fortunately he was not separated from you very long after going into health care. May you know the blessing of God's comfort and peace as you adjust to his absence. We regret that we were unable to attend the service, but look forward to visiting with you in the days ahead.
Our love,
Bev and Ron Petry*

Bev and Ron Petry - February 24, 2014 at 08:39 AM



“ 51 files added to the album Memories Album



Hartzler Funeral Services - February 23, 2014 at 07:49 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Carl Joe Rans.



February 22, 2014 at 09:51 AM



“ *Dear Connie,*

My heartfelt condolences for your loss of your father. Please know you and your family are in my thoughts. Stories about him and your mom on the dairy farm go way back, further than I'd like to admit. God's blessings to all of you.

Sincerely,

*Jody (Brumfield) Burns
Class of 1974 :-)*

Jody Brumfield Burns - February 22, 2014 at 07:53 AM



“ *Grandpa, I miss you and I love you! Bryan*

Bryan Rans - February 21, 2014 at 07:27 PM



“ *Bryan William Rans was added to the Family Tree.*

Bryan Rans - February 21, 2014 at 07:22 PM



“ *Grandpa, I miss you so much and I love you. Bryan Rans*

Bryan Rans - February 21, 2014 at 07:13 PM