



Dean P. Turman

June 13, 1935 - July 18, 2020

Dean P. Turman went to be with his Lord and Savior, Saturday, July 18, 2020. Dean was born June 15, 1935 in Edgewood to Powell and Jacqueline (Colwell) Turman. Graduate of Stephen Decatur High School, 1953 in Decatur where he met his high school sweetheart Doris Hall. They were united in marriage June 12, 1955. He went to TV Broadcast School in Kansas City, MO. and worked for Cirocha TV. He then went on to work at other TV stations in Pensacola, FL, Oklahoma City, OK and landed back in Decatur, IL working for WAND TV. In 1969 he moved his family to Rockford, IL where he was Chief Engineer for WCEE/WIFR, WQFR & WTVO where he retired in 2005. He also built several transmitters for Television and Radio stations. He was a longtime active member of Lincolnwood Baptist Church where he was always willing to help wherever needed and do whatever needed to be done. While he was able he ran the sound system for the Church and also for a Gospel Quartet ONE ACCORD he was affiliated with. Dean enjoyed riding motorcycles, camping and time with family. He was quite the handyman and it didn't matter who he went to visit, if they needed any work done, he was ready and willing to fix it. Dean leaves to cherish many memories, his wife Doris Turman, sons; Scott (Sherri) Turman of Rockford, Jeff (Margo) Turman of Davis; daughter, Jacque Lopez of Rockford; grandchildren Tyler Turman, Tori Turman of Rockford, Troy (Brynn) Turman, Tessa Turman all of Winnebago; Holly (Steve) Olson, Alex (Sarah) Turman, all of Davis, Eric (Jillian) Turman, Roscoe; and Jordan (Savannah) Lopez, Seward; step-grandchildren, Brandon Herringer

and Carrie Cervantes; great-grandchildren; Alessandra, Kaydence, Jordan, Cordae, Brennan, Hunter, Camori, Halo, Byrdie, Haven, Braxtyn, Haleiah, Tripp, Cairo; step- great-grandchildren, Kriztian, Braeden, Skyler, Keylee'anna, and Keira; sisters-in-law, Sue (Jim) Jim Rice, Debby Clark of Imperial, MO; several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins. Dean was predeceased by his parents; son-in-law, Dean Lopez, and granddaughter Miranda Lopez. The family would like to thank Mercy Health Hospice for the wonderful care given to Dean in his last days. Visitation Wednesday, July 22, 2020 at 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at Lincolnwood Baptist Church, 705 N. Springfield, Rockford followed by a Celebration of Life at 11 am. Pastor Buddy Brown will officiate. Grace Funeral & Cremation Services is assisting the family. Share a memory or condolence at www.graceFH.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 22. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Lincoln Wood Baptist Church
705 North Springfield
Rockford, IL

Funeral Service

JUL 22. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Lincoln Wood Baptist Church
705 North Springfield
Rockford, IL

Tribute Wall



“ Grace Funeral & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Dean P. Turman



Grace Funeral & Cremation Services - July 30, 2020 at 05:22 PM



“ Grace Funeral & Cremation Services created a Dean P. Turman Memorial Movie in memory of Dean P. Turman



Grace Funeral & Cremation Services - July 21, 2020 at 06:37 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dean P. Turman.



July 21, 2020 at 12:14 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dean P. Turman.*



July 21, 2020 at 12:06 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dean P. Turman.*



July 20, 2020 at 08:54 PM



“ *Dear Doris, Scott, Jeff, Jacque and all of your family, my heartfelt condolences on the loss of your dear husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather. I have so many fond memories of Dean. He always made me smile. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. Sincerely, Kim (Wheeler) Johnsen.*

Kimberly Johnsen - July 20, 2020 at 04:34 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dean P. Turman.*



July 20, 2020 at 04:34 PM

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“ *Ray C. purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Dean P. Turman.*



Ray C. - July 20, 2020 at 03:36 PM