

Ted F. Hathaway

April 20, 1929 - May 10, 2017

Ted F. Hathaway, age 88, of DeMotte, passed away Wednesday, May 10, 2017, at the Oak Grove Christian Retirement Village in DeMotte with his family by his side.

Ted was born April 20, 1929, in North Manchester, Indiana. He is the son of Paul and Oma (Fisher) Hathaway. Ted served from 1947 to 1949 in the U.S. Army during the occupation of Japan. Following was a 32-year career with General Motors Acceptance Corporation, and 10 years with the GM Factory Auction Group. He spent many years as an active member of the Merrillville United Methodist Church and served the community on the Merrillville Town Council. He was a member of the First Church of Wheatfield, IN. Ted enjoyed spending time with his family and many friends, was a golfer, and an avid lover of boating & fishing. He also volunteered with the Mobility Worldwide Personal Energy Transportation (P.E.T.) cart project, building three-wheeled, hand-cranked wheelchairs for victims of polio and landmines.

Ted is survived by his loving wife of 13 years, Marian (Belstra-DiCugno) Hathaway; children: Chris (Jo) Hathaway of Lewisville, TX; Deborah Hathaway-Stephens of Merrillville, IN; Cassandra Hathaway of Chicago, IL; grandchildren: Jeremie Stephens, Christopher Hathaway, Stephanie Hathaway, Courtney (Louis) Aguilera; great grandchildren: Myla and Brooklyn Aguilera; sister: Shirley Glade of North Manchester, IN; many other loving nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

Ted is preceded in death by his parents, first wife: Oneta (Frye) Hathaway,

brother, Max Hathaway, and sister, Betty E. Hathaway M.D.

Friends may call at Jackson Funeral Service of DeMotte on Friday, May 12, 2017, from 4:00 to 8:00 PM. Funeral Services will be held at First Church of Wheatfield at 10:00 AM on May 13, 2017, with Pastor John Hill officiating. Interment will be at Oaklawn Cemetery in North Manchester, IN. Memorials may be made to Mobility Ministries (P.E.T.) or World Bible League. To share a memory with the Hathaway family, please visit www.jacksonfuneral.com

Cemetery Details

Oaklawn Cemetery

600 Beckley Street
North Manchester, IN 46962

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 12. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Service of DeMotte
200 3rd Street, SW
P.O. Box 681
DeMotte, IN 46310
(219) 987-5300
info@jacksonfuneral.com
<https://www.jacksonfuneral.com>

Service

MAY 13. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Church
5387 W State Road 10
Wheatfield, IN 46392
(219) 987-5156
<http://www.first.church>

Tribute Wall



“ *Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Ted F. Hathaway*



Jackson Funeral Chapels - May 11, 2017 at 01:19 PM

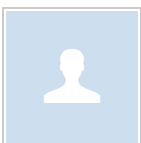
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“ *My dear friend Ted'*

You and My beloved Tim started on this road together around two years ago. So it almost seem fitting that you'd leave us a day apart. You were a wonderful guy. I'm so glad to have known you. Marian was your rock. You will be so missed by all.

Caroline Turnpaugh

C. Turnpaugh - May 12, 2017 at 09:13 AM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Ted F. Hathaway.*



May 12, 2017 at 08:22 AM

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“ Aunt Marian,
Uncle Ted sure did add joy to our family, his laughter is still in my ears. We loved our time together in Naples, what fun playing dominos, talking, eating, laughing. We cherish our memories and will miss this smart, witty, fun loving, gentle man.
All our love,
Bruce & Lynn

Bruce & Lynn VanderKolk - May 12, 2017 at 06:56 AM

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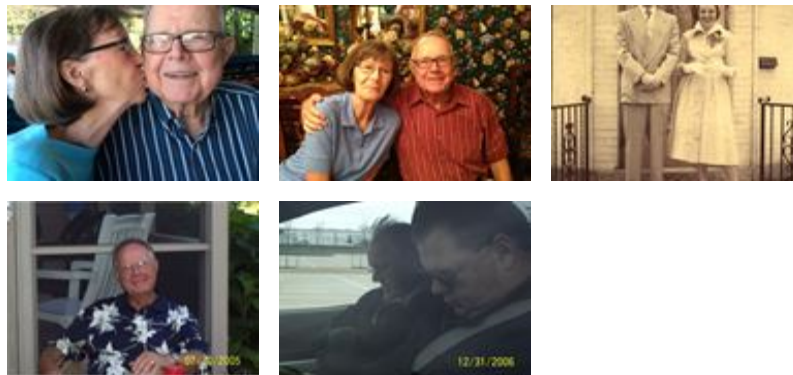
“ Your Friends at Skadden Arps purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Ted F. Hathaway.



Your Friends at Skadden Arps - May 11, 2017 at 02:46 PM



“ 63 files added to the album Life Tributes



Jackson Funeral Chapels - May 11, 2017 at 12:31 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ted F. Hathaway.*



May 11, 2017 at 10:34 AM



“ *A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Ted F. Hathaway.*



May 11, 2017 at 10:20 AM



“ *Bob Dogan purchased the Gift of Grace Bouquet for the family of Ted F. Hathaway.*



Bob Dogan - May 11, 2017 at 08:18 AM



“ *I grew up with the family. Ted became my second dad. His daughter, Debbie, became my sister. We lived on the same street. Got into a lot of trouble. And had so many laughs. Remember the rides on the boat. The sleepovers. Made a lot of good memories. Rest In Peace Ted. I love you. ❤️❤️*

Debbie Wright (Broadaway) - May 10, 2017 at 06:57 PM

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Chris and Jo: We love you sweet friends and lift you up in prayer for God's strength, comfort and peace during these sad and difficult days. We wish we could have met and known your dad as he sounds like he was truly a kind, generous and loving man.

*Hugs and much love,
Stacie and Danny*

Stacie Smith - May 11, 2017 at 11:55 AM