



## Stanton J. Dixon

July 3, 1925 - June 5, 2015

Stanton Dixon, 89 of Centralia passed away Friday, June 5, 2015 at 11:18 AM at Centralia Manor. Stanton was born July 3, 1925 in Wilderness, MO, son of Murlin Dixon and Edith (Bell) Dixon. He married Anna (Little) Dixon Garren in June of 1944 and they later divorced. He later married Mary Lou (Hughey) Kirgan Dixon in 1961 and she preceded him in death in February of 2014. He is survived by two daughters: Dimples Wheat and husband Jack of Salem and Linda Stuber and husband Jerry of Centralia; three grandchildren: Mike Wheat and Steve Wheat both of Centralia and Cheryl Crain Hancock and husband Daniel of West Charlton, NY; a step-son, Robert Kirgan of Fairbury, IL; a step-daughter, Patricia Convic of Fairbury, IL; three step-grandchildren: Matthew Moffett, Michael Moffett, and Mary Moffett all of Fairbury, IL; a brother, Clayton "Buddy" Dixon and wife Ella Mae of Franklin, IN; two sisters: Barbara Marriott and husband Doyle of Florida and Rose Ella McGarvey and husband George of Grayville, IL; several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and his wife, Mary Lou Dixon. Stanton served in the U.S. Navy. He was a truck driver for Gordon's from 1950 to 1983. He enjoyed listening to all kinds of music, especially when he was on the road working. He also enjoyed gardening, cooking, woodworking, being outdoors and sitting underneath a big shade tree. He had a wonderful sense of humor. Most of all Stanton loved spending time with his family and friends. Per his wishes, Stanton Dixon will be cremated and there will be no public services. Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home in Centralia, is assisting the family with arrangements. Online

condolences may be made to the family by visiting [www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com](http://www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Sadden by your loss, He is at peace now in the arms of God, I did not know the man he was, I knew the old man he had become, I took care of him in the last year of his life, my Dad was a truck driver too, so there was a bond. He was always respectful and RIP Conway Twitty. I will never for get you!*

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**Mary Martin** - June 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *So very sorry.*

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**marie Lydick** - June 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *We are so sorry for your loss. He was such a nice person. We always had fun at Barb's when he was in town visiting her. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Brad & Peggy Walling** - June 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM