



## Robert Dean McLaughlin

September 7, 2017

Robert Dean McLaughlin, age 77, of Buford, GA, previously from Peoria, IL, passed away on Wednesday, September 6, 2017. He was preceded in death by: Harry McLaughlin, father; Wanda McLaughlin (Ladd), mother; Mary Phillips (McLaughlin), sister. Mr. McLaughlin is survived by Dorothy McLaughlin (Jackson), wife of fifty-three years; Sally Freeman (McLaughlin), sister; Dorothy Harlan (McLaughlin), sister; Brad McLaughlin, son (wife, Connie); Barry McLaughlin, son (wife, Peggy); Kyle McLaughlin and Brienna McLaughlin, grandchildren.

Mr. McLaughlin was born on September 13th, 1939 and was raised in Chillicothe, IL. He married Dorothy Jackson (McLaughlin) on June 27th, 1964. They were blessed with two sons. Mr. McLaughlin served in the United States Navy as a Class A Radioman and earned Good Conduct Medal. He worked for Caterpillar, Inc. in central Illinois for 37 years, where he retired as a Manager in the Import/Export Parts Department. Mr. McLaughlin was an avid fisherman, and he also enjoyed spending time with family, wood working, and photography. He was a devoted husband and father, as well as a loving grandfather. He was of the Methodist faith. A memorial service will be held on Sunday, September 10, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel of Flanigan Funeral Home with military honors. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Sunday, September 10, 2017 from 1:00 p.m. until time of service at 2:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, a donation may be made in the honor of Robert McLaughlin to St. Jude's or any other charity that supports children.



# Tribute Wall

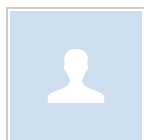


“ Unfortunately, I lost track of my father's side of the family after 1995. Bob was married to my Aunt Dorothy. My fondest memories are from childhood holiday parties at their house. Dorothy, Brad, Barry...I miss you all and am terribly saddened by the news of Bob's passing. Celebrate his life.  
Harry



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**Harry Jackson** - February 19, 2023 at 11:59 PM



“ Robert Dean McLaughlin

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November 08, 2022 at 07:37 PM



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