



Russell Lloyd Mager

October 7, 1920 - November 3, 2017

CEDAR FALLS-Russell L. "Rusty" Mager, 97, of the Western Home Communities-Martin Center, died there Friday, November 3, 2017.

He was born October 7, 1920, in Waterloo, IA, the son of Walter O. and Mabel R. Tippey Mager. He was united in marriage to Marie Rigdon January 19, 1943 in Clovis, NM. They later divorced. He then married Lucy Witt and later divorced.

Russell served in the United States Army Air Corp in World War II and worked as a metal pattern maker at John Deere from 1947 until his retirement in 1982.

Survived by: two sons, Steven of Waterloo and Brent (Karen Carey) of Oelwein; two daughters, Anne Schoonover of Cedar Rapids and Becky (James) Dalluge of Waterloo; eleven grandchildren; and twelve great grandchildren.

Preceded by: parents; one son, Brian Mager; one brother, Donald Mager; and one sister, Virginia Johnson.

Services are scheduled for 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, November 7, 2017 at the Western Home Communities Chapel, with interment in the Garden of Memories-Waterloo. Visitation will be one hour prior to the services in the chapel. Full military honors will be provided by the Cedar Falls AMVETS Post #49. Memorial contributions may be directed to: Western Home Foundation. Online condolences may be left at www.richardsonfuneralservice.com

Cemetery Details

Garden of Memories

3669 Logan Ave
Waterloo, IA 50703

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 7. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Western Home Chapel
420 E 11th Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 277-2141

Funeral Service

NOV 7. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I extend my sympathy to all the Mager cousins. Don't know if you remember the many visits to your house or your family to our home in the country. Your parents and Larry and I would play cards while all the boys was doing their thing, which I think was playing Cowboys. Sorry I won't be able to attend the funeral. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Love to all, Mardy McNamee

Mardy - November 05, 2017 at 02:33 PM

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Becky and families, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers go out to all of you.

Roxanne (Massina) Herold - November 05, 2017 at 09:57 PM