



## TW Brasher III

May 20, 1941 - May 22, 2024

TW (Tom) Brasher, age 83, of Dunlap, IL, passed away on Wednesday, May 22, 2024, at home surrounded by family. Born on May 20, 1941, in Atlanta, GA, he was the son of Thomas W. and Joyce N. Brasher.

After graduation from Villa Rica High School, Villa Rica, GA, TW joined the US Air Force and was stationed in Hanna City, IL. There he met Harriet Bott and later married her on July 13, 1961. He lost Harriet, the love of his life April, 2021.

Tom was employed at Caterpillar in Mossville, IL for 30+ years as a quality control engineer. Due to his technical expertise, he was considered as a go-to person by his fellow co-workers.

Tom was a man of many pursuits. He took great pride in gardening and earned the title of Master Gardener. He delighted in exercising his expertise by participating in Plant a Row for the Hungry, a national program with the goal of encouraging gardeners to help feed the hungry and homeless. He also took great joy in donating the fruits of his labor to his community.

Tom is survived by his children: Deb of Pleasantville, IA, Tom of Hanna City, IL, Tim of Dunlap, IL, his sisters Lila of Piedmont, SC & Penny of Williamston, SC. He is also survived by six (6) grandchildren: Jason, Andi, Nicole, Jesse,

Meggie and Avari as well as nieces, nephews and extended family members.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his sister Pat, his brother Nelson and his nephew Danny. His warmth, dedication, and love for his family and community will be deeply missed.

A Memorial Service is yet to be determined. Tom's family would like to thank the medical staff at Carle Health in Peoria for the care they provided.

No funeral services are scheduled at Schmidt-Haller Burial & Cremation.

As Tom often said: It is time to shut the door.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *TW Brasher III*

Schmidt Haller Burial and Cremation Services - August 13, 2024 at 01:18 PM

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“ *So sorry to hear about T.W.-Please accept our condolences. Jane & Jerry Hesterlee*

Jerry & Jane Hesterlee - June 03, 2024 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Tom was 1 of a kind !! Loved by all. Rest easy buddy.. Prayers to the family for comfort..*

Kim S - May 29, 2024 at 12:00 AM