



HENRY RUSSELL

February 6, 2010

Obituary of HENRY RUSSELL

Mr. Henry Allen Russell, 83, Umatilla, FL passed away February 6, 2010 at home. He was born in Elmira, NY, served in the U. S. Navy during World War II and graduated from State Teachers College, Buffalo, NY in 1951. He retired from teaching at Horseheads, NY in 1982. On retiring, the couple lived and traveled on a 40 foot sailboat for six years and in 1988 found Umatilla and made it their home. Al had many interests including reading, hunting, fishing, tennis, golf and growing fruit trees. He is survived by Joan Lain Russell, wife of 60 years; daughters: Kathryn Russell, Ludlowville, NY, Nancy Wixson, Horseheads, NY; sons: Steve Russell, St. Louis, MO, Mark (Laurie) Russell, West Lafayette, IN; and grandchildren: Matt, Andrew, Allison, Harry Russell, Jesse (Beth), Jon, Greg (Anna) Wixson; and great granddaughter: Grace Marie Wixson.

Visitation

The family will receive friends from 9:30 until 11:00, Friday, February 12, 2019 at Beyers Funeral Home, Umatilla.

Services

Memorial services will be held 11:00 a.m. Friday, February 12, 2010 at Beyers Funeral Home, Umatilla, FL with Reverend Michael Allen officiating.

Tribute Wall

LF

“Nance and Family, I send my thoughts and prayers to all of you and hope that your memories carry you through this difficult time. Your father was a man who showed much love for all those he was around and a gift to enjoying the simple pleasures in life. May you find strength in each other. Your friend, Lori

Lori Friend - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DS

“How sorry I was to get the news of Al`s passing, Glad to be with him a short time before, along with the whole family. He was such a proud man and will forever be.

Dale Seymour - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MA

“Newspaper article: <http://www.orlandosentinel.com/news/local/os-obit-henry-russell-021110-20100210,0,5565800.story>

Marlene - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GN

“My condolences to the family. I was a student of Mr. Russell's for Mechanical Drawing at Horseheads High School and a "neighbor" of his up on "the hill". Mr. Russell was one of the nicest teachers that I remember having and definitely the funniest. I spent many days chasing grouse out of those thick pines that he had near his back property line. I am grateful to him for letting us hunt out there. It sounds like he had a good life and leaves behind a great family. God Bless.

Greg Nielsen - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *What happy memories I have of your Dad, Nancy! Always a big smile on his face, and what a great teacher he was. Everyone loved his classes. My thoughts are with you, your Mom, and your family. Love, Kathy Dunbar Malpass*

Kathy Dunbar Malpass - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BI

“ *Nancy and family, you are in our thoughts and prayers with the passing of your Dad. Your Big Flats IRA Family*

Big Flats IRA - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

HB

“ *I am so sorry to hear of Al's passing for he was always a good friend to me and I will miss him.*

Howard Bachman - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ *Joan, what a beautiful family you and Al made with each other. I love you.*

Marlene - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ *I loved his laugh. I loved his stories. I loved how he loved to read. I loved how he loved doughnuts. I loved the Spring break I spent with you both on Maerdym, when your address was Cocoa Beach. We went to the beach in the wee hours of the morning to try and see Halley's Comet. It will always be one of my favorite vacations. I loved that he taught me how to filet a bluegill and sparked the courage to ski a diamond. Much love always, JoAnne*

JoAnne Rima - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ Fair winds and following seas Al. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Bob Shaw - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TO

“ We are very sorry to hear of Al's passing. He was a good friend and I spent many hours with him and Terry Crandall both in school and on the golf course. Last time he was in Horseheads, he called me and we played golf. He was a very interesting guy. We will miss him. Our sincere condolences to Joan and the family

Terry and Jackie O'Herron - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ Your are all in our thoughts and prayers during this time. Allen was, as you all are, very special in our lives.

Gin Fagan - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ Joan and Family, It has been a great joy for us to have be a part of life with the Russell family. Our prayers are with all of you. Blessings, Jim and Sandy

Sandy and Jim - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GJ

“ Joan, You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers..just remember all the memories you and Al made..God Bless You All
Gloria

Gloria Neily Jones - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *HENRY RUSSELL*

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