



Kenneth Tracy

December 8, 1918 - April 14, 2019

Frankfort – Kenneth Tracy, age 100, passed away peacefully at home on Sunday, April 14, 2019. Services will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 18, 2019, with Mr. Tom Kring officiating. Burial will follow at Sunset Memorial Gardens. Military honors will be observed at the gravesite by the VFW Post 4075. The family will receive friends at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 17, 2019, and from 12:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. service time on Thursday. Mr. Tracy was born in Frankfort on December 8, 1918, to the late Otto and Carrie Ellen Harrod Tracy. He was united in marriage to his wife of 76 ½ years, Freda Mae Kring Tracy, who also preceded him in death. He retired from Dixie Cream Flour Company and was the former owner and operator of Dixie Cream Donuts. A Veteran of the United States Army, Mr. Tracy was lifelong members of VFW 4075 and American Legion Post 7. He enjoyed attending the Franklin County Senior Activity Center, playing Tonk at the VFW and gardening. A man with an outgoing spirit and a love for people, he was always welcoming of visitors. Above all, he loved his nieces, nephews, and grandchildren dearly.

He is survived by his children, Pam Penn (Joe) and Susan Ronca (Bob); grandchildren, Laura Penn, Ashley Brown (Bert), Lindsey White (Dom), Amanda Ronca, and Julie Terrell; and great-grandchildren, Joseph Penn-Simpson, Jacob Penn-Simpson, Cameron Terrell, Tiffany Lay, Jama Blythe, and Michi Blythe. He was also blessed with many nieces and nephews.

In addition to his wife and parents, he was preceded in death by his siblings, Otto Tracy, Douglas Tracy, and Cordie Conway.

Serving as pallbearers will be family and friends. Honorary pallbearers will be his great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to the Franklin County Senior Activity Center, 202 Medical Heights Dr, Frankfort, KY 40601. Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Gardens

3250 Versailles Road
Versailles, KY

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 17. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Harrod Brothers Funeral Home
312 Washington Street
Frankfort, KY 40601
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Tribute Wall



“ *Kenneth Tracy*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *We remember he and his wife at Dixie Cream. After all these years there's still no other donut shop that has the taste of Dixie Cream. Our great aunt (Carolyn/Bud Triplett Dean) worked at donut shop for years. Our dad (John Triplett) remembers the huge garden he raised each year. We're so very sorry for your loss. John, Pam T. Cloyd, Jackie T. Owens & Rhonda T. Sharfe*

Pam Cloyd - April 17, 2019 at 03:05 PM



“ *My mom and aunt (Blanche and Rosetta) were good friends with Kenneth and Freda. I can remember seeing them at the bowling alley and would sometimes visit them at the donut shop. Both were always smiling and so tender towards all us kids. Pam and Susan, I am sorry for your loss.*

Patricia Thurman - April 17, 2019 at 09:49 AM



“ *SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. MET HIM & HIS WIFE WHEN THEY RAN A STORE & PURCHASED ITEMS FORM THEM. HIS SISTER-IN-LAW THELMA IS A VERY DEAR FROM & MET THEM THRU HER. SAW THEM MANY TIMES WHEN THEY CAME DOWN TO VISIT HER. HE WAS A VERY NICE, FRIENDLY PERSON. THEY BOTH WERE VERY GOOD PEOPLE.MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU ALL AT THIS DIFFUCULT TIME. MAY HE R.I.P. POLLY WHITE.*

POLLY WHITE - April 16, 2019 at 10:04 PM

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“ I loved this man as if he were a cherished blood-relative to me. It was always a brighter, cheerier day if you were lucky enough to encounter Kenneth! At 100 years old, I knew this day would come but it made me cry when I heard the news. RIP, Kenneth. And give my love to Freda.

Ceci Mitchell

Ceci Mitchell - April 16, 2019 at 08:14 AM

LP

“ I met him back in the 70's when I worked at the USPS in Frankfort. He was a very nice gentleman...

Larry C Pieratt - April 16, 2019 at 03:16 AM