Louis W. "Bill" Jones, 78

Louis W. “Bill” Jones, 78, of Belton, Mo., passed away Nov. 19, 2010. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 24, at Holland-Coble Funeral Home, Montezuma, with visitation from 1-2 p.m. Burial will be in Barnes City Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Grace Hospice, American Legion Post #567 or Barnes City Cemetery Association.

Bill was born Oct. 3, 1932, in Poweshiek County, the son of Louis H. and Leila M. Bryan Jones. He served 20 years in the Air Force, was a recruiter for four years, co-owned and managed a furniture store, was a clerk and carrier for the U.S. Postal Service, worked for Cook Paint, and Marion Laboratories, retiring in 1988. He was a member of the American Legion Post #567, Disabled American Veterans, and the NRA.

Bill was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Earl Jones; sister, Gwenda Walker; son-in-law, Jim Burandt.

He is survived by his wife, Janice; son, Mark Jones, and wife, Carolyn; three daughters, Jolene Burandt, Cheryl Richards and husband, Colin, and Janet Lawson and husband, David; sister, Charlotte Plate, and husband, Glen; seven grandchildren, Danielle, Nicolas, Rebecca, Bremme, Sally, Sarah and Richard; five great-grandchildren, Amelia, MaKayla, Gabriel, Julian and Charlie.