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Ivan Darold Cochran, age 94 of Cincinnati, Iowa, passed away Saturday, June 18, 2016 at the Golden Age Care Center in Centerville, Iowa.

Ivan was born on May 24, 1922 in West Grove, Iowa, the son of Harley and Lulu (Henderson) Cochran.

He entered the United States Air Force in 1944. Ivan served his country faithfully during World War II with the Air Force Warfare Chemical Division. He was honorably discharged with the rank of Corporal on November 17, 1946.

Ivan was united in marriage to Alois Darlene Bates on July 25, 1953 in Newtown, Missouri and to this union, the couple were blessed with two children, Karee and Gary. Ivan and Darlene celebrated nearly sixty three years of marriage.

Following his military career, Ivan spent twenty four years in the Construction field. Ivan became obedient to his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, with his baptism on January 26, 1977. Ivan and Darlene first attended the E. Pleasant Church of Christ in Cincinnati, Iowa. Following a transitional period, they eventually became members of the Centerville Church of Christ. Ivan had been an active member of the Church for the past sixteen years.

Ivan was an avid fan of the Chicago Cubs and he enjoyed watching game shows on the television, especially Wheel of Fortune and Jeopardy. Most importantly, Ivan led a Christian life and he loved his family, including his dog, Fuzzy Wuzzy.

He is survived by his wife, Alois Darlene Cochran of Cincinnati, Iowa; two children, Karee Cochran of Cincinnati, Iowa and Gary Cochran of Cincinnati, Iowa; two siblings, Ira Cochran of Loveland, Colorado and Iola McMorrow of Centerville, Iowa; as well as several nieces and nephews.

Ivan was preceded in death by his parents; three sisters, Leatha Cochran, Ilin Bowen, and Ledine Cochran; a brother, Irel Victor Cochran; and five nieces and nephews.

Graveside services with military rites will be held at 3:30PM on Thursday, June 23,



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2016 at the Pleasant Hill Cemetery in Cincinnati, Iowa with Pastor Larry Hudson officiating. A visitation will take place at Lange Funeral Home & Crematory in Centerville on Thursday from 2-3PM. Memorials have been established to the Centerville Church of Christ and may be mailed to Lange Funeral Home, 1900 S. 18th St., Centerville, Iowa, 52544. Condolences may be shared online at www.langefh.com.

Visitation

2016-06-23 14:00:00

15:00:00

Lange Funeral Home & Crematory

1900 South 18th St

Centerville

IA

52544

Graveside Service

2016-06-23 15:30:00

Pleasant Hill Cemetery

Highway 5 South

Cincinnati

IA

52549



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Thomas Funeral Home posted:

October 21 at 3:25 PM



Thomas Funeral Home shared an album called **Obituary Wall**.



October 13 at 4:00 PM



Shane And Patty Conger And Family posted:

So sorry for your loss.

June 25 at 7:00 PM



Dan & Joanna Smith posted:

Brother Cochran was always an encouragement, greeting everyone with a smile. His sense of humor was contagious. But best of all you could count on him to be at every service of the church. If he was able he was there to worship and be a part of praising God and listening to His Word. He was a big part of the fellowship of believers in this area of the Kingdom of Christ. He and his family were missed at camp on Wednesday nights this year. but he is now attending a much larger and glorious meeting in heaven. We pray God's blessing and comfort for his family. He will be missed.

June 22 at 7:00 PM



Mark Cochran posted:

Dear Alois, Gary, and Karee Please accept my condolences on your husband & father's passing. Although we never saw much in the old days we are related. Ivan's father (Harley) and my grandfather (Otis) were brothers. This would've made Ivan the uncle of my father (Rex Cochran). Karee, I do remember you from high school at CHS. I think we were even in the same class (Class of '76). But we haven't seen each other since those days. Anyway, again, I am so sorry for your loss, and I pray that God comforts you all now and always. Amen.

June 21 at 7:00 PM



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Monique Marvin posted:

So sorry for your loss.

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