



## Ernest Waldo Stanley Jr.

May 8, 1927 - December 8, 2016

Ernest W. Stanley, Jr., age 89, of Humboldt, passed away Thursday, December 8, 2016 at his home.

Ernest was born on May 8, 1927 in rural Independence, KS the son of Omer Ernest and Jessie (Green) Stanley. He grew up in the Independence area farming with his Dad before he was drafted into the United States Navy in August, 1945. He served from 1945-1946 as an F2c.

On May 12, 1948, Ernest married Norma Mae Hall in Independence, KS. Norma preceded him in death on July 1, 1988.

Ernest worked in the oil field upon discharge from the service and in his spare time he enjoyed farming, hunting, fishing and camping with all his family and friends. He worked for years as an Oil Field Superintendent until he retired in 1989. He was a member of the Humboldt United Methodist Church and the American Legion.

Ernest is survived by:

Sons:

Danny Michael (Suzanne) Stanley of Humboldt, KS

Randy Allen (Becky) Stanley of Humboldt, KS

Ronnie Douglas (Etta) Stanley of Humboldt, KS

8 Grandchildren

14 Great Grandchildren

Ernest was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Norma; brothers,

Omer, Lewis, and Glen; and sisters, Charlotte Augustine, Frances Shearheart, Lola Babb, and Jeanette Tucker.

A visitation will be held on Sunday, December 11, 2016 from 5-7:00 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home: 908 Central Humboldt, KS. A Funeral Service will be held at the Humboldt United Methodist Church in Humboldt, KS on Monday, December 12, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. Interment will be at Mount Hope Cemetery in Humboldt, KS. Military honors will be conducted by The Chanute Honor Guard. Online condolences may be left at: [www.countrysidefh.com](http://www.countrysidefh.com). Memorials have been suggested to the Humboldt United Methodist Church and may be left with or mailed to the funeral home: Countryside Funeral Home 101 N. Highland, Chanute, KS 66720.

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Hope Cemetery

1282 Hawaii Rd.  
Humboldt, KS

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 11. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Humboldt  
908 Central  
Humboldt, KS 66748  
(620) 473-2311  
<https://www.countrysidefh.com>

## Service

DEC 12. 2:00 PM (CT)

Humboldt United Methodist Church  
Humboldt, KS 66748

# Tribute Wall



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Ernest Waldo Stanley Jr..* ”



December 11, 2016 at 12:02 PM



“ *Sharon Shearhart lit a candle in memory of Ernest Waldo Stanley Jr.* ”



**Sharon Shearhart** - December 11, 2016 at 11:42 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ernest Waldo Stanley Jr..* ”



December 11, 2016 at 10:44 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ernest Waldo Stanley Jr..* ”



December 11, 2016 at 09:32 AM



“ *My heart is with you all. Love, James Hawn, Superior, Wy*

**James Hawn** - December 10, 2016 at 10:29 PM



“ *James Hawn lit a candle in memory of Ernest Waldo Stanley Jr.*



**James Hawn** - December 10, 2016 at 10:18 PM



*Rest in Peace Uncle JR. You will light up the sky I'll bet. I'll be watching for you. You are in my heart for ever. Sorry I couldn't send flowers or any thing. I just happen to be in the middle of my work week and we work 12 hr shifts so it is hard for me to do any thing while I am on shift. Glad I got to see you last time I was down. All My love. James E Hawn.*

**James Hawn** - December 10, 2016 at 10:25 PM

LB

*Ronnie and Family - I am sorry for the loss of your dad. May God comfort you at this time.*

*Leyona Burris*

**Leyona Burris** - December 12, 2016 at 09:44 AM

LS

“ *Lillian E. Stiles lit a candle in memory of Ernest Waldo Stanley Jr.*



**Lillian E. Stiles** - December 10, 2016 at 08:50 AM

LS

*A great uncle he was, dearly remembered. God's strength, Sympathy and prayers at this time of sorrow. Love to all*

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**Lillian E. Stiles** - December 10, 2016 at 08:57 AM

RH

“ *Just always knew him by Uncle Jr. I always looked forward to seeing him at the Reunion's and of course we would always give each other a bad time!! My thoughts and Prayers go out to the entire Family. I won't get to be there, but I will be there in Spirit. RIP Uncle JR.*

*Raymond Hawn*

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**Raymond Hawn** - December 09, 2016 at 06:34 PM