



Roy Gene Mantz

May 5, 1940 - April 11, 2026

Roy Gene Mantz, 85, of Jackson, passed away Saturday, April 11, 2026 at Hubble Creek CCRC.

He was born May 5, 1940, in Jackson to late William and Hilda Koechig Mantz.

He was a 1960 graduate of Jackson Senior High School.

Roy worked his entire career as a groundskeeper for the City of Jackson.

He was a devoted fan of the St. Louis Cardinals and Jackson Indian Football.

Over the years, he volunteered as a Cub Scout leader and for the American Legion. He also served a number of years with the New McKendree United Methodist Church High St Campus where he was a member.

Survivors include his sons, Chris Mantz of Cape Girardeau, Farron and wife Melanie Mantz of Clarksville, Tennessee, and a granddaughter, Brooklynn Mantz of Clarksville, Tennessee.

He was preceded in death by his parents, brothers Larry and Stephen Mantz and a son, Travis Mantz.

The family would like to express their gratitude to Crown Hospice for their excellent and compassionate care.

A memorial service and burial will take place on Saturday, April 25, 2026, at Russell Heights Cemetery in Jackson at 11:30 a.m.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com.

Ford & Sons Funeral Home - Mt. Auburn is in charge of arrangements.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR **25**. 11:30 AM (CT)

Russell Heights Cemetery
Jackson, MO 63755