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*Photo contributed*  
 Area veterans honor those who gave all at an unofficial Memorial Day service Monday. Pictured are, from left, Mike Eckersley, Randy Shields, Tom Barrett, of Potomac, Tom Sheridan, and former Rossville resident Mel Cornell, now of Danville.

## Service canceled, veterans honor fallen comrades anyway

Five area veterans answered a higher calling on Memorial Day, honoring their fellow service members who paid the ultimate price.

The annual Memorial Day service at Floral Hill Cemetery was canceled because of COVID-19 restrictions so Steve Shields organized a small-scale tribute to fallen heroes. "I just wanted something done out there," Shields said, adding he wanted the American Legion and Marine Corps League to take part.

Shields, along with Mike Eckersley and Tom Sheridan of Hoopeston, Tom Barrett of Potomac, and Mel Cornell, of Danville, held a ceremony near the Floral Hill Chapel.

Except for the men, no one was invited to the ceremony. "We took it upon ourselves not to get anyone involved," Shields said, "but something had to be done."

"We need this community to know veterans were not going to let this day go by without it being recognized. It was done respectfully and honorably, and that was that."

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# Obituaries

**HIGHFILL** - Joyce Ann (Walker) Highfill, 86, of Milford, died at 2:23 a.m. Monday, May 25, 2020, at Iroquois Memorial Hospital, Watseka. Graveside service

## Weather

Chance of thunderstorms today tonight, tomorrow. High today 79, low 62. Tomorrow, high 74, low 52. For real time Hoopeston weather, visit [justthefacts.net/weather/](http://justthefacts.net/weather/).

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**MEANS** - Joseph Bernard Means, 92, of Hoopeston, died Sunday May 24, 2020, at home. Outdoor visitation will be held from 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Saturday at First Baptist Church gymnasium, 323 E. Seminary. Family graveside service will be held at Floral Hill Cemetery. Friends and extended family are encouraged to line North Market St. at 12:45 p.m. Saturday to greet the family as they proceed to the cemetery. Memorials are suggested to the church or Carle Hospice, 206A W. Anthony Dr., Champaign IL 61822. Anderson Funeral Home is han-

## Court Dispositions

**April 2**

**Megan Lane**, Hoopeston, case sent to state for further enforcement.  
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dling arrangements. Condolences may be left at [www.anderson-funeral-home.com](http://www.anderson-funeral-home.com).

**STADLER**—Christy Stadler, 62, of Rankin, formerly of Paxton, died at 5:31 a.m. Saturday, May 23, 2020, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Private graveside service for the Army veteran will be held at a national cemetery. Baier Family Funeral Services, Paxton, is han-

dling arrangements.

**THOMAS** - Ernest L. Thomas, 71, of Milford, died Friday, May 22, 2020, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. He was cremated. Due to the current pandemic, a memorial service will be held at a later date. Knapp Funeral Home, Milford, is handling arrangements. Condolences may be left at [www.knappfuneralhomes.com/](http://www.knappfuneralhomes.com/).

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