



Franklin County Coroner

County of Franklin, Illinois

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December 2024

December case total = 30

Annual total through December 31, 2024 = 311

14 females @ an average age of 73.36 years of age

16 males @ an average age of 77.38 years of age

18 out of 30 cases were on scene investigations

Transported by coroner 3

Autopsies 3

Cremations 15@ \$100 per permit = \$1500

10 deaths between 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m.

12 weekend and 2 Christmas Eve deaths

10 Cancer Deaths/12 Cardiac related deaths/ 1 MVA

Deaths per day of the week Monday 3, Tuesday 7, Wednesday 3, Thursday 2, Friday 4, Saturday 5,
Sunday 6.

Deaths by residence town: 9 West Frankfort, 5 Benton, 1 Sesser, 2 Mulkeytown, 3 T'Ville, 1 Marion, 3
Buckner, 1 Belgrade, MT, 1 Mt. Vernon, 2 Zeigler, 1 Christopher, 1 Logan

"Dignity in Life; Dignity in Death"

DECEMBER 2024

Coroner Cases

December	Day	Time	Age	Place	Cause	Transport	Respond	Cremation	Autopsy	Tox	X-ray	Residence
	1-Dec Sunday	1:18 a.m.	40M	Res.Hosp	PancreasCA	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Mulkeytown
	1-Dec Sunday	9:53 a.m.	64F	Res.Hosp	Lung CA	No	yes	No	No	No	No	Mulkeytown
	3-Dec Tuesday	9:05 a.m.	97F	N.H./Hosp.	Cereb Inf	No	No	No	No	No	No	Zeigler
	3-Dec Tuesday	14:35 p.m.	94F	Hosp/Hosp	CVA	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	Benton
	4-Dec Wednesday	19:00 p.m.	89F	Res.Hosp	ASHD	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	Sesser
	5-Dec Thursday	7:00 a.m.	52F	Res.Hosp	Lung CA	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	T'Ville
	6-Dec Friday	6:15 a.m.	56M	Residence	Cardiac	No	yes	No	No	No	No	WF
	6-Dec Friday	12:09 p.m.	81F	ER	Cardiac	No	yes	Yes	No	No	No	WF
	6-Dec Friday	22:28 p.m.	87M	Res.Hosp	MyocardINF	No	No	No	No	No	No	WF
	7-Dec Saturday	11:55 a.m.	97M	N.H./Hosp.	HodgLymph	No	No	No	No	No	No	T'Ville
	7-Dec Saturday	12:20 p.m.	75M	Res.Hosp	ThroatCA	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	Benton
	8-Dec Sunday	9:55 a.m.	89M	Res.Hosp	CSHF	No	No	No	No	No	No	Zeigler
	8-Dec Sunday	17:30 p.m.	70M	GP-Mot WF	Pending	CORONER	Yes x2	Yes	yes	yes	No	Belgrade, MT
	9-Dec Monday	9:56 a.m.	93M	Res.Hosp	Htn HD	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	WF
	10-Dec Tuesday	22:59 p.m.	54F	MVA	Pending	CORONER	Yes	No	yes	yes	Yes	Buckner
	12-Dec Thursday	19:01 p.m.	59F	Residence	Pending	CORONER	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	T'Ville
	14-Dec Saturday	9:13 a.m.	82M	Res.Hosp	COPD	No	No	No	No	No	No	WF
	14-Dec Saturday	9:43 a.m.	73M	N.H./Hosp.	Colon CA	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	Marion
	15-Dec Sunday	4:24 a.m.	80F	Res.Hosp	Liver CA	No	No	No	No	No	No	WF
	18-Dec Wednesday	12:50 p.m.	83M	Res.Hosp	CVA	No	No	No	No	No	No	Logan
	18-Dec Wednesday	18:15 p.m.	60F	Residence	Cardiac	No	Yes	yes	No	No	No	Benton
	20-Dec Friday	13:00 p.m.	65F	Residence	Cardiac/RSV	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	WF
	24-Dec Tuesday	4:30 a.m.	85M	Residence	Cardiac	No	yes	Yes	No	No	No	Buckner
	24-Dec Tuesday	23:44 p.m.	56M	Res.Hosp	Lung CA	No	yes	yes	No	No	No	Christopher
	28-Dec Saturday	12:10 p.m.	93M	N.H./Hosp.	Alzh Dem	No	yes	yes	No	No	No	Benton
	29-Dec Sunday	3:48 a.m.	79F	Res.Hosp	PancreasCA	No	yes	yes	No	No	No	Buckner
	30-Dec Monday	12:27 p.m.	77F	N.H./Hosp.	Heart Dis	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	Mt. Vernon
	30-Dec Monday	18:20 p.m.	76F	Residence	Cardiac	No	yes	No	No	No	No	WF
	31-Dec Tuesday	1:14 a.m.	66M	Res.Hosp	Lung CA	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	WF
	31-Dec Tuesday	21:33 p.m.	93M	N.H./Hosp.	ASHD	No	No	No	No	No	No	Benton