



Arlen M. Sands

December 4, 1939 - June 24, 2017

Arlen M. Sands, age 77, of Huntington, died at 10:02 p.m. Saturday, June 24, 2017 at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne.

Visitation will be from 3 p.m. - 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 28, 2017 at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, June 29, 2017 at Bailey-Love Mortuary with Pastor Micah Mobley and Rev. Steve Stull officiating. There will be one hour of visitation prior to the service. Burial will be in Lancaster Cemetery in Huntington County with military graveside rites performed by VFW Post #2689 of Huntington.

Preferred memorials are to Faith Community Church of God or Honor Flight Network, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana, 46750.

Arlen was born December 4, 1939 in Huntington, the son of Albert and Gladys E. (Hasty) Sands. He graduated from Huntington Township High School in 1957 and served in the United States Air Force as a sergeant during the Vietnam War. He married Marsha I. Bowman on January 10, 1970 in Huntington. Arlen retired from the Huntington County Community School Corporation after 22 years of service in maintenance and was a member of Faith Community Church of God. He was also a member of VFW Post #2689,

American Legion Post #7, and Moose Lodge, all in Huntington. He was an avid bowler and loved to golf.

Survivors include his wife of 47 years - Marsha I. Sands of Huntington; a daughter - Amy (Timothy) Roberts of Huntington; a son - Eric (Gena) Sands of Roanoke; two sisters - Rhea (Richard) Zickafoose of Huntington and Lois Bidwell of Wabash; and five grandchildren. His parents and a sister, Phyllis Baker, precede him in death.

Cemetery Details

Lancaster Cemetery

5559 S. 300 W.
Huntington, IN 46750

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **28.** 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary
35 West Park Drive
Huntington, IN 46750
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Tribute Wall

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“ Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Arlen M. Sands

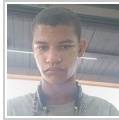


Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - June 28, 2017 at 08:24 AM

RS

Marcia and family. Am so sorry to hear of Art's passing. We always joked around when I worked with him at the high school I am sure he will be missed by all. Glad he got to enjoy some retirement.
Rosemary Schoeff

Rosemary Schoeff - June 29, 2017 at 01:20 PM



I am Arlen's nice how can I get a copy of the video and obituary? I live in Florida

Beverly Street Byzzard - July 20, 2017 at 04:34 PM

LS

“ My deepest sympathies!



Linda Christiansen-Roake School - July 10, 2017 at 03:05 PM

JC

“ *Marcia & Family*

I just learned of Art's passing, yesterday. I am so sorry and emotional of this news. My thoughts and prayers go to you and family. As you know, Art was like my own brother. He lived with us the summer of 1956 and helped us farm. I am filled with a lot of good memories. It was because of him that I went to Huntington Twp my senior year.

Joe Coble

Joe Coble - July 01, 2017 at 01:19 PM

ES

“ *I read something that helped a little with the hurting.*

I have to remember that this is God's plan for all of us. We don't control the time or place.

I know God had another plan for dad ... Some day I will know why ...

It's not that we will never see him again, because we will !!! It may seem like it will be a very long time, but compared to eternity, it's really not !!!

He had a great run !!! He impacted so many lives. He's was a very loving & compassionate man. In return, he was loved by so many people !!!

My reasons for not wanting dad to go is purely out of selfishness ...

And... Most people search their whole lives trying to find a hero ... It was easy for me, he was my dad !!!

Eric Sands - July 01, 2017 at 07:27 AM



KR

“ ON BEHALF OF THE COMRADES AND SISTERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA YOU HAVE OUR DEEPEST CONDOLENCES FOR THE LOSS OF YOUR LOVED ONE AND OUR DEPARTED COMRADE. OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU ALL. SINCERELY VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA STATE CHAPLAIN KEISTON R.HOLLOWAY

KEISTON R.HOLLOWAY - June 29, 2017 at 10:17 AM

 Gaye Krumanaker

“ I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. My heart goes out to you all.

Gaye Krumanaker - June 28, 2017 at 05:05 PM

 Gaye Krumanaker

“ Gaye Krumanaker lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands



Gaye Krumanaker - June 28, 2017 at 05:05 PM

TS

“ To the family of Arden Sands my thoughts and prayers are with you



Terry E Scher - June 28, 2017 at 03:22 PM

BT

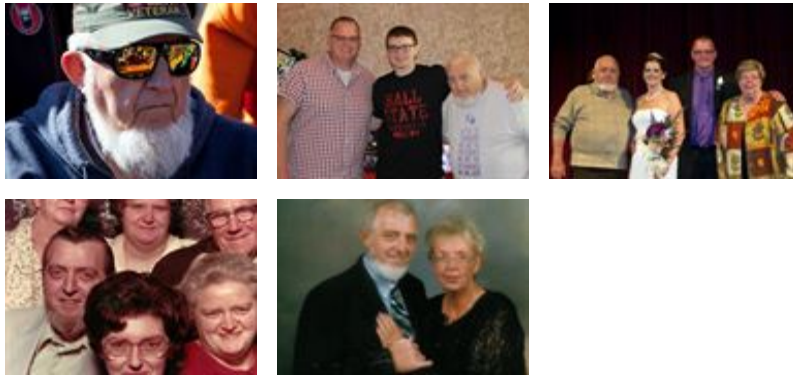
“ I pray that God grant you all a peace that passes understanding during this time. You are in my thoughts and prayers.
Brady Truex



Brady Truex - June 28, 2017 at 11:42 AM

ByL

“ 26 files added to the album Life Tributes



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - June 28, 2017 at 08:21 AM

DJ

“ Dr. David J. Johnson lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands

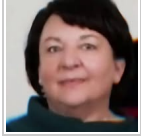


Dr. David J. Johnson - June 27, 2017 at 04:52 PM

DJ

Called you Uncle most of my younger years, I'm sure Grandpa, Uncle Albert and Dad-Cledus are looking for more bowlers. Thanks for the Memories..Dr. David Johnson

Dr. David J. Johnson - June 27, 2017 at 04:55 PM



“ *Ann LaPan lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Ann LaPan - June 27, 2017 at 12:55 PM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss! Our thoughts and prayers are with your entire family. Amy, we love you so much!*



Leah House - June 27, 2017 at 09:12 AM



“ *Bruce and I are so sorry for you at the sudden loss of Arlen. We have both been there and understand your pain. He was a wonderful and caring man and will be greatly missed.*



MaryEtta McDaniel - June 27, 2017 at 09:03 AM



“ *Christina Lee lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Christina Lee - June 27, 2017 at 08:20 AM

RE

“ Art you will be missed my friend. You were always a bright spot in the day when you came to whatever building I was working in. Thanks for all you did and didn't do.

Ron Evans - June 27, 2017 at 07:18 AM

BC

“ **BILL & CANDY** lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands



BILL & CANDY - June 27, 2017 at 06:50 AM

AH

“ **ACE HARDWARE** lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands



ACE HARDWARE - June 27, 2017 at 06:48 AM

BO

“ **Bob And Ginny Overholser** lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands



Bob and Ginny Overholser - June 27, 2017 at 05:51 AM

SF

“ Susie Dieringer & Family lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands



Susie Dieringer & Family - June 26, 2017 at 10:16 PM

SD

Susie Dieringer

Susie Dieringer - June 26, 2017 at 10:18 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Arlen M. Sands.



June 26, 2017 at 10:15 PM

BR

“ Marsha, Eric, and Amy so sorry for your loss. Continued prayers with you and your families



beverly rosen - June 26, 2017 at 09:18 PM

SD

“ Arlen was a good friend,a great husband and father and grand - father. All of the kids at our Church loved him,as did many people. He was a very good artist.e will all miss you Arlen.

Susie Dieringer - June 26, 2017 at 09:10 PM



“ Thinking of you Amy - Tera & Sean



Tera Garretson - June 26, 2017 at 09:02 PM



“ Doug&Mary Davis lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands



Doug&Mary Davis - June 26, 2017 at 08:06 PM



“ Karrie Harris lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands



Karrie Harris - June 26, 2017 at 07:53 PM



“ Mark & Rhonda Overholser lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands



Mark & Rhonda Overholser - June 26, 2017 at 07:05 PM

BM

“ *Bev Moon lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Bev Moon - June 26, 2017 at 07:04 PM

BE

“ *Bettyblack lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



bettyblack - June 26, 2017 at 06:48 PM

Mark
Dimond

“ *Mark Dimond lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Mark Dimond - June 26, 2017 at 06:27 PM

Kay
MacDonal
Bartrom

“ *Kay MacDonald Bartrom lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Kay MacDonald Bartrom - June 26, 2017 at 06:09 PM



“ *Amy Roberts lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Amy Roberts - June 26, 2017 at 05:53 PM



“ *Tim Roberts lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



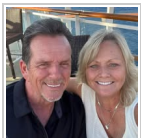
Tim Roberts - June 26, 2017 at 05:52 PM



“ *Marie Hasty lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Marie Hasty - June 26, 2017 at 05:38 PM



“ *Terry Roberts lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Terry Roberts - June 26, 2017 at 05:33 PM

AL

“ *Ann LaPan lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Ann LaPan - June 26, 2017 at 03:38 PM

NT

“ *Nancy Truex lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Nancy Truex - June 26, 2017 at 03:16 PM

CL

“ *CINDY LYON lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



CINDY LYON - June 26, 2017 at 02:43 PM

RR

“ *Rodney A Roberts lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Rodney A Roberts - June 26, 2017 at 02:36 PM

JT

“ *JOAN L TARDY lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



JOAN L TARDY - June 26, 2017 at 02:23 PM

 Kimberly Street

“ *Kimberly Street lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Kimberly Street - June 26, 2017 at 02:21 PM

 Paula Finton

“ *Paula Finton lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Paula Finton - June 26, 2017 at 02:15 PM

CB

“ *Chad Barker lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands*



Chad Barker - June 26, 2017 at 02:10 PM

DG

“ Dean And Belle Garrett lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands



Dean and Belle Garrett - June 26, 2017 at 02:02 PM

SA

“ Sally lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands



sally - June 26, 2017 at 01:54 PM

SA

Will sure miss our Grasshoppers daily visit to post #7. Rest in Peace My Friend

sally - June 26, 2017 at 01:56 PM

Angie Sands

“ Angie Sands lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands



Angie Sands - June 26, 2017 at 01:44 PM

YJ

“ Yvette Jarvis lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands



Yvette Jarvis - June 26, 2017 at 01:43 PM

SB

“ Steve Burnworth lit a candle in memory of Arlen M. Sands



steve burnworth - June 26, 2017 at 01:39 PM

SB

So sorry for your loss. Steve & Carol Hasty Burnworth

steve burnworth - June 26, 2017 at 01:41 PM