



David A. Baker

August 4, 1942 - February 6, 2016

David A. Baker, age 73, of Huntington, died at 12:00 p.m. Saturday (February 6, 2016) at Parkview Regional Medical Center in Fort Wayne.

A celebration of life will be from 2 - 6 p.m. Thursday (February 11, 2016) at American Legion Post #85, 1410 South Jefferson Street, Huntington, Indiana. A memorial service will immediately follow at 6 p.m. Thursday at American Legion Post #85. Burial will be in Star of Hope Cemetery in Huntington County at a later date.

Memorial contributions may be made to Huntington County Humane Society or American Legion Post #85, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana.

Dave was born on August 4, 1942 in Huntington, the son of Clarence J. and Hilda (Little) Baker. He graduated from Lancaster High School in 1960 and served in the United States Army as a Private First Class during the Panamanian Conflict. He worked locally at Public Service of Indiana (Duke Energy) for thirteen years. He retired in 2005 after 28 years of service as a truck driver for Kroger. At the time of his passing, Dave was the current Commander of American Legion Post #85 in Huntington, a position he held for over four years. He was also a member of VFW Post #2689 in Huntington. He was an avid motorcycle rider and loved coon hunting, camping, and just about

any other outdoor activity, especially with his beloved black Labrador, Prince.

Survivors include a son - Eric A. (Renee) Baker of Cedar Rapids, Iowa and a granddaughter - Emily A. Baker of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. He is preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Mary R. Hite.

Cemetery Details

Star of Hope Cemetery

2-310 S. 200 E.
IN 46750

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 11. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

American Legion Post #85
1410 S. Jefferson St.
Huntington, IN 46750

Service

FEB 11. 6:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

BL

“ Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of David A. Baker



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - February 09, 2016 at 04:07 PM

JM

“ Dear Eric and family, although just now learning that David had passed in February, I want to extend my love and sympathy to each of you. I have many fond memories of "Aunt" Hilda, "Uncle Bake", and of David and Mary Roslyn. Also of being at the family homestead farm with Great-Aunt Nettie and Great-Uncle Homer. My grandmother, Irma Ade, is Nettie's sister. My mother, the late Lois Ade McClure. So from my heart to yours, blessings to you and know that Dave will always be missed. Cousin Joan McClure

Joan E. McClure - April 18, 2016 at 12:03 AM

MA

“ David and his family were long time friends of the family of Neil & Marguerite Allen, our parents. I worked for Bake & Hilda at Baker's Box and my wife helped Mary Roslyn with her wedding. We all enjoyed the family connection over the years. We know that David will be greatly missed. Sending our sympathy to you and your family Eric.

Maurie & Betsy Allen, Traverse City, MI

Maurie & Betsy Allen - February 23, 2016 at 09:54 PM

LH

“ So sorry for your loss. Dave was a very good friend. He will be greatly missed. Prayers to the family.

Leonard Hoffman - February 12, 2016 at 06:47 AM

KW

“ So sorry for your loss Eric.
Bob & Karen



Karen Wiles - February 11, 2016 at 06:40 PM

CB

“ Our Heartfelt Sympathy to the family...Marvin
& Claudette Bangs...



Claudette Bangs - February 11, 2016 at 12:12 PM



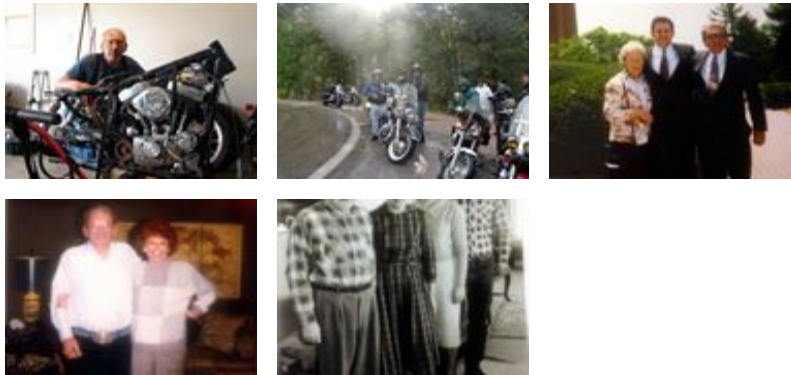
“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of David A. Baker.*



February 10, 2016 at 08:55 AM



“ *24 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - February 09, 2016 at 04:01 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss! R.I.P. Dave:(*



Daren and Tami Reed - February 09, 2016 at 01:13 PM

GH

“ Greg Harrell lit a candle in memory of David A. Baker



greg harrell - February 09, 2016 at 09:28 AM

LV

“ Eric, Renee and sweet Emily we are so sorry for your loss! Big tight hugs to you!

lori vanover - February 09, 2016 at 07:33 AM

EH

“ Ellen & Jordan Hackett lit a candle in memory of David A. Baker



Ellen & Jordan Hackett - February 08, 2016 at 07:02 PM

EH

Such a neat man! Sending prayers of comfort to you all!

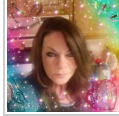
Ellen & Jordan Hackett - February 08, 2016 at 07:03 PM

BB

Dave will always be remembered as a man who loved the outdoors and a good time .May he rest in peace.

Bill & Pat Bowman

Bill Bowman - February 09, 2016 at 04:08 PM



So sorry for your loss Eric. your dad will be greatly missed

Angie Bruce - February 13, 2016 at 08:20 AM

DF

“ *Debbie Fordham lit a candle in memory of David A. Baker*



debbie Fordham - February 08, 2016 at 06:57 PM

DH

“ *Don & Cheryl Harris lit a candle in memory of David A. Baker*



Don & Cheryl Harris - February 08, 2016 at 06:39 PM

BS

“ *A wonderful man will be missed dearly ! RIP Dave love you Dave !*

Bob & Shell - February 08, 2016 at 06:32 PM

BM

“ *Bob & Michele lit a candle in memory of David A. Baker*



Bob & Michele - February 08, 2016 at 06:29 PM

SP

“ *Sandi Prichard lit a candle in memory of David A. Baker*



Sandi Prichard - February 08, 2016 at 06:20 PM

SP

“ *Eric and family: I am so sorry for your loss. Dave was a wonderful man, and a great Commander of the American Legion Post 85. He will be missed greatly. God bless.....Sandi Prichard*

Sandi Prichard - February 08, 2016 at 06:19 PM

MS

“ *Missy Stephan lit a candle in memory of David A. Baker*



Missy Stephan - February 08, 2016 at 06:18 PM