



Jerry E. Helms Sr.

September 6, 1947 - June 24, 2022

Jerry E. Helms, Sr. 74, of Huntington, passed away at 1:25 pm Friday, June 24, 2022 at his residence.

Jerry was born on September 6, 1947 in Huntington, IN, the son of Max Helms and Doris (McCoy) Helms. He retired from JI Case as a Diesel mechanic after 30 years of service. Jerry was a proud Veteran of the United States Army serving 5 Campaigns during the Vietnam Conflict. He was a Lifetime member of VFW Post 2689 where he served on the Honor Guard Team for over 30 years and he was a Past Post Commander. Jerry spent many hours helping transport his fellow Veterans to medical appoints and was very involved in community activities. Jerry's passion was riding his motorcycle as much as he could.

Survivors include his loving Wife of 22 years, Elisabeth (Lee) Helms of Huntington, IN; Daughter, Kerri (Mark Young) Helms of Hartford City, IN; Son, Jerry E. Helms, Jr. of Huntington, IN; Siblings, Linda (Dave) Dawson of Texas, Karen Herrick of Ossian, IN, Pam (Larry) Leyman of Bluffton, IN, Dale (Barb) Helms of MN, Lori Gray of Ft. Wayne, IN, and Mickey (Sherri) Helms of Texas; Grandson, Blayne Durbin; Five Granddaughters, Avery Durbin, Tiera Helms, Tia Silvers, Kaleen Helms, and Dalyla Helms; and his Great Grandson, Asher Silvers. He is preceded in death by his Father, Max E. Helms, Mother, Doris Helms, Sister, Debra Clutter, Brother, Darwin Helms, and Daughter, Jeri Sue.

Visitation will be from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm Thursday, June 30, 2022 at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, IN. Funeral services will be held at 12:00 pm Thursday, June 30, 2022 at Bailey-Love Mortuary with Pastor Rob Seewald officiating. Military Honors will be rendered by the VFW Post 2689 Honor Guard. Burial will be in Marion National Cemetery at a later date.

Preferred memorials may be made in memory of Jerry to his wife, Lee Helms, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, IN, 46750.

Please sign the online guest book at www.baileylove.com.

Bailey-Love Mortuary is honored to serve the family of Jerry E. Helms, Sr.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **30**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Bailey-Love Mortuary has created this video tribute in memory of Jerry Helms Sr.*



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - June 29, 2022 at 01:19 PM

MH

“ *Mickey & Sherri Helms purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Jerry E. Helms Sr..*



Mickey & Sherri Helms - June 29, 2022 at 03:05 PM

JB

“ *John Block lit a candle in memory of Jerry E. Helms Sr.*



John Block - June 28, 2022 at 08:56 PM

RD

“ Randy Denton lit a candle in memory of Jerry E. Helms Sr.



Randy Denton - June 27, 2022 at 05:36 AM

NM

“ Nancy Mccoart lit a candle in memory of Jerry E. Helms Sr.



Nancy Mccoart - June 26, 2022 at 08:40 PM

BG

“ BillieSteve Garwood lit a candle in memory of Jerry E. Helms Sr.



BillieSteve Garwood - June 26, 2022 at 07:40 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jerry E. Helms Sr..



June 26, 2022 at 06:18 PM

JS

“ *It was nice to see Uncle Jerry at the Anniversary Party of Uncle Dale and Aunt Barb.*
Love,
Jamie Shawback

Jamie Shawback - June 26, 2022 at 02:36 PM