



## Marion C. Schenkel

June 13, 1926 - December 17, 2015

Marion C. Schenkel, age 89, of Huntington, died at 12:40 p.m. Thursday (December 17, 2015) at Visiting Nurse and Hospice Home in Fort Wayne.

Visitation will be from 3 - 7 p.m. Monday (December 21, 2015) at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday (December 22, 2015) at Bailey-Love Mortuary with Pastor Rick Hawks officiating. There will be one hour of visitation prior to the service. Burial will be in Mt. Etna Cemetery in Huntington County.

Memorial contributions may be made to Pathfinder Services, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana.

Mr. Schenkel was a life-long co-owner, along with brothers Kenneth and Richard, of Schenkel Dairy, which was established by their parents in 1930. Grandsons Tom, Kent, and Jon later joined the business. Marion was a 50-year member of Trinity United Methodist Church in Huntington and attended The Chapel in Fort Wayne. He was a member of Huntington Rotary Club for 53 years and was a Paul Harris Fellow with the Rotary Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame. He was also a member of Sycamore Hills Golf Club in Fort Wayne.

Marion was born on June 13, 1926 in Andrews, the son of Alvin and Clara (Yentes) Schenkel. He married Betty Thrift on June 29, 1946 in Huntington;

she survives after 68 years of marriage. Also surviving are two sons - Steven R. Schenkel and W. Kent (Sally) Schenkel, both of Huntington; five grandchildren - Kimberly (Michael) Crompt, Evan (Gina) Schenkel, Anna (Arthur) Morrow, Greta C. Schenkel, and Liza (Matthew) Miller; and ten great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents, two brothers - Kenneth Schenkel and Richard Schenkel, and a sister - Isabel Rosen.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Etna Cemetery

5515-5583 W. 600 S.  
Warren, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **21**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary  
35 West Park Drive  
Huntington, IN 46750  
(260) 356-1710  
wecare@baileylove.com  
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## Visitation

DEC **22**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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## Service

DEC **22**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Marion C. Schenkel



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**Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary** - December 20, 2015 at 09:20 PM

DH

“ Our sympathies to the Schenkel family. I have fond memories, Kent, of your parents and our times together during grade school -- and at Ball State.

*Doug & Nancy Haberland*

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**Doug Haberland** - December 23, 2015 at 07:51 AM

LC

“ I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Marion. He was a wonderful man and always so nice to us kids when we were running around his yard. I am fortunate to still have a relationship with Steve, a childhood friend, and wish I could be there for the funeral. Please accept my sincere sympathy. Linda Marx Cole

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**Linda Marx Cole** - December 21, 2015 at 02:14 PM

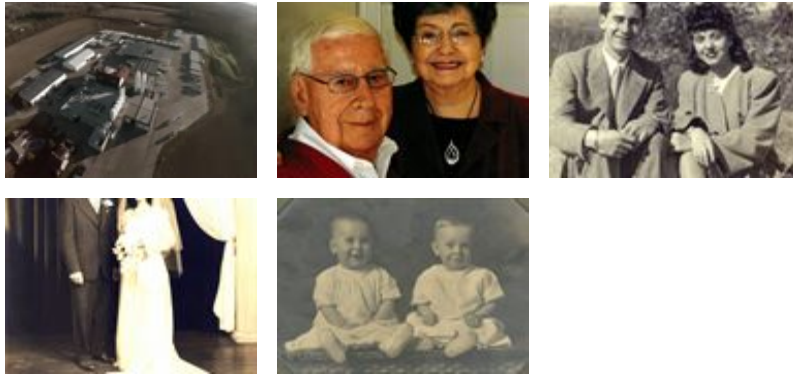
RS

“ So sorry for your loss. Always a smile and a wave whenever we saw him in our neighborhood. Deepest sympathy Nelson and Rosemary Schoeff

Rosemary Schoerff - December 21, 2015 at 10:01 AM

BL

“ 35 files added to the album Life Tributes



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - December 20, 2015 at 08:52 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marion C. Schenkel.



December 20, 2015 at 07:50 PM

BB

“ Thinking of the Schenkel family-- wishing them strength at this time-- such a caring family and very kind to everyone--- R I P Marion



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**Betsy Bruemleve** - December 20, 2015 at 04:10 PM

PG

“ My Dear Betty and family, thank you so much for calling me today but not with the news of our great loss of Marion. Such a sweetheart and I love you both so very much. Just like a part of my family for sure. I will see you Monday afternoon. BIG hugs to you. Phyllis

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**Phyllis Gerstner** - December 20, 2015 at 03:03 PM

EW

“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Sending love and prayers, to you, Betty. Evelyn Webb

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**Evelyn Webb** - December 20, 2015 at 01:17 PM

KR

“ I was saddened to read of your loss. Mr. Schenkel was a pillar within the community and always a great supporter of the Lady Vikings Basketball program - for which I was fortunate to benefit. Prayers and thoughts extend to family and friends.

*Coach Kevin Roberts*

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**Kevin Roberts** - December 20, 2015 at 11:36 AM

ML

“ We have the fondest memories of Marion. He always greeted us with a smile and a hug! Such a sweet and loving man. Our thoughts are with you.

Love,  
Minda and Roger Linsmeyer

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**Minda Linsmeyer** - December 20, 2015 at 10:16 AM

BC

“ All the Schenkels will always have a special place in my heart. Him and BETTY most wonderful couple ever

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**Brenda (Jamison) Crawford** - December 20, 2015 at 08:56 AM

BS

“ Betty, So sorry for your loss..So many memories to remind you of happier times..Praying for you and the family. ,God Bless.. Betsy McCaughey Schramlin



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**Betsy Schramlin** - December 19, 2015 at 12:19 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Marion C. Schenkel.



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December 19, 2015 at 10:38 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Marion C. Schenkel.*



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December 19, 2015 at 06:30 AM



“ *Betty and family: So sorry about Marion's passing. He was such a good and caring man. Thoughts and prayers will be with your family.*  
*Susan Meyer*

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**Susan Meyer** - December 18, 2015 at 09:28 AM