



## Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes

May 9, 1947 - February 19, 2018

Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes, age 70, of Huntington, died at 6:15 p.m. Monday, February 19, 2018 at his home.

Visitation will be from 3 - 7 p.m. Monday, February 26, 2018 at Central Christian Church, 500 MacGahan Street, Huntington, Indiana. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, February 27, 2018 at Central Christian Church with Pastor Chris Hayden officiating. There will be one hour of visitation prior to the service. Burial will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery in Huntington.

Preferred memorials are to Central Christian Church or Jamie's Legacy, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana, 46750.

Jerry was born on May 9, 1947 in Richmond, the son of Sidney and Rosa (Singleton) Lakes. He graduated from Richmond High School in 1965 and earned both Bachelor of Arts and Masters degrees from Ball State University. Jerry married Linda Lee Brandt on September 6, 1969 in Marion. Beginning in 1970 he taught Physical Education at Crestview, then at Huntington North High School, retiring in 2003. He served as head coach of track and field and cross-country at HNHS and was a member of Central Christian Church in Huntington. He enjoyed spending time with family and friends, and he

especially loved fishing, golfing, and being outdoors.

Survivors include his wife of 48 years, Linda L. Lakes of Huntington; sons Brett (Shannon) Lakes of Kansas City, Missouri and Chad (Heather) Lakes of Huntington; brothers Colon (Inga) Lakes of Boston, Indiana, Steve (Kathy Burch) Lakes of Centerville, and Duane (Cynthia Sheets) Lakes of Richmond, and a sister, Sharon (Mike) Rice of Richmond. Also surviving are grandchildren Brandon (Alicia) Satterthwaite, Shawnacy Lakes, and Lane Lakes, all of Huntington and Kaitlyn Lakes and Mia Lakes, both of Kansas City, Missouri, and a great grandson, Bentley Satterthwaite of Huntington. His parents precede him in death.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Hope Cemetery

1700 West Park Drive  
Huntington, IN 46750

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 26. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Central Christian Church  
500 Macgahan St.  
Huntington, IN

## Visitation

FEB 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Central Christian Church  
500 Macgahan St.  
Huntington, IN

## Service

FEB 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

Central Christian Church  
500 Macgahan St.  
Huntington, IN



# Tribute Wall

BL

“ Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - February 26, 2018 at 01:22 PM

MK

“ Well, what to say ? Jerry and I were good friends many,many years ago.We attended Ball State at the same time and Linda was a great friend as well. I was trying to look them up when I found this. Makes me very sad. Jerry was a stand up guy! Mel King

Mel King - July 18, 2018 at 01:56 AM

RS

“ Mr. Lakes was my physical education teacher at Crestview and can remember how calmly he always dealt with teenage boys who were frequently up to something they shouldn't be and know that he will be missed by many of us who had the pleasure of knowing him.

Russ Smitley

Russell Smitley - May 14, 2018 at 10:29 AM

PM

“ Linda, I am so sorry to hear about the death of Jerry. My thoughts are with you and the family. Paula Myers

Paula Myers - March 02, 2018 at 04:34 PM



“ *Bountiful Rose Basket was purchased for the family of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes.*



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February 27, 2018 at 11:48 AM



“ *Jerry and Linda have not only raised some very special men but have touched many other lives as well. RIP Jerry and I loved watching you run. Kelly*

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**Kelly** - February 26, 2018 at 10:51 PM



“ *My condolences to the family. I have many fond memories of "Coach" Lakes as he was a great role model to me through my years at HNHS.*

*Eric Scher*

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**Eric Scher** - February 26, 2018 at 07:37 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes.*



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February 26, 2018 at 02:41 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes.*

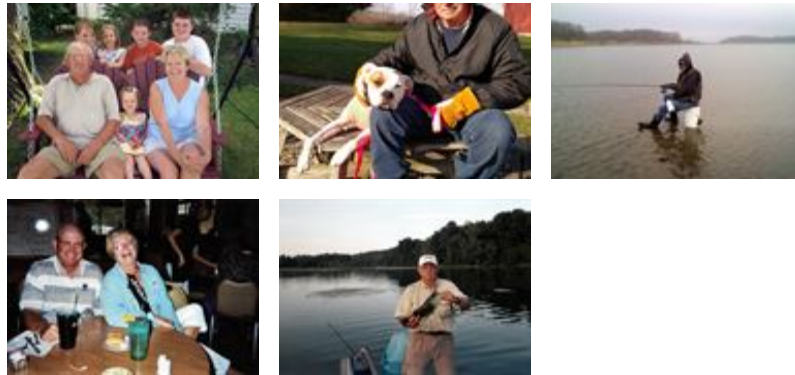


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February 26, 2018 at 01:43 PM



“ *27 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary** - February 26, 2018 at 11:44 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes.*



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February 26, 2018 at 10:55 AM

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“ *The Molle Family, Molle Toyota, Kansas City, MO purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes.*



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**The Molle Family, Molle Toyota, Kansas City, MO** - February 26, 2018 at 08:18 AM

JS

“ *Mr. Lakes was very kind to me while I was a student at HNHS. He was a fun Track coach. As I remember rightly, he had some pretty curly hair in the 80's 😎*

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**Joseph Schnitz** - February 26, 2018 at 02:25 AM

 Christi Wright

“ *Sending our condolences. One of our favorite teachers. With love, Kevin and Christi Wright*

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**Christi Wright** - February 25, 2018 at 11:45 PM

RH

“ *Linda: We were sorry to hear of Jerry's passing. May our God wrap you in His loving arms during this difficult time and in the days to come. Your loss is heavens gain.  
Ron & Pat Hall*

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**Ron &Pat Hall** - February 25, 2018 at 08:31 PM

JW

“ *So many of us became better runners under his coaching and better people under his influence. Thank you Coach Lakes.*

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**Jarrold Wall** - February 25, 2018 at 08:12 PM

JV

“ Dear Linda and Family, I had the privilege of having Jerry as a Teacher and a Friend. He was so kind to me and to our entire family. It was so fun to see him at Church and I enjoyed his wonderful sense of humor. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. With Deepest Sympathy, Jane Hale Varney and the Robert Hale Family.



jane Varney - February 25, 2018 at 06:47 PM

JE

“ Still to this day, I can vividly see him running across a cross country field, full of passion, and yelling words of encouragement to his runners. I, among many others, have always had the utmost respect for Jerry. We are grateful for his teaching and guidance along the way but most importantly, his friendship. The world lost a good guy.

Justin Eutsler - February 25, 2018 at 09:17 AM

EG

“ Emilie Gilbert lit a candle in memory of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes



Emilie Gilbert - February 25, 2018 at 12:03 AM

JD

“ Dan, Debbie & Kim: We send you our condolences and prayers. We say hello and send you our love. Janet, Emilie & Susan Gilbert

Janet (Newey) Gilbert & Daughters - February 24, 2018 at 11:55 PM

JD

“ Linda: We are so sorry to hear about Jerry. We send our condolences to Brett, Chad & you. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. May God bless your family with your family with His peace during your time of loss.

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**Janet (Newey) Gilbert & Daughters** - February 24, 2018 at 11:46 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes.



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February 24, 2018 at 07:29 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes.



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February 24, 2018 at 04:59 PM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes.



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February 24, 2018 at 04:23 PM

PB

“ Pat and Martha Bash purchased the With Distinction for the family of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes.



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**Pat and Martha Bash** - February 24, 2018 at 03:29 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes.



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February 24, 2018 at 02:02 PM

JH

“ Brett  
we are so very sorry for your loss. you are in our prayers for you  
and your family

*Jim and Kim Hurd*

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**Jim Hurd** - February 24, 2018 at 01:41 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes.



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February 24, 2018 at 01:38 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes.*



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February 24, 2018 at 01:30 PM



“ *Praying for you all. Jerry was such a big part of my childhood as my father coached many, many years with him. He will be greatly missed. I am so saddened by his passing.*

*Janna Grose*

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**Janna Grose** - February 24, 2018 at 12:05 PM



“ *Linda,  
We are so very sorry for your loss. Our sympathy and prayers go out to you and your family.*

*Ed and Mona Beckner*

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**Ed Beckner** - February 24, 2018 at 06:47 AM



“ *Mr. Lakes was my track coach and my drivers ed instructor. He taught me how to be a hurdler and encouraged me to press myself, take chances (hurdling, not driving) and to strive to be my best. I haven't seen him since 1975, but he made an impact on me.*

*Andy Purviance*

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**Andy Purviance** - February 23, 2018 at 08:53 PM

CO

“ My first year of teaching at Crestview Jerry took me in and I really enjoyed getting to know you! Mr. Lakes was my PE teacher as a kid and one of my favorite mentors as an adult! Truly will miss him!

Chris Oswalt

Prayers for the family

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Chris Oswalt - February 23, 2018 at 08:17 PM

JL

“ Linda and family, so sorry for death of a husband and father and grandfather, Jerry was a great person always very friendly and genuine. Enjoyed seeing in church as would always greet and had that awesome smile. He will missed. Prayers for comfort and peace be with you. Glen And Julie Lahr

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julie and Glen Lahr - February 23, 2018 at 06:51 PM

JL

“ Julie And Glen Lahr lit a candle in memory of Sidney G. "Jerry" Lakes



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julie and Glen Lahr - February 23, 2018 at 06:47 PM

RS

“ Linda and family: So sorry Jerry's life was cut short. We had a lot of good times--lots of fish stories. He was one of my favorite persons and I am deeply saddened at his passing.

Rosemary Schoeff

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Rosemary Schoeff - February 23, 2018 at 05:48 PM