



## Von P. Freiburger

April 6, 1951 - September 2, 2017

Von P. Freiburger, age 66, of Roanoke, passed away Saturday, September 2, 2017 at Parkview Regional Medical Center in Fort Wayne.

Visitation will be from 3 - 7 p.m. Wednesday, September 6, 2017 at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, September 7, 2017 at Bailey-Love Mortuary with Rev. Raymond Scribner officiating. There will be one hour of visitation prior to the service. Burial will be at a later date.

Preferred memorials are to National Rifle Association, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana, 46750.

Von was born April 6, 1951 in Huntington, the son of Phillip C. and Evelyn Elsie (Ludwig) Freiburger. He lived his life in Lafayette Township, a 1969 graduate of Elmhurst High School. He married Joyce Smith on May 13, 1972 in Yoder. Von retired from Local 166 Plumbers and Steamfitters Union after 48 years as a member, 26 years of which he spent as Superintendent for Project Design and Piping. He was an avid sportsman, especially deer hunting; he was a member of NRA. He was a gifted craftsman who built many special pieces for his family. He loved the outdoors, gardening, and feeding his birds. There was no challenge to small or big that he would not tackle. He was the most patient, loving, respectful man to all who knew him.

Survivors include his wife of 45 years, the love of his life - Joyce Smith Freiburger of Roanoke; his daughter, whom he adored - Kelly (Andrew) Johns of Fort Wayne; and his son, who was his pride and joy - Craig (Angie) Freiburger, also of Fort Wayne. He was especially close to his granddaughter, Reagan Johns, his grandsons, Trent and Luke Freiburger, and his special nephew, Tyson Freiburger and great niece, Addelyn Freiburger, who all knew him as "the candy man." He was an awesome uncle to many nieces and nephews. He was also a wonderful brother to his surviving siblings, Marie (David) Carmean of Yoder, Janet (Bob) Martin of Roanoke, and Doug (Bev) Freiburger of Ossian. His parents precede him in death.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 6. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary  
35 West Park Drive  
Huntington, IN 46750  
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## Visitation

SEP 7. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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## Service

SEP 7. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Von P. Freiburger



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**Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary** - September 06, 2017 at 05:36 PM



“ My uncel used to give me candy and we used to call him the candy man he was nice and taught me about hunting and kindness 🍭

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**addy** - May 19, 2022 at 12:11 PM



“ Von is such a wonderful person. He will be missed so very much but never forgotten. He has left footprints on my heart and for that I feel extremely blessed, even through all this sorrow. Heaven has gained an amazing man. Rest in Peace my friend.

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**Kathy Bell** - September 08, 2017 at 04:43 PM

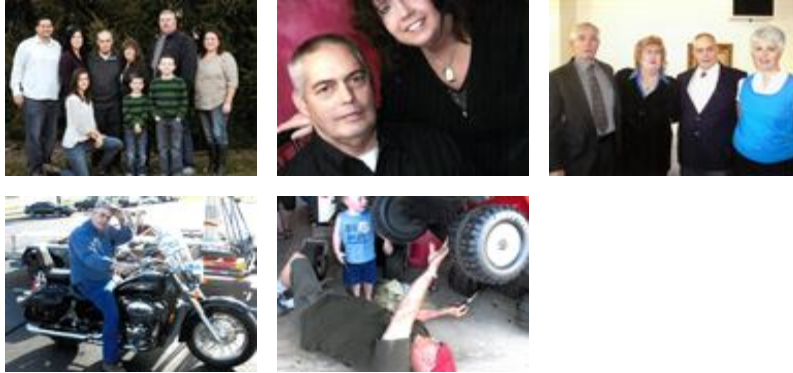
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“ VON was one of the best men I have ever known. He was smart , talented, and patient. He was Jerry's best friend for many years. Many memories will never be forgotten for those who knew him. He had a good life and his wonderful family will miss him terribly!! Please let GOD guide his friends and family and console them through this heartbreaking time. R.I.H. VON. You will never be forgotten. We all love you so much.

Jerry and Rhonda Cearbaugh - September 06, 2017 at 11:52 PM

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“ 26 files added to the album Life Tributes



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - September 06, 2017 at 11:33 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Von P. Freiburger.



September 06, 2017 at 09:19 AM

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“ *Project Design & Piping, Inc. purchased the Rose Remembrance for the family of Von P. Freiburger.*



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**Project Design & Piping, Inc.** - September 05, 2017 at 09:08 AM