



Wayne "Bud" Willett

May 1, 1933 - September 9, 2018

Wayne "Bud" Willett, age 85, of Huntington, formerly of Ossian, went into the hands of his Lord on Sunday September 9, 2018 following a brief but fierce battle with cancer.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, September 15, 2018 at Faith Community Church of God, 3615 North Norwood Road, Huntington, Indiana with Rev. Scott Pattison officiating. A celebration of life will immediately follow at the church from 3 – 5 p.m. Saturday.

In lieu of flowers, preferred memorials are to Faith Community Church of God for the building fund, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana, 46750.

Bud was born on May 1, 1933 in Arkansas, the son of Ralph and Thelma (Hughes) Willett, whom are predeceased. They moved to Indiana, and he married Phyllis Chalmers on February 7, 1986. For 47 years, Bud was a dedicated employee at Toolcraft, Inc. until his retirement in 2001. He was a former Worshipful Master of the Masonic Lodge in Bluffton and a former Worthy Patron in the Order of the Eastern Star; he was also a member of the Scottish Rite Valley and Mizpah Shriner's Temple in Fort Wayne. He enjoyed watching all types of sports, but his passion was playing golf.

He is survived by his loving wife, Phyllis, a daughter, Teresa, a son Perry, and stepdaughters Judy and Barb. Also surviving are siblings Travis and Morris Willett, Bea Davis, grandchildren, great grandchildren, and a vast extended family and uncountable friends.

Previous Events

Service

SEP **15**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Faith Community Church of God
3615 N. Norwood Rd.
Huntington, IN 46750

Visitation

SEP **15**. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

GW

“ *Phyllis and family,*

I've known Bud for many years. I first met bud at Gray goose Golf Course in Decatur. And I always looked forward to seeing him at our Wednesday league. He's always been a great friend, and will be missed by many!

You have my condolence!

Gene Worman - September 14, 2018 at 10:27 PM

BW

“ *We love the quiet, gentle spirit Bud showed. He had a wonderful smile and quickly hugged the people he cared about. We will miss him and pray for Phyllis and family as they work through the loss. Bill and Sandy Webb*

Bill & Sandy Webb - September 14, 2018 at 08:58 AM

KW

“ *Love you Grandpa! You are missed!*



Kevin and Rebekah Wall - September 13, 2018 at 11:18 AM

GB

“ *Phyllis and Family,*
It was a pleasure to have known Bud the past few years as a member of our Wednesday golf league. I always enjoyed the times together when we were paired on the same team. For an octogenarian he was quite an accomplished golfer. My sympathy to you and your family.

George Babcock
Bluffton

George Babcock - September 12, 2018 at 06:13 PM

TF

“ *Toolcraft Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Wayne "Bud" Willett.*



Toolcraft Family - September 11, 2018 at 02:51 PM

SK

“ *Steve And Gaye Krumanaker lit a candle in memory of Wayne "Bud" Willett*



Steve and Gaye Krumanaker - September 11, 2018 at 12:45 PM

DE

“ Bud took us into the fold of his family; he did not have to he chose to. He shared his wisdom with me too. He always asked how me and my girls were doing. He was a great man and will be truly missed. Praying for Phyllis and the girls. Love you all!

Dawn Ellis - September 11, 2018 at 09:29 AM



“ MaryEtta McDaniel lit a candle in memory of Wayne "Bud" Willett



MaryEtta McDaniel - September 10, 2018 at 01:34 PM



“ Bruce and I are so sorry for your loss. Bud's smile and kindness will always be remembered by all who knew him. While we will miss him, we rejoice in the fact that he is now living eternally in heaven.

MaryEtta McDaniel - September 10, 2018 at 01:31 PM