



Arthur Dean

February 14, 1945 - October 8, 2021

76, of Indianapolis, passed away October 8, 2021. He was born February 14, 1945, in Cawood, Kentucky to the late Frank Chester and Alice (Osborne) Dean. Art married Betty Sue Osborne June 12, 1965. He worked 20 years for Indianapolis Rubber Company, then worked as a die moulder for Stone Container Corporation, retiring in 1994.

Art was a collector, an avid fan of the Kentucky Wildcats, Indianapolis Pacers and Colts. He loved traveling, especially to see family in Kentucky and Michigan.

Visitation will be Wednesday, October 13, 2021 from 12 noon until the time of service at 2:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 E. Washington St., Indianapolis, IN 46229.

Art is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Betty Sue Dean; daughter, Tammy Kerr (Kevin); son, Tony Dean (Kimberly); grandchildren, Morgan Kerr (Ed), Malori Kerr (Brent), Blake Kerr (Ashley); great grandchildren, Karter Kerr, Zane Baker, Quincy Kerr, Houston Hight and Maylee Hight; sisters, Faye Jenkins and Joyce Osborne; brothers, Millard Dean (Crystal) and Marvin Dean; and many nieces and nephews. Art is preceded in death by his parents Frank and Alice Dean; brothers, Wilson Dean, Floyd Dean, Paris Dean and Howard Dean; and his sister, Dorothy Dean.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the Wounded Warrior Project, P.O.

Box 758516, Topeka, KS, 66675-8516.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 13. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel
9606 E. Washington Street
Indianapolis, IN 46229
(317) 897-9606
<https://shirleybrothers.com/>

Funeral Service

OCT 13. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CR

“ *Chris Rollins lit a candle in memory of Arthur Dean*



Chris Rollins - October 18, 2021 at 01:04 PM

CR

“ *My deepest sympathy and condolences. Art always treated me like I was part of the family. RIP Art*

Chris Rollins - October 18, 2021 at 01:03 PM

CA

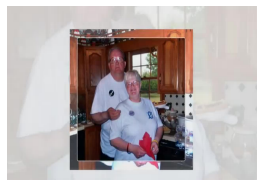
“ *Candace lit a candle in memory of Arthur Dean*



Candace - October 13, 2021 at 09:46 PM



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Shirley Brothers Mortuaries & Crematory - October 13, 2021 at 02:17 PM

TD

“ *Tony Dean lit a candle in memory of Arthur Dean*



Tony Dean - October 12, 2021 at 03:38 PM

KD

“ *Kimberly Dean lit a candle in memory of Arthur Dean*



Kimberly Dean - October 12, 2021 at 03:24 PM

FJ

“ *Faye, Deb, Rhonda, Daresa Alicia Jenkins purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Arthur Dean.*



Faye, Deb, Rhonda, Daresa Alicia Jenkins - October 11, 2021 at 01:41 PM

DR

“ I am his Tennessee family. I have a lifetime of memories of my uncle with the beautiful heart and wonderful sense of humor! My mom, his sister who is 6 years older than him, called him her Valentine baby. I will never forget our visits to Indianapolis, I will never forget visits from Uncle Arthur, Aunt Betty, Uncle Paris and Aunt Wee to Tennessee, especially after I moved back here in 1992, sitting around the table talking, laughing sharing memories or telling tales. I love listening to my mom, telling me her memories of them growing up. I love you Uncle Arthur, I love you Aunt Betty, and I love my cousins Tammy and Tony. You are always in our hearts, our memories and our prayers. God Bless you. Love, Debbie

Debbie Jenkins Rhoades - October 11, 2021 at 01:18 PM

MK

“ The best papaw in the whole world, my life for 27 years I already miss you so much ! But I know you are watching over all of us now drinking you a Diet Pepsi 🥤

Malori Kerr - October 11, 2021 at 11:35 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Arthur Dean.



October 11, 2021 at 08:21 AM

CD

“ I am going to miss you so much Pappy. I will always be your "Candy Apple"! I love you always, give Mom and Dallas a hug from me!

Candace Dean - October 11, 2021 at 08:01 AM

BN

“ Love and many prayers for u all I remember one time Art was in Cawood for the Osborne reunion and I was on a four wheeler he said give me a ride Billbo he got on and it flipped with us scared us both but we had a good laugh about u will be missed by so many of us Cawood family rest easy Authur 🥺🥺💔💔

Billie Noe - October 10, 2021 at 07:35 PM

ED

“ I will miss talking with Arthur on the phone because he was always teasing me and we had some good laughs. He seemed like a brother to me and I love him. Prayers for his whole family. Call me Betty anytime you want to, day or night. I love you ❤️

Elizabeth Dean - October 10, 2021 at 06:28 PM

EM

“ Mallard and family my prayers are with you and all the family May God be near you

Elizabeth McKinney - October 10, 2021 at 01:30 PM

DC

“ Debra Grubbs Cornett lit a candle in memory of Arthur Dean



Debra grubbs cornett - October 10, 2021 at 06:36 AM

HC

“ Arthur will be missed, he always had a smile ,
or something funny to tease you..
No more pain.
In the arms of JESUS.!!
Love and prayers to the family.!!!



Helen Couch - October 09, 2021 at 06:15 PM

LN

“ Linda Napier lit a candle in memory of Arthur
Dean



Linda Napier - October 09, 2021 at 06:05 PM

DL

“ Deborah Napier Lewis lit a candle in memory
of Arthur Dean



Deborah Napier Lewis - October 09, 2021 at 05:40 PM

MO

“ Arthur was a great man. He will be deeply missed by us all. Another
cousin gone to soon. RIH Arthur.

Mark Osborne - October 09, 2021 at 05:29 PM