



Billy R. Allen

January 18, 1943 - October 3, 2020

77, of Indianapolis, passed away October 3, 2020 after an extended illness. He was born January 18, 1943 in Russellville, KY, to the late Martin V. and Louise Harris Allen. Billy married Shirley A. Woods, July 28, 1967. He proudly served his country in the U. S. Marines Corps for eight years serving two tours in the Vietnam War. After leaving the Marine Corps, Billy was a truck driver for Transport Motor Express for 11 years. He then joined the Indiana National Guard in 1978, retiring in 2003. Billy was a member of Faith Baptist Church, Avon, a charter member of the Marine Corps League, American Legion Post #500, the VFW and the NRA.

Visitation will be Wednesday, October, 7, 2020 from 3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Thompson Road Chapel, 3333 E. Thompson Road and Thursday from 10:00 a.m. until time of service at 11:00 a.m.

Billy is survived by his loving wife of 53 years, Shirley A. Allen; son, Todd W. Allen; daughter, Brittany D. Bowling (Kyle); six grandchildren, Ashley Blevins, Tiffany Caffee (Ben), Kayla Hofmann (Cameron Causemaker), Courtney Hofmann (Jake Robinson), Brendan Allen and Christian Allen; and a brother, J. T. Allen (Addie). He was preceded in death by a daughter, Shannon D. Allen; two brothers, Harold and David Allen; and three sisters, Bea Patterson, Rebecca Watkins, and Gertie Jones.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are suggested to a Disabled or Wounded Veterans Association of their choice.

Cemetery Details

Washington Park East

10612 E. Washington St.
Indianapolis, IN 46229

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 7. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Thompson Road Chapel
3333 E. Thompson Road
Indianapolis, IN 46227
(317) 783-3315
info@shirleybrothers.com
<https://www.shirleybrothers.com>

Visitation

OCT 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Thompson Road Chapel
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Funeral Service

OCT 8. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Shirley Brothers Mortuaries & Crematory - October 08, 2020 at 12:24 PM



“ You were my greatest hero. Words cannot express my gratefulness for knowing you and loving you. You were a true patriot and American hero. The best God fearing, Jesus loving man I have ever been blessed to know. I will love you forever, my sweet Pappy. I hope you're catching some picture worthy fish up there.

Courtney - October 07, 2020 at 10:48 PM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Billy R. Allen.



October 06, 2020 at 11:45 PM

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“ *Billy Allen was a dear friend of my father, Bob Lowder. He was a good man and I enjoyed his company and kind words.*

Condolences to the entire family. God bless you as you mourn.

Angela Lowder

Angela Lowder - October 06, 2020 at 09:41 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Billy R. Allen.*



October 06, 2020 at 07:11 PM

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“ *Bill was a wonderful neighbor, and wonderful friend, he brought me to faith baptist church, we had many discussion setting out in his driveway, he will be missed by all who knew him.*

steve rehfeldt - October 06, 2020 at 04:48 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Billy R. Allen.*



October 06, 2020 at 12:08 PM

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“ ON BEHALF OF THE COMRADES AND SISTERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA YOU HAVE OUR DEEPEST CONDOLENCES FOR THE LOSS OF YOUR LOVED ONE AND OUR DEPARTED COMRADE. OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU ALL. SINCERELY VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA STATE CHAPLAIN KEISTON R. HOLLOWAY

KEISTON R. HOLLOWAY - October 06, 2020 at 10:48 AM

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“ I am so incredibly blessed to have known, loved, and been loved by, such an incredible man. Billy was more than a proud veteran and man of God; he was the best Pappy a girl could ask for and I will miss him every day for the rest of my life.

Kayla - October 06, 2020 at 09:57 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Billy R. Allen.



October 05, 2020 at 04:43 PM