



## Edward William Hammant

November 9, 1940 - June 18, 2021

Edward William Hammant, 80, of Indianapolis, passed away June 18, 2021. He was born November 9, 1940 in Chicago, IL, to the late Fred and Agnes (Behn) Hammant. Edward graduated from Evergreen Park High School, Class of 1958, then on to achieve his Bachelors' degree in Business Administration from Drake University. August 12, 1962, Edward married his high school sweetheart, Marlene Ruf, began his family and enjoyed a robust career in the field of steel sales, including 16 years at Central Steel & Wire Company. He then eventually founded his own firm in the materials handling industry: Ergonomic Equipment and Design Company, which he ran for 8 years before retiring. Edward was passionate about his yard work; he was a devoted volunteer for Fairbanks AA program as a sponsor and group facilitator; Ed was also an avid fan of the Indianapolis Colts and Pacers teams; he enjoyed traveling, luxury cars and trying new restaurants.

Visitation will be held Friday, June 25, 2021 from 12:00 p.m. until the time of service at 1:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel, 9900 Allisonville Road, Fishers, IN 46038.

Edward is survived by his daughter, Michelle Hathaway (Elliott); sons, Edward Hammant, Jr. (Amy) and Scott Hammant (Molly); grandchildren, Kyle, Jamilynn, David (Chelsea), William, Samantha; great-grandchildren, Bristol, and Brinnley; and sister, Marilyn Heintz. Edward is preceded in death by his wife Marlene (Ruf) Hammant.

In lieu of flowers, contributions are suggested to Northview Church, 14842 E. 136th St., Fishers, IN 46037.

# Cemetery Details

## Oaklawn Memorial Gardens

9700 Allisonville Rd.  
Indianapolis, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JUN 25.** 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel  
9900 N. Allisonville Road  
Fishers, IN 46038  
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## Funeral Service

**JUN 25.** 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

BB

“ *Very sorry to learn of Mr. Hammant's passing. He was a very kind man and was always very friendly to my family. He will be missed.*  
*Brett*

**Brett Buth** - December 23, 2024 at 01:59 PM



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**Shirley Brothers Mortuaries & Crematory** - June 29, 2021 at 08:21 AM

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“ *My deepest sympathy to Edwards family. I am the Mother-in-law of Edward Jr. I just want to say he was a very pleasant man even though we lived miles apart. Marlene and I would keep in touch. And we did get to meet his son and daughter-in-law Scott and Molly. We enjoyed spending time with the family at the Marriage of Ed Jr. and my daughter Amy. They were all so polite and engaging. With good conversations. The last time we saw him was at David and Chelsea wedding he was full of good spirit and great conversation we enjoyed him so much. I know he will be missed by all that had the pleasure of knowing Edward Hammant Sr. Thank you for bringing such a awesome man into our life's Ed Jr.*  
*With Love to the family,*  
*Judy Cook*



**Judy Cook** - June 25, 2021 at 01:39 PM