



## Gerald Max McCreery

June 3, 1933 - February 15, 2019

Gerald Max McCreery, 85, of Indianapolis, passed away February 15, 2019. He was born June 3, 1933 in Clay County, IN, to the late Luther and Wilma McCreery. Gerald proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He married Earlene Young, and was a machinist and supervisor for Chrysler Corporation for 25 years, retiring in 1988. He then received his Masters in Divinity, and was ordained in 2002. Gerald was a member of Lighthouse Community Church, and was a pastor for many churches throughout Indiana. Visitation will be Wednesday, February 20, 2019 from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service at 11:00 a.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 E. Washington St. Interment will follow at 3:00 p.m. at Beech Cemetery, 1525 CR 1500 W, Coal City, IN 47427.

Gerald is survived by his loving wife of 61 years, Earlene McCreery; children, Sally Williams Schutte (Jeffrey) and Michael McCreery; siblings, Carol Brown, George McCreery, Shirley Christensen and Barbara Newport; many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. A son, Charles Williams, preceded him in death. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society and/or Little Red Door Cancer Agency. [www.shirleybrothers.com](http://www.shirleybrothers.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Beech Cemetery

1525 CR 1500 W  
Coal City, IN 47427

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 20. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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

## Funeral Service

FEB 20. 11:00 AM (ET)

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

## Graveside Service

---

FEB **20**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Beech Cemetery  
1525 CR 1500 W  
Coal City, IN 47427

# Tribute Wall



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gerald Max McCreery.* ”



February 19, 2019 at 04:07 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Gerald Max McCreery.* ”



February 18, 2019 at 01:45 PM



“ *Carol, George, Barbara, Shirley, Richard & families purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Gerald Max McCreery.* ”



**Carol, George, Barbara, Shirley, Richard & families** - February 18, 2019 at 10:59 AM



“ *Linda Bertram lit a candle in memory of Gerald Max McCreery* ”



**Linda Bertram** - February 17, 2019 at 06:56 PM

GF

“ *Glen and Judy Price and Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Gerald Max McCreery.*



---

**Glen and Judy Price and Family** - February 17, 2019 at 01:16 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gerald Max McCreery.*



---

February 16, 2019 at 07:39 PM

SO

“ *Sorry Aunt Earlene & family. Uncle Max was such a nice, kind & soft spoken man. He was always nice to us. I enjoyed our visits on the phone talking about things, especially our dogs. He will be missed. With our sympathy and Love, Chuck & Sherri Orman*



---

**Sherri Orman** - February 16, 2019 at 02:02 PM