



Robert H. Ray, Sr

August 14, 1939 - December 20, 2017

Robert H. Ray, Sr.,

78, of Indianapolis, passed away December 20, 2017. He was born August 14, 1939 to the late Virgil H. and Velma I. Ray. Bob was a graduate of Moral High School and received his Bachelor's Degree from Butler University. He married Mary Ann Merkley and was an English Teacher for Hamilton Southeastern Schools. He was a member of the Men's Club of St. Simon Catholic Church and a Grand Knight of the Knights of Columbus St Joseph Council #5290. He enjoyed camping and watching Butler basketball.

Visitation will be Friday, December 22, 2017 from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 E. Washington St. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Saturday at 11:30 a.m. at St. Simon the Apostle Catholic Church, 8155 Oaklandon Rd.

Bob is survived by his wife of 56 years, Mary Ann Ray; daughters, Christy Whitfield and Cathy Ray; grandchildren, Christopher Upton, Michael Allison, Angela Quiroga, Dustin Quiroga, Cashé Quiroga, Amanda Felker (Michael), Maggon Ray and Crystal Ray; and brother, Irvin Wilson. A son, Bobby Ray; and a grandson, Kevin Whitfield, preceded him in death.

Cemetery Details

Oaklandon Cemetery

7136 Oaklandon Rd.
Indianapolis, IN 46236

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **22**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Mass of Christian Burial

DEC **23**. 11:30 AM (ET)

St. Simon the Apostle Catholic Church
8155 Oaklandon Road
Indianapolis, IN 46236

Tribute Wall

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“ *Condolences from Lisa and Charles Lewis.
We remember Bob as a warm person who loved college basketball
ball season. We wish the best to all of Ray Family and send our
warmest thoughts to help thru this difficult time.
From miles away,
Love from Lisa and Chuckie.*

Charles and Lisa Lewis - December 22, 2017 at 01:47 PM

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“ *Charles And Lisa Lewis lit a candle in
memory of Robert H. Ray, Sr*



Charles and Lisa Lewis - December 22, 2017 at 01:38 PM

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“ *Dick and Judy Rippel purchased the Arrive in Styl
e for the family of Robert H. Ray, Sr.*



Dick and Judy Rippel - December 21, 2017 at 11:55 AM

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“ *Ruby Miller and Family purchased the Rays of Light Spray for the family of Robert H. Ray, Sr.*



Ruby Miller and Family - December 20, 2017 at 04:46 PM