



Theodore Wyrthy "Ted" Black

October 14, 1923 - November 14, 2014

Theodore Wyrthy "Ted" Black,

91, of Indianapolis, passed away November 14, 2014. He was born October 14, 1923 in Marion, IN, to the late Lorne David and Hazel Eliza Gulliver Black. Ted was a graduate of Bedford High School, Class of 1941, and Tupelo Bible College. He served his country in the U.S. Army during WWII and married Priscilla Ann Weddle January 3, 1954, and she preceded him in death April 11, 2005.

Ted was a member of Calvary Tabernacle for over 65 years, where he held the positions of Church Secretary, Organist and Orchestra Director. He also was the organist for Shirley Brothers Mortuaries for many years.

Visitation will be held Tuesday, November 18, 2014 from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 E. Washington St. Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 12 noon at Calvary Tabernacle, 902 Fletcher Ave., with visitation one hour prior.

Ted is survived by his loving daughters, Debbie A. Austin (Terry), Lori R. Allen (Philip), Nancy J. Hobbs (Terry) and Angi G. Black; grandchildren, Philip Allen, Jr. (Katie), Bethany Kershaw (Tim), Heather Eads (Travis), Kristen Webb, Nick Hobbs (Emily), Tonya Cruser (Brett), Allison Hobbs and Courtney Burke (Chris); great-grandchildren, Maddie, Logan, Collin, Dominic, Cash, Austin, Joslin, Olivia, Jaxson and Molly; brothers, Kenneth and Phillip Black (Donna); and a sister, Grace Holcombe (Ben). A brother, John A. Black, preceded him in death.

Memorial contributions may be made to Calvary Tabernacle Food Pantry.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Park

9350 E Washington St.
Indianapolis, IN 46229

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 18. 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/>

Visitation

NOV 19. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Calvary Tabernacle
902 Fletcher Ave.
Indianapolis, IN 46203
(317) 262-4030

Funeral Service

NOV 19. 12:00 PM (ET)

Calvary Tabernacle
902 Fletcher Ave.
Indianapolis, IN 46203
(317) 262-4030

Tribute Wall

LN

“ Remembering your patience and skills during the seven years you tried your best to teach piano to decidedly untalented me from 1953 - 1960, plus all the Calvary Christian School annual Music Fests you guided. Rest in peace, gentle spirit.



Lila Perdue Naimark - November 19, 2014 at 09:50 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Theodore Wyrthy "Ted" Black.



November 17, 2014 at 08:38 PM



“ Basket of Joy was purchased for the family of Theodore Wyrthy "Ted" Black.



November 17, 2014 at 12:52 PM

JO

“ Angie.. Sorry for your loss.. Joan O'Connor



Joan O'Connor - November 17, 2014 at 12:11 PM



“ Let It Snow was purchased for the family of Theodore Wyrthy "Ted" Black.



November 17, 2014 at 09:00 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Theodore Wyrthy "Ted" Black.



November 17, 2014 at 08:11 AM

RC

“ My name is Rev. Frank R. La Crosse. Ted and I were friends for many years. Our friendship goes back to his time of military service at Fort Lewis, WA. I was pastor of Tacoma United Pentecostal Church, Tacoma, WA. where he attended. Ted spent many Sundays at our church and Sunday dinners at our home. We enjoyed his friendship and his musical talents. He played the piano and I preached. We will miss Ted and will always cherish his and his wife's memory. Wonderful people, dedicated to God. He freely gave of himself and poured kindness on every person he met. Our love and prayers for the family.

Rev. Frank R. and Jean La Crosse - November 15, 2014 at 07:43 PM