

William E. Wadsworth

March 28, 1954 - October 16, 2022

William E. Wadsworth,

68, of Indianapolis, passed away October 16, 2022. He was born March 28, 1954 in Indianapolis to the late Jack R. and Patricia J. Wadsworth. Will was employed with Riley Industries for many years.

Visitation will be Saturday, October 22, 2022 from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service at 12 noon at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 East Washington Street.

Will is survived by his son, William P. Wadsworth.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Park

9350 E Washington St.
Indianapolis, IN 46229

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **22**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

OCT **22**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

TE

“ *Billy & I were friends since second grade. He was a wonderful person & will be missed.* ”

Teresia - November 01, 2022 at 11:46 AM

JH

“ *James Hermsdorfer lit a candle in memory of William E. Wadsworth* ”



James Hermsdorfer - October 21, 2022 at 10:51 PM

Kevin Rider

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall* ”



Kevin Rider - October 21, 2022 at 12:06 PM

Kevin Rider

A portrait I did at at my good freind and coffee buddy's request. It hung at the coalyard coffee house till its closing I will surely miss my good freind and coffee buddy bill.

Kevin Rider - October 21, 2022 at 12:14 PM

CN

Thank you for posting this Kevin. Bill was such a special person to do many of us. I'm grateful to have known him. And appreciative of your drawing of Bill.

Carol Neu-Frauman - October 21, 2022 at 02:12 PM

SK

It was nearly 2 years after his passing that I found out. He was my best friend and there are way to many stories for this past but he is sorely missed.

Stephen Kloss - December 20, 2025 at 09:25 AM

CB

“ *Cindy Benningfield lit a candle in memory of William E. Wadsworth*



Cindy Benningfield - October 21, 2022 at 06:26 AM

DM

“ *Don Moore lit a candle in memory of William E. Wadsworth*



Don Moore - October 19, 2022 at 07:56 PM

DM

“ *Don Moore purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of William E. Wadsworth.*



Don Moore - October 19, 2022 at 07:38 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William E. Wadsworth.*



October 18, 2022 at 06:58 PM



“ *Liann Storm-LaRussa lit a candle in memory of William E. Wadsworth*



Liann Storm-LaRussa - October 17, 2022 at 06:20 PM



I've known Bill since we were freshman year at Home. He was so sweet and funny. He will be missed. Fly high my friend.

Liann Storm-LaRussa - October 17, 2022 at 06:24 PM



The world has lost a beautiful soul.

Chrystal Lesage - October 18, 2022 at 12:39 PM



Billy & I have been friends since grade school. He was a beautiful person & a loving friend. You will be missed my friend. Love you

Teresia - October 19, 2022 at 10:52 AM

DM

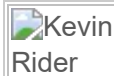
Bill and I have been life long Friends Bill always had a joke to tell'a never forgot the time him and Dennis hung me upside down in old well hole behind his house on Lasalle st told me there was a alligator down there scared the crap out of me:(LOL :) Bill had a Great Soul! You will be Missed Brother. RIP Don Moore

Don Moore - October 19, 2022 at 07:55 PM

CB

Billy & I met when I was about 19 yrs old. We spent the next 46 years floating in and out of each other's lives. Good times and not such good times, he always made me laugh. I loved him like the bestest of friends (me and about 100 other women). He's with his folks now, praise God.

Cindy Benningfield - October 21, 2022 at 06:26 AM

Kevin Rider

Bill and I met in High School. I found a picture of him in jail. It was a comtest of sorts it just to seewas very funny. I hung it on the order window just ti see how long it would take him too see it. Bill was a good man with a great sence of humor. I will miss him greatly

Kevin Rider - October 21, 2022 at 12:36 PM

RT

Uncle Bill, you will be forever missed! You are with Grandma, Grandpa, Dad and Lee now. All my love Robin and family.

Robin Tutin - October 21, 2022 at 01:43 PM

MW

I've known Billy (Yes after 68 yrs I still call him Billy) since we were very little. I always considered him my very 1st boyfriend (at the age of 5) . We lost touch with each other through the years & finally reconnected on Facebook several years ago but never got to meet up. Even so I will miss him & our occasional chat's on FB. RIH my dear friend & fly high! You will forever have that little piece in my heart.

Myrl (Maple) Wasmuth - October 21, 2022 at 03:45 PM

JR

Love you uncle BILL.LOVE JOE❤️

John Ryan - October 21, 2022 at 08:30 PM

JR

What a good man that was dealt a bad hand but never lived life like that .lesson learned so what ever happens in your life live like MR.WADSWORTH DID.ENJOY LIFE!! SURE AM GONNA MISS YOU
♥♥♥♥♥

John Ryan - October 21, 2022 at 08:45 PM

CN

Bill was such a light in high school. He made everyone smile and always brightened your day. I had the privilege of going to our high school senior prom with him. Quite a legacy to have so many people love you!

Carol Neu-Frauman - October 22, 2022 at 10:14 AM