



Bethel Watson Sells

March 17, 1942 - September 10, 2022

Bethel Watson Sells, 80, of Shirley, IN went home to be with the Lord while holding the hand of his granddaughter, Breanna, on the morning of Saturday, September 10, 2022 at Ball Memorial Hospital in Muncie.

He was born on March 17, 1942 in New Castle, IN, a son of the late Elmer and Beatrice (Dowdy) Sells.

Bethel graduated from Walter P. Chrysler Memorial High School in 1961. In 1963 he married the love of his life, Tina Marie Riley. Together they enjoyed 59 years of marriage. He served in the National Guard from 1960 – 1964 and the Army Reserve from 1964 – 1968, obtaining the rank of Specialist 5. He retired from Delco Remy in Anderson in 1999 after 34 years.

He was very strong in his Christian faith and loved the Lord with all of his heart. Bethel enjoyed Jimmy Swaggart's songs, bluegrass music and family trips to Gatlinburg, TN. His face would light up when he saw his grandchildren and great-grandchildren, especially as his passing grew near.

Those left to cherish his memory include his loving wife of 59 years, Tina Sells; children, Sandra (Kenny) Bennett of New Castle and Keith Edward Sells of Shirley; granddaughters, Breanna (Derek) Bertrand of New Castle and Jennifer (Brandon) Jackson of Cambridge City; great-grandchildren, Braydon,

Addyson, Evan, Mason, Nolan and Gatlin; siblings, Creola Carter and Eugene (Linda) Sells both of New Castle and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Thomas Earl Sells and an infant son, Jeffery Allen Sells.

His Lord said unto him, Well done, thou good and faithful servant. Matthew 25:21.

Funeral services will be held at 3:00 pm, Friday, September 16, 2022 at Sproles Family Funeral Home with Pastor Eric Boling officiating.

Friends may call from 1 – 3 pm prior to the service at the funeral home.

You may send the family a personal condolence at www.sprolesfamilycares.com.

The Sproles family and staff are honored to serve the family of Bethel Sells.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **16.** 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Sproles Family Funeral Home
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Service

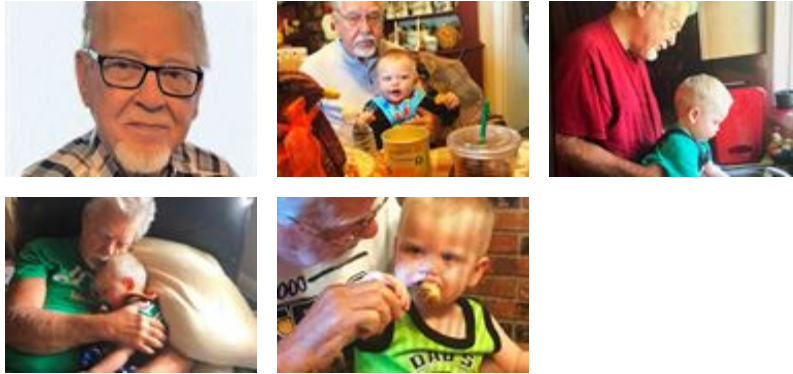
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Tribute Wall



“ 164 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Sproles Family Funeral Home - September 15, 2022 at 02:38 PM

BP

“ *Bill & Loujean Pendergraft lit a candle in memory of Bethel Watson Sells*



Bill & Loujean Pendergraft - September 15, 2022 at 09:03 AM

DR

“ *I'm so sorry to hear about Bethel but we do know where he is! Bethel and Tina hold a special place in my heart! Sending my love and sympathy to you all. Prayers that God will help you through this sad time and the days ahead.*



Donna Ragan - September 12, 2022 at 08:34 PM



“ Grandpa you were our whole world. Thank you for teaching me to love God! I am so thankful that you are no longer in pain and are singing with the angels... if anyone deserves heaven, it is you! I love you Grandpa!❤️

Breanna Bertrand - September 12, 2022 at 04:28 PM

BH

“ Becky Carter Huber lit a candle in memory of Bethel Watson Sells



Becky Carter Huber - September 12, 2022 at 04:13 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Bethel Watson Sells.



September 11, 2022 at 10:08 PM

PM

“ Phil Marsh lit a candle in memory of Bethel Watson Sells



phil marsh - September 11, 2022 at 05:55 PM

SB

“ *Forever in my heart, my dear, sweet daddy. Love you, Sandy*

sandra bennett - September 11, 2022 at 03:50 PM