



## Homer Junior Denney

March 15, 1964 - January 28, 2020

Homer Junior Denney, 55, a lifelong resident of New Castle, Indiana, passed away peacefully in his sleep on the evening of Tuesday January 28, 2020. Loving family was by his side as he died following complications from his third heart valve surgery. He was born March 15, 1964, in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Homer was a lifelong talented handyman with an extraordinary work ethic. He wholly enjoyed, and was passionately devoted to, his entrepreneurial handyman craft. Homer had a noteworthy knack for professionalism, and organizational skills, while on the job. He zestfully lived to earnestly accomplish countless, challenging projects. Homer was highly regarded, by his many years of clientele, for his remarkable commitment to ensure a job well done.

Homer was a lively outdoorsman who, amongst other nature activities, enjoyed boating and fishing at Lake Santee in Indiana. He had a green thumb and took pleasure in growing flowers and other greenery. He enjoyed the companionship of a wide array of pet animals throughout his lifetime.

Since childhood, Homer was an avid professional wrestling fan. He was also a lifelong rock 'n' roll fan who enjoyed attending music concerts with friends. He was a dedicated Indianapolis 500 race fan and often attended races and Carb Day events. In the last few years, Homer became an IU college basketball

and football fan and began to increasingly attend games.

Homer was humble, grateful, generous, optimistic, resourceful, and motivated. He selflessly liked to help others. Homer cherished all who held him dear, especially his sister, Teresa. He was spontaneous and adventurous, had a spirited sense of humor, and his wild card personality was electrifying.

Homer is survived by sister, Linda Latham of New Castle, Indiana, brother, Gary (wife: Brenda) Hays of Kokomo, Indiana, and sister, Teresa Huceby of Sulphur Springs, Indiana; nieces, Lisa Doran (husband: David), Brandy, Jane Huceby, Amber Ahumada (husband: Jesus, children: Katalaya, Ezekeiel), and great nieces and nephews, Caleb, Nicole, Little Kenny, Kamden, Sara, Ricky, Leanna, Kristy, Tiffany, Michael and Mitchell. Homer is also survived by longtime friends, Doctor Phyllis Grant, Margie Grant, Sam Cook, and Steve Brown. He is preceded in death by his mother, Elma Hays and father, Homer D. Denney. Homer is also preceded in death by brother in law, A.B. Huceby and friends, Betty Knight, Vernon Dickison, and Elizabeth Griffith. Homer will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

A service honoring Homer's life will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 4, 2020 at Sproles Family Funeral Home in New Castle, Indiana with Gary New officiating. Visitation will be 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday February 4, 2020 at the funeral home. Burial will follow in South Mound Cemetery West Lawn Addition.

Contributions and flowers reflecting Homer's love of nature may be sent to Sproles Family Funeral Home at 2400 South Memorial Drive, New Castle, Indiana, 47362.

You may send the family a personal condolence at [www.sprolesfamilycares.com](http://www.sprolesfamilycares.com)

The Sproles family and staff are honored to serve the family of Homer Junior Denney.

# Cemetery Details

## South Mound Cemetery West Lawn Addition

950 South Memorial Dr.  
New Castle, IN 47362

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 4. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Sproles Family Funeral Home  
2400 S Memorial Dr  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Thoughts and Prayers are with you all at this time of great loss!*

Charlotte A Jackson - February 04, 2020 at 09:57 AM



*Charlotte, thank you for your kind words. Your thoughts and prayers are appreciated.*

Teresa Hucceby - February 05, 2020 at 09:09 PM



“ *46 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Sproles Family Funeral Home - February 04, 2020 at 08:32 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Homer Junior Denney.*



February 02, 2020 at 04:53 PM

JC

“ Linda prayers for you and the family,love you



Joyce Conyers - February 02, 2020 at 12:55 PM

TH

Joyce, thank you for your prayers. I will pass on your message to Linda. Thank you for caring.

Teresa Hucceby - February 03, 2020 at 03:52 PM

DH

“ I have known Homer since he was a little boy--he grew up & loved to work--he built my big fence perfectly. He had a Great sense of pride in himself & loved to laugh & cut up--I will miss seeing him!prayer's for the family!



Dee Houser - February 01, 2020 at 10:38 PM

TH

Dee, thank you for sharing your kind thoughts and memories of my brother. He really did like to joke around. And thank you for recognizing his dedication to his work. Your prayers and kind words are appreciated.

Teresa Hucceby - February 03, 2020 at 03:50 PM

LH

“ So sorry to hear this. Always likes Homer. Teresa my prayers are with you. I know how close you 2 were. RIP Homer. Rise on those angel wings. Lisa Davis Huddleston

lisa davis huddleston - January 31, 2020 at 08:09 PM

TH

*Lisa, thank you for your sympathy, prayers, and such kind thoughts. Your words are very appreciated.*

**Teresa Huceby** - February 03, 2020 at 03:46 PM

RD

“ *So sorry for your loss Teresa.. looking back on the school days at Hernly.. Homer and I would swing every recess and try to see who could swing The highest.. with his determination.. you guessed it! Lol Homer got the highest. A wonderful person . Would help anyone. I'll cherish all our school day memories.he'll be dearly missed. Your all in our prayers and thoughts Teresa. May God comfort you and yours in the days ahead. Ricky Davis*

**Rivky Davis** - January 31, 2020 at 02:31 PM

TH

*Ricky, thank you ever so much for sharing your thoughtful memories with my brother. They made me chuckle. And thank you for recognizing Homer's unrelenting determination and just how truly he enjoyed helping others. I am very grateful for your prayers and such kind thoughts. Thank you.*

**Teresa Huceby** - February 03, 2020 at 03:44 PM

BH

“ *Rest In Peace Homer :(*



**Beverly Holwager** - January 31, 2020 at 01:30 PM

TH

*Beverly, thank you for your kind rest in peace thoughts for my brother.*

**Teresa Huceby** - February 03, 2020 at 03:38 PM

CK

“ My mom, Patsy Woolums, loved having Homer help her at the clothes cloost, 18th and H, on Thursdays. My brother, Brook, and Homer were friends. I thought the world of Homer. Sorry Teresa for the loss of ur brother. He will be missed. Cindy Kissick

Cindy Kissick - January 30, 2020 at 04:49 PM

TH

Cindy, thank you so very much for your thoughts and memories. Homer thrived on helping wherever he found himself. He enjoyed working on H Avenue. Homer thought highly of you and your family. Thank you for your condolences. Teresa Huceby

Teresa Huceby - January 31, 2020 at 11:18 AM

EC

Homer was a very nice, polite, gentelman. He will be missed by many.

Eileen Callahan - January 31, 2020 at 02:54 PM

LE

homer and i talked a long time one day for hrs he told me what all i missed growing up not around the rest of the family god bless you homer i know your not in any pain now

liz edmonds - January 31, 2020 at 05:55 PM

AM

So sorry for your loss Teresa, you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers ❤️

Angie Morgan - January 31, 2020 at 10:59 PM

TH

Cindy, thank you so very much for your thoughts and memories. Homer thrived on helping wherever he found himself. He enjoyed working on H Avenue. Homer thought highly of you and your family. Thank you for your condolences. Teresa Huceby

Teresa Huceby - February 02, 2020 at 09:58 PM

TH

*Eileen Callahan, thank you ever so kindly for such nice words about my brother. Your thoughts are very appreciated.*

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**Teresa Huceby** - February 03, 2020 at 03:35 PM

TH

*Liz Edmonds, thank you for sharing your memories of Homer. Although he left all of us behind too soon, I am grateful that Homer was not in any physical or emotional pain as he left. I am glad that you still had the opportunity to create memories with my brother, regardless of how fleeting. Thank you for caring.*

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**Teresa Huceby** - February 03, 2020 at 03:36 PM

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*Angie Morgan, thank you ever so much for your kindness during this incredibly difficult time. Your thoughts and prayers are very much appreciated.*

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**Teresa Huceby** - February 03, 2020 at 03:37 PM