



Jack L. Bailey

November 30, 1929 - July 24, 2015

Jack L. Bailey, 85, of New Castle, passed away unexpectedly on the afternoon of Friday, July 24, 2015 at IU Health Ball Memorial Hospital in Muncie, following a lengthy illness.

He was born November 30, 1929 in Greenfield, a son of the late Lewis and Nina (Bannister) Bailey.

Jack was a 1948 graduate of New Castle High School. He served his country in the US Navy aboard an LST during the Korean Conflict and in later years enjoyed attending the annual reunions with his shipmates. Jack worked several years at Chrysler Corporation and then worked for over 30 years as a truck driver for Farm Bureau Co-op delivering petroleum. Jack was a member of the American Legion and a life-member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars (V.F.W.). He was a sports enthusiast and enjoyed golf, bowling, playing poker, horse racing, and especially enjoyed fishing for Walleye in Canada. He enjoyed spending time with family and friends and was most proud of raising his two daughters as a single father.

Jack is survived by his wife, Martha (Garvey) Bailey; his daughters, Kim (husband: Gregg) Fowler of Murfreesboro, TN and Marisa Anderson of Indianapolis; his grandchildren, Michael Huckaby, Radnor Fowler and Amanda (husband: Blu) White; a great-grandson, Caden White; a sister, Mary Flynn of

Muncie and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Jack was preceded in death by a brother, Robert Bailey; a sister, Norma Jean Anderson and son-in-law, Blake Anderson.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, July 28, 2015 at St. Anne Catholic Church with Deacon Russ Woodard officiating. Burial will follow in St. Anne Cemetery where military honors will be conducted by contingents from the US Navy, American Legion and V.F.W.

The family will receive friends from 11:00 a.m. until the time of the service Tuesday at the church.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Sproles Family Funeral Home.

Memorial contributions may be offered to St. Anne Church. You may send the family a personal condolence at www.sprolesfamilycares.com.

The Sproles family and staff are honored to serve the family of Jack L. Bailey.

Cemetery Details

St. Anne Catholic Cemetery

271 W. County Road 50 N.
New Castle, IN 47362

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 28. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

St. Anne Catholic Church
102 N. 19th St.
New Castle, IN

Service

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Tribute Wall

MG

“ I thought of Jack Bailey today. Listening to the song "In Color" by Janey Johnson. Song always reminds me of Jack. A veteran. A sailor. A father.

Michael Garvey - November 08, 2024 at 01:48 PM

KN

“ So sorry to hear about the loss of your Dad, Kim and Marissa! You both will be in my prayers.

Karen Chilton Norton - July 28, 2015 at 10:01 PM

TG

“ Thanks Jack for helping Aunt Mart pick out the cutest outfits for the girls. You had great taste! We will fondly remember you, Mike, Triona, Saffron and Cameryn Garvey.

The Garveys - July 28, 2015 at 10:14 AM

DL

“ I'm reading this in Crawfordsville, IN, and wondering if this is the Jackie Bailey I was in grade school with at Hernly Grade School. I lived on 21st between F and G Ave and I think he lived on S 20th. If this is the Jack I knew, he was a great kid. Glad to see he had a good family. Donna Gauchat Long.

donna Gauchat Long - July 27, 2015 at 07:21 PM



Marisa Bailey

Thank you Donna. I am just now seeing this message on the anniversary of Daddy's funeral. Dad lived on S.19th street in the home his parents built and where he raised my sister and I in the same house. He was the sweetest, kindest and most selfless man I've ever known and I'm proud he was my dad. Thank you for writing!

Marisa Bailey Anderson - July 26, 2016 at 09:53 PM



“ *Marisa Anderson sent a virtual gift in memory of Jack L. Bailey*



Marisa Anderson - July 27, 2015 at 09:59 AM

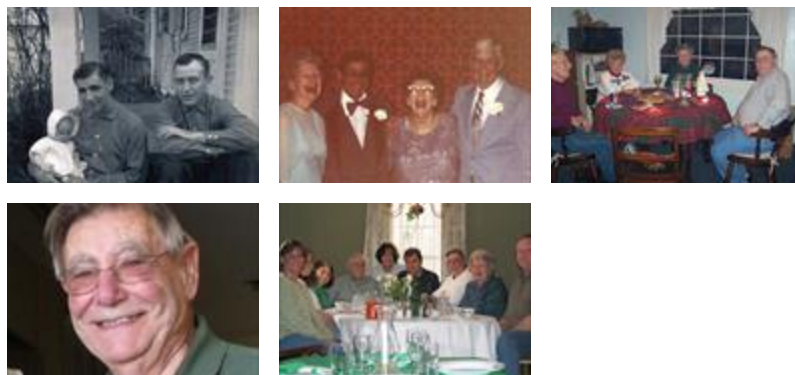


Daddy, I couldn't be more proud of the father, husband, son, brother and friend you were to all of us. I'm so blessed to have your kind, gentle heart and love of life. Thank you for ALWAYS being there for me and loving me. I adore you, I'll miss you and I will ALWAYS love you.

Marisa Anderson - July 27, 2015 at 10:02 AM



“ *76 files added to the album Tribute to Jack L. Bailey. We love you!*



Marisa Anderson - July 27, 2015 at 09:56 AM

MA

“ I always enjoyed riding with him and grandpaw in the trucks to pick up supplies for the store. Mike Anderson

mike anderson - July 27, 2015 at 09:43 AM

NF

“ Norman Fowler and Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Jack L. Bailey.



Norman Fowler and Family - July 27, 2015 at 08:53 AM



“ Spring Has Sprung Mixed Basket was purchased for the family of Jack L. Bailey.



July 25, 2015 at 05:54 PM