



## Kurt W. Baker

May 7, 1959 - February 27, 2024

Kurt W. Baker, 64, of New Castle, passed away early Tuesday morning, February 27, 2024, at IU Health Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis.

He was born on May 7, 1959, in New Castle, Indiana, a son of the late Kenneth W. and Grace E. (Upchurch) Baker.

Kurt grew up in New Castle and attended New Castle Schools. He lived in Louisiana for several years and was an Ironworker in Oil Refineries. He also worked in construction building Shoney's Restaurants. Following his return to Indiana, Kurt worked for Modernfold until its closing. He also worked construction on his own and with Quality Builders, and later as a Millwright for Duke Energy.

Kurt loved being outdoors fishing, coon hunting, and target shooting. He was competitive by nature and enjoyed beating his friends and family at card games.

Those left to cherish Kurt's memory include his son, Kyle (Heather) Baker of New Castle; three grandchildren, Kennedy Baker, Destiny (Darien) Cory, and Logan Augustine, all of New Castle; two great-grandchildren, Waylon and Emersyn Cory; a sister, Kathy Baker Turner of New Castle; three brothers, Kermit (Tonda) Baker of Gaston, Kimble Baker of New Castle, and Kelly Baker

of New Castle; a sister-in-law, Tamey Baker of New Castle, and several cousins, nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Kurt was preceded by his wife, Angela Baker; four brothers, Kilby, Keith, Kameron, and Karvin Baker; a sister who was stillborn, Karen Baker; and two sisters-in-law, Sonja Baker and Brenda Baker.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 pm Friday, March 1, 2024 at Sproles Family Funeral Home. Burial will follow in South Mound Cemetery West Lawn Addition.

Friends may call from 11:00 am until the time of service Friday at the funeral home.

You may offer 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 Kurt W. Baker.

# Cemetery Details

## South Mound Cemetery West Lawn Addition

950 South Memorial Dr.  
New Castle, IN 47362

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 1. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Sproles Family Funeral Home  
2400 S Memorial Dr.  
New Castle, IN 47362

## Funeral

MAR 1. 2:00 PM (ET)

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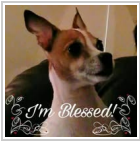
# Tribute Wall

SS

“ *Sheila Stigall lit a candle in memory of Kurt Baker*



Sheila Stigall - March 08, 2024 at 10:17 AM



“ *Teresa Upchurch lit a candle in memory of Kurt Baker*



Teresa Upchurch - March 01, 2024 at 08:41 PM

TB

“ *Treva Brown lit a candle in memory of Kurt Baker*



Treva J Brown - March 01, 2024 at 05:35 PM

AS

“ *Think of you today Kathy. Hugs sent your way.*

Angela Showalter - March 01, 2024 at 01:26 PM



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Sproles Family Funeral Home - March 01, 2024 at 09:48 AM



“ 18 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Sproles Family Funeral Home - February 29, 2024 at 08:25 PM

BW

*Got to know Kurt from turkey shoots he was a great guy we will miss him very much god bless Bret Williams*

Bret Williams - February 29, 2024 at 10:14 PM



“ 73 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Sproles Family Funeral Home** - February 29, 2024 at 01:31 PM



“ *Misty Baker lit a candle in memory of Kurt Baker*



**Misty Baker** - February 28, 2024 at 08:21 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kurt W. Baker.*



February 28, 2024 at 02:05 PM

YF

“ *Your awesome work family!!!!!!!!!! planted a <a href="/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518">Memorial Tree</a> in honor of Kurt W. Baker.*

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**Your awesome work family!!!!!!!!!!** - February 28, 2024 at 02:05 PM

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“ *Kermit Baker lit a candle in memory of Kurt Baker*



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**Kermit Baker** - February 28, 2024 at 12:32 PM