



Belvie Risner

December 27, 1942 - December 11, 2025

Belvie Risner, age 82, of Wheatfield, Indiana, passed away on Thursday, December 11, 2025, in Crown Point.

Belvie was born on December 27, 1942, in Rensselaer, Indiana, the son of Hack and Sadie (Brown) Risner. He married the love of his life, June Oliver, on May 7th, 1960, and she lovingly survives.

Belvie was a dedicated businessman, owning and operating a service station for many years. He was also fondly known as the longtime “mayor” of Sandy Pines Golf Course—a role he cherished for the community and friendships it brought. A faithful member of the Wheatfield Pentecostal Church, Belvie lived his life with integrity, kindness, and a deep devotion to God and family.

He loved the outdoors and found great joy in fishing, hunting, and golfing. Above all, Belvie treasured time spent with his family, who were the heart of his life.

Belvie is survived by his beloved wife of 65 years, June Risner; his children, Sandra (Mitchell) Van Kley, Robert “Bobby” Risner, and Andrea (Andy) Korniak; five grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his sister, Carolyn Maxwell, along with many cherished nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his son, Belvie James; his brothers, Lee and Eveston Risner; and his sisters, Pat Holley, Susan Burns, and Mona Risner.

A private service and burial will be held at Jackson Funeral Service, with interment at Kankakee Township Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Wheatfield Pentecostal Church in Belvie's honor.

Cemetery Details

Kankakee Township Cemetery

N County Road 200 E
Wheatfield, IN 46392

Tribute Wall

DS

“ World lost a great man. Lots of memories working with him at the golf course. Sending my thoughts and prayers to his family.



Derek S - December 17, 2025 at 12:09 PM

PW

“ Pastor William Whitaker lit a candle in memory of Belvie Risner



Pastor William Whitaker - December 16, 2025 at 04:55 AM

PW

I knew his mother and father many many years ago we would come from Silverlake Pentecostal, Church of God we fellowship with them for many years his brother Everston was a great man of God. Our pastor told the stories of him how that God changed Everstone life. The family was very dedicated to their church and our Heavenly Father. The great witness for the the ones that knew him. great legacy he left behind

Pastor William Whitaker - December 16, 2025 at 05:00 AM

PW

Our prayers are with you and the family

Pastor William Whitaker - December 16, 2025 at 05:00 AM

AK

Thank you 🧡🙏

Andrea Risner Korniak - December 22, 2025 at 04:30 PM

DB

“ *Deric And Mindy Beier lit a candle in memory of Belvie Risner*



Deric and Mindy Beier - December 15, 2025 at 03:16 PM

SF

“ *Solyn Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Belvie Risner.*



Solyn Family - December 14, 2025 at 04:47 PM

SF

“ *Solyn Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Belvie Risner.*

Solyn Family - December 14, 2025 at 04:47 PM

JB

“ *Judy Burvan lit a candle in memory of Belvie Risner*



Judy Burvan - December 14, 2025 at 08:35 AM

JB

Belvie was the best! Sending my sincere condolences to his family and friends. May he rest in peace.

Judy Burvan - December 14, 2025 at 08:39 AM

JK

“ Judith K. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Belvie Risner.

Judith K. - December 13, 2025 at 10:07 AM

MB

“ Belvie was one of the best, nicest & generous men I know. I can't call him a brother-in-law, he was a brother to me. I will miss you Belvie, but remember you for how you loved.

Mary Bell - December 12, 2025 at 04:51 PM

JK

My heart goes out to Carolyn and her family. Losing a beloved brother is so difficult. Love and hugs to you.

Judy Kanne - December 13, 2025 at 10:10 AM