



Herschel E. Denham Sr.

December 8, 1939 - January 23, 2023

Herschel E. Denham Sr., 83, a resident of Monticello, IN, passed away on Monday, January 23, 2023. Herschel was born in Saint Anne, IL on December 8, 1939, the son of Myrtle (Denham) Noble.

Herschel attended the Mt. Ayr and Monon public school systems. He worked as a heavy equipment operator at Farm Builders Incorporated for 36 years and previously at Miller's Garage, Babcock's, and in farming. Herschel married his first wife and mother of his children, Darlene Coley, on December 14, 1957, in Rensselaer, IN, and she passed away on March 12, 2005. He married his second wife, Marie (Powell) Wheeldon, on June 14, 2008, in Wolcott, IN, and she passed away on September 22, 2022. Herschel was a member of the Wolcott Christian Church. He was an avid motorcycle rider and enjoyed traveling.

Herschel is survived by his children, Herschel Jr. (Pamela) Denham of Wolcott, IN, Rickey Denham, Vicki (Tony) Ross of Monticello, IN; stepchildren, Mike (Carla) Wheeldon of Rensselaer, IN, Brian Wheeldon of Wolcott, IN; three grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; eight step great-grandchildren; sibling, Esther Hayes of Rensselaer, IN; sister-in-law, Juanita Denham of Selmer, TN.

Herschel was preceded in death by his mother, Myrtle; wife and mother of his

children, Darlene Denham; second wife, Marie Denham; brother, Dennis Denham; daughter-in-law, Vanessa Denham.

Friends may call upon the family at Jackson Funeral Chapel on Monday, January 30, 2023, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM CT. A Funeral Service will be held immediately following at the chapel at 1:00 PM CT with Pastor Tom Bennett officiating. Interment will follow at Memory Gardens, Rensselaer.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society.

Cemetery Details

Memory Gardens of Rensselaer

Memory Gardens
Rensselaer, IN 47978
(219) 866-5125
info@jacksonfuneral.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 30. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer
250 N. McKinley Avenue
P.O. Box 70
Rensselaer, IN 47978
(219) 866-5123
info@jacksonfuneral.com
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Funeral Service

JAN 30. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Herschel E. Denham Sr.*



Jackson Funeral Chapels - January 27, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Herschel E. Denham Sr..*



January 28, 2023 at 12:48 PM



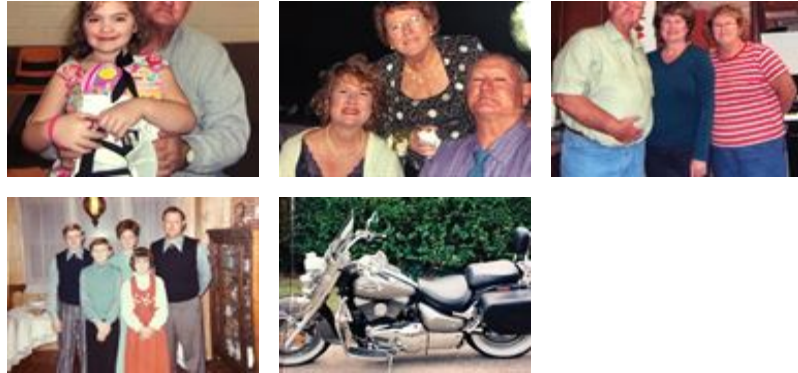
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January 28, 2023 at 10:30 AM



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Jackson Funeral Chapels - January 27, 2023 at 11:23 PM



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Jackson Funeral Chapels - January 27, 2023 at 05:40 PM



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Jackson Funeral Chapels - January 26, 2023 at 06:27 PM

SG

To the Denham family, I am so sorry, I saw him at White Oaks a couple months ago, I recognized him and said hello. Peace be with your family.

Susan Gauger - January 26, 2023 at 08:00 PM

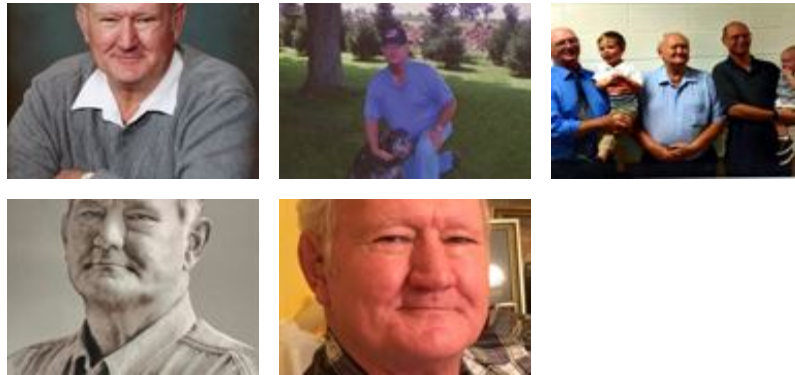
RP

Our sympathy to you all in the loss of your father and grandfather. May your memories bring smiles to your faces and peace to your heart.

Roberta Pilotte - February 06, 2023 at 09:21 AM



“ 29 files added to the album Life Tributes



Jackson Funeral Chapels - January 25, 2023 at 07:21 PM

CO

“ *Our very sincerest sympathy to all of Herschel's family. May he rest in eternal peace.*

Craig and Theresa Oberlander

Craig/Theresa Oberlander - January 25, 2023 at 02:23 PM

RP

“ Roy And Sheila Powell lit a candle in memory of Herschel E. Denham Sr.



Roy and Sheila Powell - January 24, 2023 at 11:27 PM

HD

“ Hubert Doughty lit a candle in memory of Herschel E. Denham Sr.



Hubert Doughty - January 24, 2023 at 09:46 PM

CG

“ Cathy Goin lit a candle in memory of Herschel E. Denham Sr.



Cathy Goin - January 24, 2023 at 07:05 PM

GK

“ Greg Kaufman lit a candle in memory of Herschel E. Denham Sr.



Greg Kaufman - January 24, 2023 at 06:05 PM