



## Randy Wayne DeWees

October 17, 1956 - August 8, 2022

Randy DeWees, 65, a lifetime resident of Rensselaer, IN, passed away on Monday, August 8, 2022, at Franciscan Health Lafayette. He was born in Rensselaer, IN on October 17, 1956, the son of Marvin and Dorothy (Phegley) DeWees.

Randy graduated from Rensselaer High School with the Class of 1975 and earned his associate degree from Lincoln Tech in Indianapolis. On August 17, 1985, he married his wife, Marie Henry, at Barkley Church and she survives. Randy worked for Jay's Potato Chips for seventeen years and Frito Lay for ten years as a Route Salesman. After retiring in 2014, he became a full-time auctioneer and remained active until his passing.

He was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church of Rensselaer. He was also a member of the VFW Post 1279, the NRA, and the local Pheasants Forever chapter. Randy was a past member of the Indiana State Auctioneers Association and the Jasper County Chamber of Commerce. He was an avid outdoorsman, who enjoyed gardening and auctioneering. He loved spending time with his family and teaching his grandkids the great outdoors, and they will miss him dearly.

Randy is survived by his wife, Marie; children, Cory (Samantha) DeWees of Demotte, IN and Megan (Ryan) Hunsley of Rensselaer, IN; grandchildren,

Matthew, James, Caleb, and Waylon with two more grandchildren on the way; siblings, Joni (DeWees) Reiter of Westborough, MA and Jerry (Shelley) DeWees of Rensselaer, IN; many nieces, nephews, and great nieces and nephews.

Randy was preceded in death by his parents.

Friends may call on the family on Friday, August 12, 2022, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM CT at Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer. A funeral service will be held immediately following at 12:00 PM CT with Pastor Andy Martin officiating. Interment will follow at Osborne Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the family.

# Cemetery Details

## Osborne Cemetery

Osborne Cemetery  
Rensselaer, IN 47978

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 12.** 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer  
250 N. McKinley Avenue  
P.O. Box 70  
Rensselaer, IN 47978  
(219) 866-5123  
[info@jacksonfuneral.com](mailto:info@jacksonfuneral.com)  
<https://www.jacksonfuneral.com>

## Funeral Service

**AUG 12.** 12:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer  
250 N. McKinley Avenue  
P.O. Box 70  
Rensselaer, IN 47978  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees



Jackson Funeral Chapels - August 09, 2022 at 07:21 PM

CH

Marie and family we are praying for you. Haywood and Carol Hatcher. God's special blessings.

Carol Hatcher - August 09, 2022 at 09:04 PM

LS

Oh God Bless,I'm So sorry 💔 Deep Condolences to you all for the Loss of a Great Guy💔

Lynn Standish - August 09, 2022 at 09:15 PM

VN

Marie and Family, our deepest condolences to all. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Lou and Vicki Nagel

Vicki Nagel - August 10, 2022 at 09:33 AM

BJ

“ Beth Jackson lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees



Beth Jackson - August 12, 2022 at 11:32 AM

DW

“ Marie and Family, Our sincere sympathy to all of you.  
Don & Gloria Waymouth



Don & Gloria Waymouth - August 11, 2022 at 07:30 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Randy Wayne DeWees.



August 11, 2022 at 07:09 PM

GK

“ Greg Kaufman lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees



Greg Kaufman - August 11, 2022 at 04:35 PM

SI

“ Summit Financial Group of Indiana purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Randy Wayne DeWees.



Summit Financial Group of Indiana - August 11, 2022 at 10:50 AM

BJ

“ *Beth Jackson lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees*



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**Beth Jackson** - August 10, 2022 at 07:42 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Randy Wayne DeWees.*



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August 10, 2022 at 01:28 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Randy Wayne DeWees.*



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August 10, 2022 at 12:21 PM

ED

“ *I'm sorry to hear this.  
Randy was a good guy.  
My condolences to his family.*

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**Ed Davisson** - August 10, 2022 at 10:17 AM

MB

“ Myles Beeching lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees



Myles Beeching - August 10, 2022 at 07:29 AM

HL

“ Homer And Theresa Lakin lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees



Homer and Theresa Lakin - August 10, 2022 at 07:10 AM

ML

“ Marilyn Lowry lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees



marilyn lowry - August 09, 2022 at 09:35 PM

KS

“ KEVIN & MARY SCHEURICH lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees



KEVIN & MARY SCHEURICH - August 09, 2022 at 09:00 PM

CS

“ *Cindy Sheffer lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees*



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**Cindy Sheffer** - August 09, 2022 at 08:56 PM

JS

“ *My sincerest condolences to the entire family. Randy was such a great man and will be dearly missed. Such super memories of all us parents watching our kids play sports. My prayers go out to Marie and the all the family. God bless.*

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**John Igoe Sr** - August 09, 2022 at 08:12 PM

GN

“ *Glenda Nagel lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees*



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**Glenda Nagel** - August 09, 2022 at 08:10 PM

TD

“ *Such a caring man, gone way too soon. Love and prayers for your comfort.*  
*Tanny Dawson*



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**Tanny and Betty Dawson** - August 09, 2022 at 08:08 PM

SL

“ Steve, Diana Gaines So Sorry For Your Los lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees



Steve, Diana Gaines So sorry for your los - August 09, 2022 at 07:35 PM

JM

“ Jerry Miller lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees



Jerry Miller - August 09, 2022 at 07:10 PM

CG

“ Cathy Prohosky Goin lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees



Cathy Prohosky Goin - August 09, 2022 at 06:39 PM

DW

“ Doug And Kathy Wilcox lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees



Doug and Kathy Wilcox - August 09, 2022 at 06:33 PM



“ 98 files added to the album Life Tributes



Jackson Funeral Chapels - August 09, 2022 at 06:32 PM

RL

“ Rich And Sue Ludington lit a candle in memory of Randy Wayne DeWees



Rich and Sue Ludington - August 09, 2022 at 06:26 PM

MA

“ I am so sorry Marie! My heartfelt condolences and prayers for all ❤️

Mary Alberts - August 09, 2022 at 06:25 PM