



Terry D. Dunlap

April 16, 1954 - October 10, 2024

Terry D. Dunlap, age 70, of Rensselaer, Indiana, passed away peacefully at his home on October 10, 2024. He was born on April 16, 1954, the son of Charles Gilbert & Leatha Mae (Horsewood) Dunlap.

Terry graduated from Rensselaer High School, the Class of 1972. On February 20, 1999, in Henderson, KY, he married Sara Jane Duff, who survives.

Terry was a gifted mechanic with a passion for fixing equipment and repairing tractors. His craftsmanship was evident during his time at Hamstra Builders, Sigman Sales & Service, and over 12 years with the Jasper County Highway Department where he retired. He was a member of the First Christian Church, where he served as a past Deacon. In addition to his work, Terry enjoyed playing Euchre and cherished moments spent with his family, grandchildren, and friends.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Sara; his children, Amber Reyes of Portage, IN; Brad (Beth) Dunlap of Rensselaer; Jason Settle of Rensselaer; Shawna Allen of Brook; and Derek Settle of Henderson, KY. He also leaves behind siblings Paul (Beverly) Dunlap and Cathy (Larry) Epler, both of Rensselaer, as well as 15 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers and two sisters.

Friends are invited to gather with the family on Wednesday, October 16, 2024, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM Central Time at Jackson Funeral Chapel in Rensselaer. A funeral service will follow at 12:00 PM, officiated by Chaplain Rich Stoll. Interment will take place at Memory Gardens of Rensselaer.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **16.** 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
<https://www.jacksonfuneral.com>

Funeral Service

OCT **16.** 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

RS

“ Roger And Vicki Steffen lit a candle in memory of Terry D. Dunlap



Roger and Vicki Steffen - October 20, 2024 at 08:03 AM

CS

“ Cheryl Oreskovich Schultz lit a candle in memory of Terry D. Dunlap



Cheryl Oreskovich Schultz - October 19, 2024 at 10:34 AM

CS

Thinking of you at this difficult time. In time may the sorrow you feel today be replaced with many of the happy memories you carry in your heart. Cheryl Oreskovich

Cheryl Oreskovich Schultz - October 19, 2024 at 10:36 AM

PS

“ May the peace of God that passes all understanding be yours today and always. Praying for all of Terry's family. Pastor Jeff Seger and the First Christian Church in Rensselaer.



Pastor Jeff Seger - October 16, 2024 at 09:25 AM



“ 71 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Jackson Funeral Chapels - October 15, 2024 at 12:12 PM

MB

“ *I am so sorry to hear about Terry's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with his family.*



Myles Beeching - October 15, 2024 at 12:10 PM

LK

“ *So sorry to hear of Terry's passing. We can't make it on Wednesday but you'll be in our thoughts and prayers 🙏*



Larry and Judy Koebecke - October 15, 2024 at 12:03 AM

DE

“ *In tribute for my classmate Terry. May he rest in peace and win some of those card games he'll be playing!* ”



Deb (Rose) Ellis - October 14, 2024 at 05:57 PM

AM

“ *Uncle Terry was one of the best Uncles a girl could ask for. I have so many wonderful memories of camping at Little Creek Campground and spending many weekends with Uncle Terry, Amber and Brad. He will be missed. I know my dad greeted him with open arms.* ”



Amy Manning - October 14, 2024 at 12:57 PM

AH

“ *Amy and Ryan Manning, Leah and Hannah purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Terry D. Dunlap.* ”



Amy and Ryan Manning, Leah and Hannah - October 14, 2024 at 12:26 PM

YF

“ *Your Bass Pro Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Terry D. Dunlap.*



Your Bass Pro Family - October 14, 2024 at 10:05 AM

OA

“ *Otis & ZOFIA Anselm*



Otis Anselm - October 14, 2024 at 07:29 AM

HL

“ *Homer And Theresa Lakin lit a candle in memory of Terry D. Dunlap*



Homer and Theresa Lakin - October 13, 2024 at 09:43 PM

SS

“ *Shelley Sigman lit a candle in memory of Terry D. Dunlap*



Shelley Sigman - October 13, 2024 at 09:22 PM

BC

“ *Becky Chastain lit a candle in memory of Terry D. Dunlap*



Becky Chastain - October 13, 2024 at 08:58 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Terry D. Dunlap.*



October 13, 2024 at 06:19 PM

EM

“ *Eddie and Andrea Mccart planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Terry D. Dunlap.*

Eddie and Andrea Mccart - October 13, 2024 at 06:19 PM

TC

“ *Twin Lakes Social Jeep Club purchased the "Cardinals" Black 36" Cylinder Sonnet for the family of Terry D. Dunlap.*



Twin Lakes Social Jeep Club - October 13, 2024 at 06:06 PM

LK

“ Lynn, Teresa and Kenzie purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Terry D. Dunlap.



Lynn, Teresa and Kenzie - October 13, 2024 at 03:47 PM

GS

“ Gary Sheffer lit a candle in memory of Terry D. Dunlap



Gary Sheffer - October 13, 2024 at 01:34 PM

BD

“ You are forever in my heart. That pesky little brother whom I often did your homework. Tell John hi , and I cherish every memory.

Bonnie Dunlap - October 13, 2024 at 12:54 PM

TC

“ Twin Lakes Social Jeep Club purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Terry D. Dunlap.



Twin Lakes Social Jeep Club - October 13, 2024 at 11:02 AM

TC

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Twin Lakes Social Jeep Club - October 13, 2024 at 11:02 AM

SG

“ This man ❤️ he pulled my heart strings every time we talked, he showed so much strength and always carried himself with upmost dignity. I am truly sorry for your loss, Dunlap family especially his love Sara. Godspeed, my sweet friend.

shelby gembala - October 13, 2024 at 06:18 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Terry D. Dunlap.



October 12, 2024 at 11:04 PM

TS

“ Tim and Ann Shelton planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Terry D. Dunlap.

Tim and Ann Shelton - October 12, 2024 at 11:04 PM

LM

“ Uncle Terry. I Will miss your infectious laughter your amazing smile and the best hugs, the kind that just put everything back in place.



Lori Minter - October 12, 2024 at 07:51 PM