



William Edward Rush

May 24, 1934 - June 20, 2024

William E. Rush, age 90, of Rensselaer, passed away on June 20, 2024, after a lengthy illness. He was born in Morocco, Indiana on May 24, 1934, to William and Audrey "Rose" (nee Hoon) Rush. In a house full of rowdy but respectful boys, his brothers were Jack (Edwina) Rush, Ronnie (Donna) Rush, and Dennis (Laverne) Rush.

William graduated from high school with the Class of 1952 before proudly serving in the United States Army. He was employed at LTV Steel/Bethlehem Steel Corp for several years and would do various trade work throughout his life.

He would later marry Janith Ford and share three children. Lisa (Brian) Shuffield, Rick Rush, and Brian Rush. William and Janith took Sandy Rush under their wings and would consider her one of their children as well.

William leaves behind grandchildren; Matthew McAleer, Jacob Rush, Jalyynn (Logan) Spangler, Chloe Shuffield, and Riley Shuffield. Great-grandchildren include; Cadence McAleer, Lily Rush, Violet Rush, Scarlet Spangler, and Stiles Spangler.

He is preceded in death by his parents William and Rose, brothers, Jack and Dennis, granddaughter, Chloe Shuffield, and ex-wife Janith.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are kindly asked to go to George Ade Memorial Health Care Center, in appreciation of all their efforts to keep their residence well cared for.

A private celebration of William's life will be held at a later date.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Uncle Bill had wonderful laugh and smile. He came to my dad's funeral he walked in proudly with no limp. Bill was like a father and let me just be a kid. RIP* ❤️



SANDY - June 21, 2024 at 08:52 AM

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So blessed to have him look after you Sandy. Their family was such a blessing ❤️

Greg - June 22, 2024 at 10:48 PM