



## Dennis A. Hendricks

April 15, 1948 - June 7, 2010

Dennis A. Hendricks, 62, of Bluffton, died at 1:13 p.m. Monday, June 7, 2010, at his residence. Mr. Hendricks was born in Paxton, Ill. on April 15, 1948, to Willmer T. "Boe" and Evelyn M. (Lanhardt) Hendricks. He married Iris F. Driscoll in Bluffton on June 29, 1978; she preceded him in death on March 22, 2002. A 1966 graduate of Chester Center High School, Mr. Hendricks drove trucks for the last 31 years. He drove for Alro Steel in Fort Wayne for 17 years, and recently drove for Smith Trucking in Poneto. He also worked for the Indiana State Highway Department. He enjoyed pulling garden tractors, gardening and working in his yard and flowers. He was a resident of Wells County since 1951 and attended First Baptist Church. Surviving relatives include two sons, David Hendricks of Bluffton and Doug (Rebecca) Hendricks of Honolulu, Hawaii; one daughter, Jennifer (Paul) Kalthorn of Kalamazoo, Mich.; one sister, Beverly Stanley of Bluffton; one brother, Glenn Hendricks of Ossian; and three grandchildren, Allie Kalthorn, Kyra Hendricks and Adelle Hendricks. Mr. Hendricks was also preceded in death by a daughter, Sara Hendricks. Calling hours will be from 2 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the Thoma/Rich, Chaney and Lemler Funeral Home, 308 W. Washington St., Bluffton. Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday, at the funeral home with Pastor Bud Abrams officiating. Burial is at Six Mile Cemetery, in Bluffton. Preferred memorials are to Family Hospice and Palliative Care. Online condolences: [www.thomarich.com](http://www.thomarich.com).



# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **10**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich,Lemler Funeral Home  
308 West Washington Street  
Bluffton, IN 46714  
(260) 824-3850  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Dennis A. Hendricks*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *One of my favorite memories of Indiana was with Denny and Dave on the back porch of Denny's house. Denny shared his love of life with such warmth and sincerity. It was a remarkable afternoon that has stayed with me all of these years. He was a man who genuinely understood the simple pleasures that life offers. And he gave the world two wonderful men, Doug and Dave. Our prayers are with all of his family.##imported-begin##Bob and Jenny Freeman##imported-end##*

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“ *I had a great time in school with Dennis those were the good years! I will always remember and miss him very much!LEE##imported-begin##Lee Hilkert##imported-end##*

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“ *So sorry for your loss. He was a great neighbor and a good friend!##imported-begin##David & Tery Schocke##imported-end##*

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“ Denny, Iris loved you to her last breath at the young age of 46 and I know she loves you still. Now you are home with her and Sara. Rest in peace knowing your Doug, Dave and Jen will have each other and they too are loved and will be looked after til they too will join you.##imported-begin##Nancy Mobley##imported-end##

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