



Dwight Ike Huffman

July 14, 1942 - September 15, 2025

Dwight K. "Ike" Huffman, 83 of rural Markle, passed away on Monday afternoon, September 15, 2025, at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne. Ike was born on July 14, 1942, in Bluffton to Clyde & Mary (Thompson) Huffman. After graduating from Liberty Center High School in 1960, Ike worked for 45 years as a rural fuel delivery driver around Liberty Center and Bluffton, with National Oil & Gas. A longtime member of Boehmer Church, Ike loved to go coon hunting and was a longtime member of the Wells County Coon Hunters Club. He was a huge Purdue basketball and Cincinnati Reds fan. He was a longtime supporter of the Wells County 4-H Cattle program and made many friends showing cattle around the country. Most of all, Ike enjoyed his grandchildren and attending their ball games.

On October 19, 1963, in Ossian, Ike and Gay Lynn (Walker) were married. They were married for 37 years before she preceded him in death on October 14, 2000.

Survivors include his 3 sons: Brent D. (Deb) Huffman of Bluffton, Greg D. (Kim) Huffman of rural Warren and Matt C. (Chad Blumenherst) Huffman of Fort Wayne. He was a loving grandpa to 6 grandsons; Kurt, Kyle, Nick, Travis, Evan & Mason, along with 3 great-grandchildren; Delaney, Stetson and Berkley Huffman. Ike is also survived by a sister-in-law, Sarah Huffman of Liberty Center along with nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents, his wife Gay Lynn, and a brother, Carl Darrell Huffman.

Funeral services will take place at 10:30 A.M. on Monday, (Sept. 22, 2025) at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home with Jeff Lemler officiating. Burial will follow at Mossburg Cemetery in Liberty Center.

Visitation will take place from 12 Noon to 5 P.M. on Sunday, (Sept. 21, 2025) at the funeral home and for one hour prior to the service.

Memorials may be made in Ike's memory to the Wells County 4-H for the Cattle & Hog Barns Maintenance Fund.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Lemler family of Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can send condolences online to the Huffman family at www.thomarich.com.

Cemetery Details

Mossburg Cemetery

1300S 550W
Liberty Center, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **21**. 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
<http://www.thomarich.com>

Visitation

SEP **22**. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

SEP **22**. 10:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Dwight Ike Huffman*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - September 21, 2025 at 12:25 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Dwight Ike Huffman.*



September 19, 2025 at 05:54 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dwight Ike Huffman.*

September 19, 2025 at 05:54 PM



“ 63 files added to the album Life Tributes



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - September 19, 2025 at 03:21 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Dwight Ike Huffman.



September 19, 2025 at 01:26 PM



“ *I didn't know Ike as well as I knew Darrell, but it was all tied together through my dad. Ike always took the time to speak with me after I let him know I was Boyd's son. They are all gone now, but we can all remember the hunting stories and things like that. You have my condolences.*

Stacy W. Schoeff - September 18, 2025 at 02:20 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Dwight Ike Huffman.*



September 18, 2025 at 05:23 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Dwight Ike Huffman.*



September 17, 2025 at 08:53 PM



“ *Sending our condolences to you all. Ike was a great guy! He will be missed.*
Ian and Shar Stoppenhagen

Sharolyn Stoppenhagen - September 16, 2025 at 04:17 PM



“ *Sorry for the families loss, thoughts and prayers for you all. Ike was are fuel delivery back in the day and I attend school with Greg.*
Donna (Mowrey) Hirschy

Donna Hirschy - September 16, 2025 at 01:44 PM

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“ *I'm sorry for your loss. I know Uncle Ike was loved by you all. My Love, thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

Love,

Missy(Melissa)

Melissa Small - September 16, 2025 at 10:40 AM