



## Raymond D. Culp

May 9, 1923 - February 8, 2007

\*\*\*\*\*Please Note The Additional Calling Hours and Change of Funeral Date and Time.\*\*\*\*\*

Raymond D. Culp, 83

A longtime Wells County resident, Raymond D. Culp, 83, of Las Cruces, N.M., died at 5:55 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 8, 2007, at his daughter's home in Las Cruces.

Mr. Culp was a railroad worker for 30 years and helped with most of the track and switch installation in the Bluffton area. For the last four years, he was a watchman, retiring in 1972.

A Navy veteran with service during World War II, Mr. Culp was a member of American Legion Post #111. A talented musician, he enjoyed writing and singing his own songs.

Born on May 9, 1923, in Gilbertsville, Ky., he was a son of William and Lavada (Washburn) Culp, and attended Liberty Center High School. His marriage on April 19, 1944, in Bluffton was to Freda E. (Harris) Culp, who preceded him in death on July 10, 1998.

Survivors include two daughters, Reta Culp of Las Cruces, N.M., and Sharon Kay (Billy Joe) Binnion of Franklin, Ark.; six grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Marion Culp and Johnny Culp.

Calling is from 5 to 8 p.m. Tuesday and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday at Thoma/Rich, Hewitt & Chaney Funeral Home.

Services are at 2:00 p.m. Friday at the funeral home with Pastor Phil Harris officiating.

Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Warren. Military graveside honors will be performed by American Legion Post #111. Preferred memorials are to the Arthritis Foundation.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **13**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich,Lemler Funeral Home  
308 West Washington Street  
Bluffton, IN 46714  
(260) 824-3850  
info@thomarich.com

## Visitation

FEB **16**. 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Bluffton, IN 46714  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Raymond D. Culp*

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“ *Jeff Reiff,  
My thoughts are with you. Your grandpa was a sweetie. Sadly missed! Penny Gehrett (Browning)##imported-begin##Penny Gehrett (Browning)##imported-end##*

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“ *Rita I'm sorry for your father's passing I wish I could be with you but I had made arrangement to be with ny very ill cousin in Flordia prior to Raymond's passing.*

*Martha Smith Culp  
PO Box 487  
Hartford City, IN 47348##imported-begin##Martha Culp Smith##imported-end##*

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