



Robert D. Barton

February 9, 1935 - August 26, 2024

Robert Daniel Barton, 89 of Bluffton, passed away on Monday afternoon, August 26, 2024, at his home, surrounded by his family.

He was born on February 9, 1935, in Mc Dowell County, West Virginia to Robert & Bessie (Cook) Barton. After moving to Bluffton in 1955, Robert worked Sterling Casting for 16 years and as a Furnace Operator at Franklin Electric in Bluffton for 24 years, retiring in 1996. After retirement, Robert drove for Helena Chemical Company part time for 17 years. Survivors include his children; Ann Whinery of Bluffton, Chris (Peter) Swanson of Anderson, South Carolina, along with 5 grandchildren & 5 great-grandchildren; Jamie (Gina) Barton and children, Julyan & Hayden Barton; Nathanel (Renaë) Whinery and daughter, Frankie Whinery; Sarah (Billy) Swanson-Jackson, Jacob Swanson and daughter, Arabella Swanson, and great-grandson, Allen Barton.

He is preceded in death by a son, Danny Ray Barton in 2009 and a grandson, Jason A. Barton in 2003, and siblings. Ellen Barton, Owens Grady Barton, Buzz Elden Barton, Arnold Jay Barton, Dusty Barton and Lillian Blocker.

Private family services have taken place with burial at Stahl Cemetery. Memorial may be made in Robert's memory to St. Jude Children's Hospital.

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

Cemetery Details

Stahl Cemetery

3191 E 700 S
Bluffton, IN

Tribute Wall

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“ Uncle Dan Will Be "Missed So Much" by "My Son's & Myself" He WAS LOVED SO MUCH by Us,, and Was My Favorite Uncle,,, Rest in Peace Uncle,, See You When It's Our Time to Come to Heaven,, Love Forever You're Neice "ruth (ann) and Son's Gary & Ryan,,,



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“ I always enjoyed Bob at FE and his energy! Prayers for his family!



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