



## A Darrell McKinney

August 27, 1934 - March 3, 2017

A. Darrell "Big D" McKinney, age 82, of Evansville, passed away Friday, March 03, 2017 at the Deaconess Hospital Main Campus.

Darrell worked as a data processing manager for both IBM and Whirlpool before his retirement. He was an avid golfer and a member of the Wessleman Par 3 Men's Club. He was also an outdoorsman and enjoyed hunting, fishing and bowling. For many years, Darrell served as the softball manager for the Whirlpool Men's Softball League. He was a veteran of the United States Army.

Surviving Darrell are his wife of 20 years, Rita McKinney; one son, Patrick (Robin) McKinney of Evansville; two stepsons, Bruce and Brett Reich of Mt. Vernon, IN; four sisters, Rayetta Speicher of Boonville, Linda Lowry and Brenda Wardenburg, both of St. Louis and Jeannie Wagganer of Boonville; five grandchildren, Madison McKinney, Brittany Reich, Caleb Reich, Sammie Koch and Austin Reich and seven great grandchildren.

Darrell was preceded in death by his first wife, Bonnie Jean (Perkins) McKinney in 1995; by a son Michael McKinney in 2013; by a sister, Carolyn Schneck and a brother, Joe McKinney.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 P.M. on Monday, March 6, 2017 at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street. Burial will follow in St. Joseph

Cemetery. Friends may visit with the family from 10:00 A.M. until service time on Monday at Pierre Funeral Home.

Condolences may be made online at [www.pierrefuneralhome.com](http://www.pierrefuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery

2500 Mesker Park Drive  
Evansville, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 6. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Pierre Funeral Home  
2601 West Franklin Street  
Evansville, IN

## funeral

MAR 6. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *A Darrell McKinney*

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January 16, 2023 at 06:53 PM



“ *Rita and Bruce,  
We would like to extend our sympathy to you both at this time for  
the lost of your  
husband and stepfather's death. Our prayers are with you.  
Pam & Ron Bennett*

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**Pam & Ron Bennett** - March 06, 2017 at 07:08 AM



“ *Pat and family,  
I'm sorry for your loss, but I'm glad that you had so many years with  
your dad in your life. Many times during my younger years I felt like  
Pat and Mike were my brothers and Mr. McKinney was very much a  
father figure to me. He touched many of our lives and will be missed  
dearly. Love you Pat*

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**Kyle Byrd** - March 05, 2017 at 09:00 PM



“ 63 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Pierre Funeral Home** - March 05, 2017 at 02:42 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of A Darrell McKinney.



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March 05, 2017 at 10:24 AM



“ *Pat & Robin and Big D's Family,*  
*Words can not express my sorrow for you all in this trying time. I loved Big D like he was my own father. He was a mentor to me and taught us alot of life lessons(some good, some bad), Just kidn. Remember ALL the great memories that he left in our hearts. Gone but never forgotten.*  
*Love,*  
*Booner*

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**Mike Boone** - March 05, 2017 at 09:06 AM

ES

“ I will miss Darrell so very much at Wesselman Par 3 Golf. There were always laughter and smiles created in our conversations.  
“Pax Domini sit semper vobiscum”  
Ed Sellers

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**Edward L Sellers** - March 05, 2017 at 07:53 AM

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“ The Dixon's purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of A Darrell McKinney.



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**The Dixon's** - March 04, 2017 at 01:08 PM

MK

“ Darrell loved his Family!!!!1( next to Golf).He left too soon but God needed him.  
I am sure he is up there BS Family and Friends.Rest in Piece, Love you.  
Aunt Mary

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**Mary Keen** - March 04, 2017 at 09:43 AM

LL

“ Our big brother who had a big heart, big smile & words of encouragement for everyone - you were our gift for 82+ years - RIP  
❤️ U always

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**Linda Lowry** - March 04, 2017 at 12:57 AM

JP

“ We are so sad to think of Big D leaving us. But not gone, are the treasured memories he left us with, and the laughs. The one liners were the best. We are so sorry about his accident and what he endured. He is painfree now and reuniting with all his family who await him. Our prayers are with his family, loved ones and with Big D. We will miss you. God bless, and rest peacefully, Unc.  
David and Jan Perkins

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**jan Perkins** - March 04, 2017 at 12:11 AM

MJ

“ Sorry to hear about Darrell. She was a great guy and will be missed

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**Meb and Cynthia Jackson** - March 03, 2017 at 07:49 PM