



Billie Ray Buchanan

July 8, 1933 - September 2, 2016

Billie Ray Buchanan, age 83, of Evansville, passed away Friday, September 02, 2016 at the Terrace at Solarbron.

Billie was as a stock room coordinator at Mead Johnson for 37 years. He was a member of Washington Avenue Baptist Church, where he served the church as Deacon, Trustee, a Sunday School teacher as well as in the Constructor's for Christ group at the church. He was also a member of the Fendrich Golf Men's Club and the American Legion Funkhouser Post #8. Billie served in the United States Marine Corps.

Surviving Billie are his wife of 61 years, Genean (Brown) Buchanan; a daughter, Debbie (Johnny) West of Evansville; a son, Gregory (Cheryl) Buchanan of Manhattan, KS; grandchildren, Gary Thomas (Holli) West, John Daniel (Lyndsey) West and Rachel and Caleb Buchanan; great grandchildren, Rylan, Brinley and Hudson West and a sister, Patricia Ann Deutsch.

Billie was preceded in death by a brother, James Allen Buchanan in 1988.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, September 7, 2016 at Pierre Funeral Home, Rev. Gene Backes officiating. Burial will follow in Shady Grove Cemetery in Poole, KY.

Friends may visit with the family on Tuesday from 3:00 until 7:00 P.M. and from 9:00 A.M. until service time on Wednesday at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association.

Billie's family would like to extend a special thank you to the entire Solarbron community for their loving and compassionate care.

Condolences may be made online at www.pierrefuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Shady Grove Cemeteey

Poole, KY

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 6. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Pierre Funeral Home
2601 West Franklin Street
Evansville, IN

Visitation

SEP 7. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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SEP 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Pierre Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Billie Ray Buchanan*



Pierre Funeral Home - September 08, 2016 at 05:02 PM



“ *Billie Ray Buchanan*

January 16, 2023 at 06:53 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Billie Ray Buchanan.*



September 06, 2016 at 03:34 PM



“ *Troy and Sandra Balthrop purchased the Day's End Memorial Framed Art for the family of Billie Ray Buchanan.*



Troy and Sandra Balthrop - September 06, 2016 at 09:32 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Billie Ray Buchanan.*



September 05, 2016 at 03:39 PM



“ *Greg , please accept my condolence for the loss of your father. My family and I have a prayer in his memory.*

Alberto Mena - September 05, 2016 at 08:24 AM



Gracias Alberto.

Greg Buchanan - September 07, 2016 at 09:32 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Billie Ray Buchanan.*



September 05, 2016 at 06:37 AM



“ *Greg, Cheryl, Rachel, Caleb and all of your family, please accept our condolences on the loss of your father & grandfather. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all as you mourn his passing. If he was anything like you, Greg, I know he will be missed and that he would be very proud of you and your family for being the wonderful people you are. May the Lord Bless and keep you all.*

Bryant and Jenny Brace - September 04, 2016 at 11:21 PM

GB

Thanks Bryant and Jenny.

Greg Buchanan - September 07, 2016 at 09:34 PM

TB

“ *In loving tribute to a truly wonderful man. A lifelong dear friend, big brother, a mentor, and father-figure. He will be missed!*
- - - *Brother-in-Law Terry Brown*

Terry Brown - September 04, 2016 at 06:40 PM

GB

Thanks Uncle Terry.

Greg Buchanan - September 04, 2016 at 09:24 PM

RD

“ *Are prayers and thoughts are with each of you during this time. Billy was a joy to work with so many Constructors for Christ mission trips through out the U.S. . He was a blessing! Our prayers, Ray & Paula Dilbeck*

Ray Dilbecck - September 04, 2016 at 02:32 PM



“ *Greg,
I am sorry for the loss of your father. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*
Mark Severns

Mark Severns - September 04, 2016 at 08:21 AM

GB

Thanks Mark.

Greg Buchanan - September 04, 2016 at 09:23 PM



“ *Garden of Serenity Bouquet was purchased for the family of Billie Ray Buchanan.*



September 02, 2016 at 10:00 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Billie Ray Buchanan.*



September 02, 2016 at 08:56 PM



“ *Greg,
I am so sorry for your loss. You and your loved one will be in my thoughts and prayers.
Jorge Lumbreras (Monterrey, Mexico)*

Jorge Lumbreras - September 02, 2016 at 03:56 PM



Gracias Jorge.

Greg Buchanan - September 02, 2016 at 05:23 PM

MA

Greg,

*I am sorry to hear about your loss. I would like to express my sincere condolences on the death of your father to you and your family.
Kindest Regards,*

Mario Albano - Piracicaba/Brazil

Mario Albano - September 02, 2016 at 06:32 PM

GB

Obrigado Mario.

Greg Buchanan - September 02, 2016 at 08:09 PM

NM

Greg,

I'm so sorry for you loss. I would like to express my sincere condolences to you and your family.

Norma Monsivais (Acuna, Mexico)

Norma Monsivais - September 05, 2016 at 07:43 AM

GB

Gracias Norma.

Greg Buchanan - September 07, 2016 at 09:36 PM