

## Eugene Cannon, Sr.

May 7, 1932 - September 13, 2006

Eugene E. Cannon, Sr., 74, of Evansville, passed away Wednesday, September 13, 2006 at St. Mary's Medical Center.

He was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, a lifetime member of VFW Post # 1114 and a Korean War veteran. He was a welder and construction worker and taught welding. He was a close friend of Bill W. for 40 years.

He enjoyed spending time with his wife, children, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Hazel Mae (Schiff) Cannon, his children, Eugene E. Cannon, Jr. and his wife, Rita, of Brazil, IN, Deborah DeLaney of Evansville, Mark Cannon and his wife, Cathy, of Louisville, KY, Cheryl Voegel and her husband, Lenny, David Cannon and his fiancé, Darla Offner, Steven Cannon and his wife, Sandy, all of Evansville, Linda Fornear and her fiancé, Richard White, of Plano, TX and John Cannon and his wife, Barbara, of Evansville. Grandchildren, Patricia, Michael, Timothy, Alicia, Jerry, Mark, Tina, Carrie, David, Shannon, Caitlin, Chasity, Amber, Drew, Kirstie and Jacob, nine great grandchildren, a sister, Pauline Tucker of Evansville and many nieces and nephews also survived him.

He was preceded in death by his son, Claude, his parents, Claude and Geneva Cannon, his sister, Dorothy Wirthwein, a grandson, Billy and a nephew, Lewis.

Funeral services will begin on Monday, September 18, 2006 at 9:30 A.M. at Pierre Funeral Home continuing at 10:00 A.M. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Rev. David Nunning officiating. Burial will follow in St. Joseph Cemetery.

Friends may visit with the family from 2 until 7 P.M. Sunday at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street where a memorial service will be held at 5 P.M.

The family requests memorial contributions may be made to Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 2701 W. Franklin Street, Evansville, IN 47712.

Family and friends unable to attend may leave condolences online at [www.pierrefuneralhome.com](http://www.pierrefuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **17**. 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Pierre Funeral Home  
2601 West Franklin Street  
Evansville, IN

## Service

SEP **18**. 10:00 AM (CT)

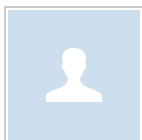
Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
2701 W. Franklin Street  
Evansville, IN

# Tribute Wall



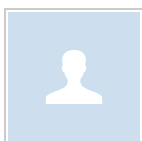
“ Eugene Cannon, Sr.

January 16, 2023 at 06:53 PM



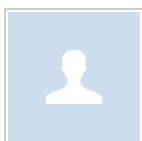
“ Cheryl & Family: Sorry to hear of the loss of your Father. I'm sure you will miss him. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.  
Dorothy & Ron Joest##imported-begin##Dorothy Joest##imported-end##

September 18, 2006 at 05:32 PM



“ Cuz, Vernon and Betty##imported-begin##Vernon & Betty ( Lee ) Jacks##imported-end##

September 17, 2006 at 10:43 AM



“ dont know if the first one went through, but we are praying for you and your family...if there is anything we can do let us know..we love you, bett and dan##imported-begin##betty and danny##imported-end##

September 16, 2006 at 05:07 PM



“ *Before I was myself you made me me  
With love and patience discipline and tears, then bit by bit stepped  
back to set me free,*

*Allowing me to sail upon my sea  
with dreams enough of what I was to be  
before I was myself you made me me*

*I love you dad##imported-begin##mark##imported-end##*

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September 16, 2006 at 12:50 PM



“ *so sorry to hear about gene's death...he will certainly live on thru his  
children...mark sure takes after his father...will say a prayer for his  
family##imported-begin##lynda johnson##imported-end##*

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September 15, 2006 at 11:33 AM



“ *Your whole family is in our prayers and thoughts...God  
Bless##imported-begin##Jon and Julie Williams##imported-end##*

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September 15, 2006 at 06:15 AM



“ *Your prays and thoughts our in our heart for you God bless you.  
(Joy Cannon sister)##imported-begin##martha hayes##imported-  
end##*

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September 15, 2006 at 12:34 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family.##imported-begin##Ronald Eugene Wirthwein##imported-end##

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September 15, 2006 at 12:14 AM



“ Gene (grandpa) was a great man, he was a great father, to my dad Mark Cannon. He was a great grandpa.. and a great husband to Hazel (grandma). He will always be with us all, he's in a better place now watching over us and guiding everyone. Grandpa will always be in our hearts... he was truely a great man.. a strong silent type but you could always tell that he cared and he loved you... I'll miss you grandpa##imported-begin##Mark A Cannon##imported-end##

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September 15, 2006 at 12:04 AM



“ I wish I knew what to say to ease everyones pain. He was the closest man I had to a father and I did and still do love you. I am so sorry for all the pain he had to endure and for the heartache everyone is feeling now. I love you Gene, Cathy##imported-begin##Cathy ##imported-end##

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September 14, 2006 at 11:09 PM



“ He was not just my father, by being a long-time friend of Bill W., he saved my life. Without him I am sure I would haved ended up either incarcerated, institutionalized or dead. I love you Daddy, and I will miss you so very much.  
Your Loving Daughter,  
Cheryl##imported-begin##Cheryl C Voegel##imported-end##

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September 14, 2006 at 10:41 PM



“ *Uncle Gene, I will miss you. I love you and your family is in my prayers.##imported-begin##Patti Schmeing##imported-end##*

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September 14, 2006 at 10:19 PM



“ *in remembrance of my beloved brother and our life together; I will miss him. I loved him so much. sis##imported-begin##PAULINE TUCKER##imported-end##*

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September 14, 2006 at 08:08 PM