



William R Fitzgerald Sr

January 16, 1930 - August 14, 2016

William Ray Fitzgerald, Sr., age 86, of Evansville, passed away Sunday, August 14, 2016 in Henderson, KY at the home of his daughter, surrounded by family.

Bill worked as a machine operator for Whirlpool and was a veteran of the United States Army. He was an avid coon hunter and always had hound dogs. Bill also enjoyed gardening and spending time with his grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Surviving Bill are two daughters, Carrie Jo (Joseph) Beck of Henderson and Connie (Wayne) McDowell of Evansville; a son, William Ray (Gail) Fitzgerald, Jr. of Evansville; a brother, Harold (Marilyn) Fitzgerald of Monmouth, OR; grandchildren, Amy Barnes, Joseph Aaron Beck, Amanda (Richie) Tessone, Jeffery Wayne McDowell, Shannon (Joel) Burton and Charles Michael Scott Fitzgerald and fourteen great grandchildren, Skyler Grace Barnes, Dakota Barnes, Mylee Kay Beck, Joseph Riley Beck, Haley Granderson, Hannah Granderson, Tristan Tessone, Tyler Woods, Autumn McDowell, Chance McDowell, Dalton Titzer, Hayleigh Burton, Madalyn Burton and Waylon Burton. Also surviving are a brother-in-law, Bob Claybrooks and two sisters-in-law, Betty Therber and Fanny (Larry) Lisembee and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 60 years, Barbara (Claybrook) Fitzgerald in 2015; by his parents, Ray and Cora Belle (Gabbert) Fitzgerald and by two brothers, Bob and Marvin Fitzgerald.

Funeral services for Bill will be held at 1:00 P.M. on Friday, August 19, 2016 at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street, Sr. Jenny Miller officiating. Burial will follow in Tupman Cemetery where the Vanderburgh County Retired Veterans Memorial Club will conduct military rites.

Friends may visit with the family from 3:00 until 8:00 P.M. on Thursday at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street.

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

Cemetery Details

Tupman

Red Bank Road
IN 47720

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 18. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *William R Fitzgerald Sr*

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“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of William R Fitzgerald Sr.*



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“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William R Fitzgerald Sr.*



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