



## Charles "Chuck" Helms

April 15, 1930 - August 20, 2025

Charles "Chuck" Helms, 95, of Bloomfield passed away Wednesday August 20, 2025 at his residence surrounded by his family.

Born April 15, 1930 in Bloomfield the son of the late Charles Lester Helms and Ruth (Edwards) Helms.

Charles or "Chuck" as everyone knew him was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean War, farming and family was a way of life for Chuck; he was a member of the Walnut Grove Church of God.

Surviving relatives include his wife, Dorothy Helms, three children, Marvin (Trema) Helms, Roger (Jane) Helms, Sherry (Jay) Terrell, his grandchildren, Kylee (John) Bucher, Nathan (Brittany) Helms, Miranda (Doug) Dayhoff, Brittany (Dustin) Haywood, Graham (Audra) Helms, Jesse (Shelby) Helms, his great grandchildren, Brooklyn, Brianna, Bristol, Emersyn, Braylon, Daxton, Anna, Ella, Addison, Ainsley, Asher, Elle, P.J., one sister-in-law, Wilma Helms and several nieces and nephews.

Chuck was preceded in death by one brother, William "Bill" Helms, one infant sister and his parents.

Visitation will be held on Saturday August 23, 2025 from 12 P.M. to 2 P.M. at

Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield.

Services will be held on Saturday at 2:00 P.M. at Jenkins Funeral Home with Rev. Bob England and Rev. Erin Raper officiating. Burial will follow at Walnut Grove Cemetery.

The family ask that any memorial donations in Charles name be given to the Walnut Grove Church of God or the Walnut Grove cemetery.

Online condolences and memories can be shared at [www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Walnut Grove Cemetery

Walnut Grove Road  
1458 S. Walnut Grove Road  
Bloomfield, IN 47424

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 23.** 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - Bloomfield  
421 South Seminary Street  
Bloomfield, IN 47424  
(812) 384-4212  
[info@jenkinsfuneralhomes.com](mailto:info@jenkinsfuneralhomes.com)  
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## Service

**AUG 23.** 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

MT

“ Having resided in the area during childhood, my husband Clifford Trowbridge and I made visits to Chuck and Dorothy and together we drove through the countryside sightseeing while remembering days gone by.

Cliff has passed away as well but those precious memories will linger on.

Dorothy and her entire family has been friends since my childhood.

Chuck and Cliff will be missed, both leaving wonderful families.

Margaret Martindale Trowbridge

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**Margaret Trowbridge** - August 26, 2025 at 08:56 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Charles "Chuck" Helms.

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August 23, 2025 at 08:23 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charles "Chuck" Helms.



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August 23, 2025 at 08:23 AM

JF

“ Julie, Jennifer, Jon, Justin & families purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Charles "Chuck" Helms.



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**Julie, Jennifer, Jon, Justin & families** - August 22, 2025 at 11:42 PM

GT

“ Gary & Beth Todd lit a candle in memory of Charles Helms



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**Gary & Beth Todd** - August 22, 2025 at 08:41 PM

MB

“ Martha Bowers lit a candle in memory of Charles Helms



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**Martha Bowers** - August 22, 2025 at 11:18 AM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Charles "Chuck" Helms.



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August 22, 2025 at 10:40 AM

DH

“ Debra Hobson lit a candle in memory of Charles Helms



Debra Hobson - August 21, 2025 at 10:14 PM

SG

“ Lester Helms was my gmpa Fisher's best friend. Farming with Chuck and the Helms was a way of life. Best childhood memories ever. I could watch Ruth make those rugs all day. I loved helping Chuck milk the cows. Im a Country girl at heart, and still love cows. We played in Haslers Ole barn at the Orchard. My mom worked there and brought home the best apples. We would play with the collie dogs. I still have scars on my knee from chasing Loren in the gravel at the farm. My Sis Rosemary cut her foot when we was milking for Chuck. Loved the Ole Country Store. I could say so much. They were my best childhood memories. Jane was cheerleader in my class. Roger was a basketball player in Rosemary's class. My sincere condolences 🙏 to each of you. Love Susan(Fisher) Gentry. Hugs 📦 & Prayers & Love. ❤️📦❤️📦❤️📦❤️📦❤️📦

Susan Gentry - August 21, 2025 at 06:59 PM

CL

“ It meant a lot to my parents, Joe and Milly Uland, to have frequent visits in their last years from Chuck. He would walk right in the back door without knocking just like a member of the family. He'd pull up a chair close to Dad who couldn't hear well and talk about what was happening on his farm and in the community. As I was growing up Dorothy and Chuck were special people I looked up to. Chuck is one of the last patriarchs in the Park community and Walnut Grove Church and he will be missed!

*Carolyn Uland Lovell Fort Wayne.*

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**Carolyn Uland Lovell** - August 21, 2025 at 05:50 PM

BH

“ So sorry for your loss but I'm sure he and my dad are on dozers somewhere together pushing some dirt.

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**Ben Helms** - August 21, 2025 at 05:25 PM

JU

“ I knew Charles and his family for many years. He was a great guy that cared about this community. My sincere sympathy goes out to his family and friends.

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**Jonas Uland** - August 21, 2025 at 04:40 PM