



George David Ockerman

August 11, 1960 - April 5, 2019

George David Ockerman, 58, of Bloomfield passed away Friday April 5, 2019 at home.

Born August 11, 1960 the son of Billy Donald Ockerman and Beverly Ann (Pullen) Ockerman.

George was a member of the Mineral United Methodist Church; he dedicated his life serving the people of Greene County. He worked for the Greene County Ambulance Service for 36 years, retiring in 2013. He belonged to the area fire departments for 41 years, he was a Mason, Shriner and Odd Fellow, a Lay Speaker for his community, Chaplain for the Greene County Sherriff's department, he served as the Greene County Coroner from 2014 to 2018, he had received the Coroner of the year and the EMS Emeritus Award.

George married Debra Roberts on November 14, 1981.

Surviving relatives include his wife Debi Ockerman, Mother, Beverly Ockerman both of Bloomfield, sister-in-law, Brenda Ockerman of Marshall, Illinois; brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Steve and Marilyn Roberts of Tampa, Florida; brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Dave and Diane Willoughby of Martinsville, fifteen nieces and nephews and fourteen great nieces and great nephews.

George was preceded in death by his father Bill Ockerman, his sister, Libby Hudson, brother Michael Ockerman and his grandparents.

Friends may call from 2 to 8 P.M. on Tuesday and 9 A.M. Wednesday until the hour of service at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield. A Masonic and Fire Department service for George will be held on Tuesday evening at the Funeral Home.

Services will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Wednesday at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield with Rev. Steve Eads, Rev. Arlen Pope and Mike Toon officiating. Burial will follow at Walnut Grove Cemetery in Bloomfield.

The family wishes all donations be made to the Mineral United Methodist Church or Jenkins Funeral Home to help with expenses in George's name.

Online condolences and memories can be shared at www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Walnut Grove Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 9. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - Bloomfield
421 South Seminary Street
Bloomfield, IN 47424
(812) 384-4212
info@jenkinsfuneralhomes.com
<https://www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com/>

Service

APR 10. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

EC

“ I am so sorry. PRAYERS for the family. This has been a rough road that you have been traveling.

Eugenia Chaney

Eugenia Chaney - April 11, 2019 at 07:33 PM



CA

“ Chad And Melissa Anderson lit a candle in memory of George David Ockerman

Chad and Melissa Anderson - April 10, 2019 at 03:49 PM



CP

“ So sorry to hear about George's passing. He always put a smile on my face since I can remember. Heaven's gained a good one. Sending love and prayers from Wisconsin.

Chris Patterson & Family

Chris Patterson - April 10, 2019 at 11:35 AM

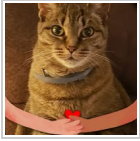
SR

“ We hated to hear about George. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.



Jason & Stephanie Roberts

Stephanie Roberts - April 09, 2019 at 03:00 PM



“ I served with George many, many years ago on the Bloomfield and Richland-Taylor Fire Departments while a funeral director there at Jenkins. I remember George as a shirt-off-his-back kinda guy with a sense of humor that always kept everyone in stitches. Good times were spent together, whether at one of the fire stations, on a call, out in the woods or sitting on the square with Greg Hasler and Todd McCabe. I will ALWAYS treasure those memories and friendships made during that chapter of my life. George was honest, loveable, hard-working, charming, loyal and a great friend to have had. Now, nearly 30 years later, my thoughts turn towards those great times we had. On behalf of MY department, the Osolo Township Fire Department of Elkhart, Indiana, and the entire Police, Fire and EMS community of Elkhart County, Indiana, we send our honored brother's family our most heartfelt condolences. God Bless You, George. 343

Jo Johnston - April 09, 2019 at 12:45 PM

HC

“ Thought and prayers for your family.

Hale Family Eye Care

HALE FAMILY EYE CARE - April 09, 2019 at 09:31 AM

JC

“ There are not enough good words to describe George. God truly blessed him in so many ways. I'll never forget getting to know him as he and Greg Hasler always sat on the tailgate of a truck on the southside of the courthouse on the summer weekend evenings. Southside heroes as the called themselves. Always left us in stitches, they were hilarious! Rest easy George, you are more than deserving.



Jeff & Marnie Coffey - April 09, 2019 at 07:22 AM

KW

“ Kent And Jackie Winstead lit a candle in memory of George David Ockerman



Kent and Jackie Winstead - April 08, 2019 at 04:21 PM

DF

“ George was a great friend. Always having a positive attitude and since of humor he had no trouble making you laugh. His Groundhog Pork Chop Chomp cookouts were always fun and full of good food. Although it has been many years since I have seen or spoken with George my memories of him have never gone away. Rest In Peace my friend.



Dominick Forsdick

Dominick Forsdick - April 07, 2019 at 06:59 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of George David Ockerman.*



April 07, 2019 at 01:37 PM



“ *Lisa Stieglitz lit a candle in memory of George David Ockerman*



Lisa Stieglitz - April 07, 2019 at 12:50 AM



“ *It was my honor to serve with George as fellow Coroners.*

Mark Franklin- Martin County Deputy Coroner

Mark Franklin - April 06, 2019 at 09:03 PM



“ *Barb Medina lit a candle in memory of George David Ockerman*



Barb Medina - April 06, 2019 at 09:55 AM

TP

“ Teresa Pittman lit a candle in memory of George David Ockerman



Teresa Pittman - April 06, 2019 at 07:49 AM

JG

“ Jacinda Wilcox Gordon lit a candle in memory of George David Ockerman



Jacinda Wilcox Gordon - April 06, 2019 at 03:17 AM

LB

“ Lynn Bennett lit a candle in memory of George David Ockerman



Lynn Bennett - April 05, 2019 at 10:51 PM

MB

“ Malinda And Ron Bell lit a candle in memory of George David Ockerman



Malinda and Ron Bell - April 05, 2019 at 10:07 PM

MB

“ Sorry to hear of George's passing we have known him and Debbie for many years, Our condolance to Debbie and his mother may God grant them peace during this loss of George.
Ron and Malinda Bell Odon, Indiana

Malinda Bell - April 05, 2019 at 10:06 PM

KP

“ Kristine Page lit a candle in memory of George David Ockerman



kristine page - April 05, 2019 at 09:56 PM

RC

“ I always enjoyed working with George on the ambulance service back in the nineties,,
He was a truly fun guy to be around and he had a terrific sense of humor.
My sincere condolences go out to the family.
"Thanks for all the good times, George,, Rest in Peace, "ol buddy!"

Randy Cox

Randy R. Cox - April 05, 2019 at 09:48 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of George David Ockerman.



April 05, 2019 at 09:36 PM

CK

“ Casey Keller lit a candle in memory of George David Ockerman



Casey Keller - April 05, 2019 at 08:19 PM

TM

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. Worked with George at GCAS, great man. A loss to his family and Greene county.

Ted Maze - April 05, 2019 at 07:23 PM

AM

“ Anna Kaye Mitchell lit a candle in memory of George David Ockerman



Anna Kaye Mitchell - April 05, 2019 at 03:28 PM