



Ralph Edgar "Boomie" Vaught

August 22, 1933 - January 29, 2023

Ralph Edgar "Boomie" Vaught, 89, of Bloomfield, passed away on Sunday, January 29, 2023 at the IU Health Hospice House in Bloomington.

Born August 22, 1933 in Bedford, he was the son of George L. and Florence A. (Brown) Vaught.

Boomie was the Co-Owner and operator of the Jordan & Vaught Insurance Agency in Bloomfield. He was a member of the Bloomfield First Christian Church and past Deacon. Presented the 2003 Harvey Hannah Community Service Award by the Bloomfield Chamber of Commerce, May 7, 2005 honored when the North Side Diamonds was named "Vaught Field" in appreciation for the 25 years of support and service to Bloomfield Little League, Charter Member and fifth President of the Bloomfield Jaycees, helped construct the Jaycees building, one of the founders of the Bloomfield Apple Festival sponsored by the Bloomfield Jaycees, Elected Jaycee Senator award, the highest honor for a member, Served as Bloomfield Band Booster for 4 years, Greene County Chairman of the March of Dimes, 1973-1976. Conducted 4 March of Dimes fund raising Walks, Drove Fan bus for Bloomfield School sports fans for 3 years during Guy Glovers coaching tenure, has sold admission tickets for Bloomfield School District basketball games from 1988 to the 2022, As co-owner of Jordan & Vaught Insurance Agency has sponsored youth programs including Girls softball and Boys

baseball teams for many years.

Surviving relatives include: his children, G. Michael Vaught (Roberta), Steven Edward Vaught, Karen Harp (Steve), William Joseph Vaught (Christine), James Andrew Vaught (Dana) and Patrick Dean Vaught; twelve grandchildren, sixteen great grandchildren and one great, great grandchild.

He was preceded in death by his wife Sharon Elizabeth Vaught on January 11, 2023, one son, Jerry Lee Vaught, a brother, Dick Vaught, a granddaughter, Phylcia Michelle Vaught, one great granddaughter, Everly Kate Montgomery and his parents.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:00 pm on Tuesday, February 7, 2023 at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield, with Scott Chastain officiating. Interment will follow in Beech Grove Cemetery in Bedford.

Public visitation will be held from 4 to 8 pm on Monday and 1 hour prior to services on Tuesday at the funeral home.

The family asks that all memorial contributions be made to the Bloomfield High School Athletic Department.

Online condolences to the family are available at www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Beech Grove Cemetery

1629 18th Street
Bedford, IN 47421

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 6. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - Bloomfield
421 South Seminary Street
Bloomfield, IN 47424
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Visitation

FEB 7. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ralph Edgar "Boomie" Vaught.



February 06, 2023 at 10:21 AM



“ Penny Smiddie lit a candle in memory of Ralph Vaught



Penny Smiddie - February 06, 2023 at 09:07 AM



“ I too will miss that twinkle in your eyes. Hope to see you 'at the gates'. Your favorite Gilliland Girl ❤️

Pam Todd - February 05, 2023 at 06:53 PM



“ Reva Ikerd Hudson lit a candle in memory of Ralph Vaught



Reva Ikerd Hudson - February 02, 2023 at 10:49 PM

RH

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Reva Ikerd Hudson - February 02, 2023 at 10:48 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ralph Edgar "Boomie" Vaught.*



February 02, 2023 at 11:13 AM

DD

“ *Dr. & Mrs. Shukla, Becky and Deon purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Ralph Edgar "Boomie" Vaught.*



Dr. & Mrs. Shukla, Becky and Deon - February 02, 2023 at 09:15 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Ralph Edgar "Boomie" Vaught.*



February 01, 2023 at 09:25 PM

CU

“ *Connie Uland lit a candle in memory of Ralph Vaught*



Connie Uland - February 01, 2023 at 10:00 AM

MB

“ *He was a wonderful man! I was blessed to work with him through Jordan & Vaught. My heart and prayers to out to his family.*



Miriam Berlin - February 01, 2023 at 07:58 AM

DF

“ *I love you so much Uncle Boomie. You will be missed terribly!! RIP w/ Aunt Sharon forever. Love Dava Gail*



Dava G Franklin - February 01, 2023 at 02:13 AM

SE

“ *Dave and Suzanne Everett*



suzanne everett - January 31, 2023 at 11:22 PM

JK

“ Sorry for your loss. Joe, Vanessa and Payton Karl.

Joe Karl - January 31, 2023 at 08:45 PM

CD

“ Carolyn Dillman lit a candle in memory of
Ralph Vaught



Carolyn Dillman - January 31, 2023 at 08:28 PM

MM

“ Heartwarming and not surprising to read of so many Boomie
contributions to our children and community. I am forever grateful
for his support and friendship.

*The twinkle in his eye was a sign that he was up to something fun,
regardless what decade it was. Everyone always wanted to be on
Team Boomie.*

Boomie turned Bloomfield into BOOMfield.

May the twinkle return when Boomie and Sharon reunite.



Melissa Miles - January 31, 2023 at 07:08 PM

JC

“ Boomie was my Great-Uncle. Genetics may have given him the title, but he made sure he earned it. For several years my brothers and I had the pleasure of spending time on the golf course with him. It was never about who won, though we joked a lot about it. It was about the time together. The best part of those days was putting the golf bag on the cart knowing that the next few hours were going to be truly special. The worst part of those days was watching him drive away, knowing it would be a while before we could all get together again. I will forever miss his smile, his wit, his generosity, his jokes, and what it felt like to know he loved you. I know he is with his beautiful bride, Sharon, now and I know they are once again walking hand in hand. And for that, I am happy. And, I hope Heaven has a golf course and he is making putts with his Minnie Mouse ball all over the greens there. Thank you Uncle Boom for the memories, the laughs, and the love. I'll miss you.

JIM CRANE - January 31, 2023 at 04:40 PM

MM

“ 2 files added to the album Boomie Vaught



Melinda Miles - January 31, 2023 at 03:23 PM

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Melinda Miles - January 31, 2023 at 03:21 PM

AJ

“ AMIE JENNINGS lit a candle in memory of
Ralph Edgar "Boomie" Vaught



AMIE JENNINGS - January 31, 2023 at 03:15 PM

JF

“ Sorry for your loss to his family. Such a good guy. Will be missed.
Janice Allen Flynn

Janice Flynn - January 31, 2023 at 02:48 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Boomie Vaught



Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - January 31, 2023 at 02:25 PM

DG

Such a beautiful picture❤️ They are together again now🙏🙏 Our
Thoughts and Prayers to the whole family🙏🙏 David&Debbie Goodin

Debbie Goodin - January 31, 2023 at 02:54 PM

KT

First time Mother went to Indiana with David. Boomie teased the mickey out of her because she didn't know who Larry Byrd was. When the family came down for their wedding I fell in love with the sisters, especially Sharon because she was up for shenanigans, and a wicked humor. When I met Boomie for the first time he walked in the kitchen door looked at me, and I beat him to the punch, I knew who LB was! He told David I had horse sense!

Kelly Taylor - February 01, 2023 at 09:34 PM

LW

So sorry for your loss! My dad, George F. Cox, loved talking to Boomie about history, specifically the bombing of Pearl Harbor in which Dad was a survivor. We also had insurance at one time with him. We also found him positive and enjoyed being around him. He will be missed!

Larry & Georgetta Webb - February 21, 2023 at 12:23 PM