

William G. "Bubba" Knight

June 5, 1931 - December 19, 2016

William G. "Bubba" Knight, age 85, of Zion, KY, passed away at 10:30 AM, Monday, December 19, 2016, at Methodist Hospital.

Bubba started working at the age of 12 on the family farm. He worked as a route salesman for Utlely Distributing for 20 years and Henderson Creamery for 29 years. In his later years he worked for Knight's Landscaping and Lawn Care. Bubba spent 3 years in the United States Army and was a Veteran of the Korean War. He loved watching Kentucky Basketball. He was an avid golfer that spent many days on the course at the Henderson Country Club. He was a member of the Elks Club and Zion Baptist Church.

Bubba was preceded in death by his mother Rowena Henderson Crenshaw, his 1st wife of 34 years Shirley Knight, his 2nd wife of 17 years June Knight, his daughter, Sharon Knight Givens, 2 sisters, Betty Sigler and Dorothy Cunningham, and his Step- Daughter, Sharon Varble.

Survivors include:

1 Daughter: Shelley Steimel and husband Kevin of Zion, KY

3 Sons: Bruce Knight and wife Robin

Jason Knight and wife Heather both of Henderson, KY

Brad Knight and wife Brenda of Tallahassee, FL

1 Step-Daughter: Kim Duncan and husband Greg of Henderson, KY

1 Step-Son: Randy Norman and his wife Sondra of Dixon, KY

2 Sisters: Jane Mahler of Temecula, CA

Mary Ruth Gardner of Naples, FL

4 Brothers: Hiram Knight and wife Barbara of Zion, KY

Buddy Knight of Henderson, KY

Jim Knight and wife Sue of Lexington, KY

Walker "Bunk" Knight of Decatur, GA

15 Grandchildren: Luke Alderson and fiancé Lauren Dasher, Alex Knight and fiancé Jourdan Donahoo, Whitney Downey and husband Andrew, Shannon Duckworth and husband Matt, Shawna Wharton and husband Damion, Stefanie Nunn, Samantha Nunn, Bradley Knight, Kurt Knight and wife Katie, Shawn Varble and Michael Varble, Paula Bradley, Heath Norman, Megan Duncan and Aaron Duncan.

41 Great Grandchildren

Many Aunts, Uncles, Nieces and Nephews

Relatives and friends are invited to Bubba's Life Celebration from 3:00- 8:00 Wednesday, December 21, 2016 and again on Thursday starting at 10:00 AM at Benton-Glunt Funeral Home. The funeral service will be held at 1:00 PM on Thursday at the funeral home with Brother Randy Norman officiating assisted by Bradley Knight. Burial will follow at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Henderson, KY .Military honors will be rendered by the American Legion Worsham Post #40.

Expressions of sympathy may take the form of contributions to the Lucy Smith King Care Center.

Arrangements entrusted to Benton-Glunt Funeral Home, A Life Celebration® Home, online condolences may be made at www.bentonglunt.com

Previous Events

Life Celebration

DEC **21**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Benton-Glunt Funeral Home
629 S. Green Street
Henderson, KY 42420
(270) 827-3535
<https://www.bentonglunt.com/>

Life Celebration

DEC **22**. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Benton-Glunt Funeral Home
629 S. Green Street
Henderson, KY 42420

2:00 P.M. Tuesday May 8, 2018 Funeral Service

DEC **22**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Henderson, KY 42420

Tribute Wall



“ *William G. "Bubba" Knight*

November 29, 2022 at 08:01 AM



“ *My word to describe my wonderful brother is "compassionate". He put others first on every occasion. This time last year he drove to Gallatin, TN to share in our grief of losing our son and brother, Ralph Alan Posey. His health issues didn't stop him. Our love and sympathy is extended to his large family. Mary Ruth Gardner (sister) and family.*

mary r gardner - December 22, 2016 at 07:35 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of William G. "Bubba" Knight .*



December 21, 2016 at 04:08 PM



“ *We send our sympathies and prayers for the family of Bubbba. Arnold & Cheryl*

Arnold - December 21, 2016 at 04:08 PM

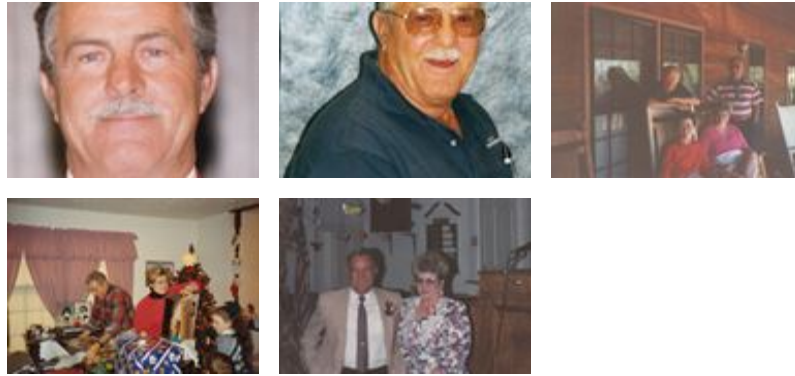
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My deepest condolences to the Knight Family. So many of them have been an intricate part of our Family's life. I had the privilege of working with Bubba & such an honorable man. I will be unable to express my feelings in person as I have a very bad chest cold that I don't want to expose everyone to. But please extend my deepest sympathy. We Loved Bubba as a Friend & remember him as Family. Becky Hays Willett

Becky Willett - December 22, 2016 at 08:50 AM



“ 62 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Benton-Glunt Funeral Home - December 21, 2016 at 10:33 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of William G. "Bubba" Knight .



December 21, 2016 at 07:41 AM

JW

“ I have known the Knight family ever since I was a little girl. Sharon and I were best of friends. I am so sorry for the loss of your Dad! He was a very nice man.
Love and Prayers,
Jeanette Carter Wimsatt

Jeanette Carter Wimsatt - December 20, 2016 at 09:01 PM

MI

“ We sent our sympathy and prayers to Bubba's family. Sonny & Marsha Mills

mills - December 20, 2016 at 08:52 PM