



## Jimmy L Chandler

September 23, 1936 - May 17, 2022

Jimmy L. Chandler, age 86, of Culver, IN, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, May 17, 2022 at home. He was born on September 23, 1936 in Kuttawa, KY to J.S. and Dorothy Chandler. Jimmy met the love of his life, Mary Ruth VanHooser, at a roller skating rink in Marion, KY. He enlisted in the Navy and took his bride to Rhode Island to start their life together. They returned to Northwest Indiana where Jimmy joined the Ironworker's Local 395. He will be greatly missed.

Jimmy adored his wife and children, David and Tracy. He loved hunting and fishing with his son. Jimmy took his family on many wonderful vacations. Jimmy and Ruthie traveled the world like they were newlyweds. Holidays were always special as the Chandler family would gather to celebrate. Jimmy will be remembered as a proud and loving grandfather to Tyler and Taylor. He was also blessed with four great grandchildren.

Jimmy was preceded in death by his beloved parents-JS and Dorothy Chandler; brothers- Richard Chandler and Kenneth Chandler and niece Kelly Chandler Evans.

He is survived by his loving wife of 65 years-Ruth Chandler of Culver, IN; son-David Chandler of Hobart; daughter-Tracy Chandler of Crown Point; grandsons-Tyler (Ashlee) Noel of Scottburgh, IN, Taylor Noel of Crown Point, Bryan Chandler of Crown Point; great grandchildren-Khloie, Mattilyn, Lyla and

Finley; sister-Peggy Chandler of Indianapolis; many other family members and friends.

A memorial visitation celebrating Jimmy's life will be held on Sunday, May 22, 2022 from 12:00 p.m. until time of brief service at 2:00 p.m., at Burns Funeral Home, 701 East 7th Street, Hobart. [www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

MAY **22**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Burns Funeral Home - Hobart  
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## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Ruthie..my heart aches for you..always enjoyed our visits at the hospital..Jimmy was a special guy that will be missed...hugs*

*Paula Valentine*

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**paula valentine** - May 22, 2022 at 03:05 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jimmy L Chandler.*



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May 21, 2022 at 11:33 AM

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“ *Hacienda Family purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Jimmy L Chandler.*



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**Hacienda Family** - May 21, 2022 at 09:14 AM

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“ *Aunt Ruthie, David and Tracy...our hearts are heavy here in KY. You have been on our minds and in our hearts. I have so many wonderful memories of times here in Princeton. We always looked so forward to your visits. I'll always think of him fondly. Love and prayers...Amy & Brent Ladd*

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**Amy Ladd** - May 20, 2022 at 08:39 PM



“ Jim and Ruth were tireless workers with the Lake Bloomers Garden Club. They were the originators of the Club which works to improve the entrances and beautiful areas near the boat launch area. They also spent many hours working on our Annual Picnic. Jim's hearty laugh brought smiles to all around him. He served on the Association Board. He donated many hours to the improvement of our community here at Lake Latonka . He will be missed. We're sure he will have a "K.Y. Plan" in heaven!

*Olivia and Ron Goldsmith*



**Olivia Goldsmith** - May 20, 2022 at 07:54 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jimmy L Chandler.



May 20, 2022 at 07:09 PM



“ Judi, Kim & Melanie purchased the Comfort & Light 30" Sonnet for the family of Jimmy L Chandler.



**Judi, Kim & Melanie** - May 20, 2022 at 09:26 AM

RG

“ *To the Family and friends, so sorry for your loss.  
Rest Easy Hero.*

*Randy Gumkowski ( Indiana Patriot Guard)*



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**Randy Gumkowski** - May 19, 2022 at 12:41 PM