



## Harvey L. Arthur

February 25, 1937 - November 6, 2015

Harvey L. Arthur, 78, of Akron, Indiana passed Friday, Nov. 6, 2015 at his residence.

He was born on Feb. 25, 1937 in Wabash, Indiana to Elwood W. "Slim" and Bernice J. (Walker) Arthur. He was married on July 29, 1962 in the Burton Methodist Church of Rochester, Indiana to Wanda M. "Peg" Alderfer she survives.

Harvey owned Arthur's Service Station in Akron for 25 years where they maintained Sonoco Paper Products Company of Akron semi trucks fleet. Then he became shop supervisor at Builders Transport/Dedicated Fleet where he retired. He worked after retirement as Pike Lumber Company's highly skilled handyman and carpenter.

He was a 1955 graduate of Akron High School. He served his country as a U.S. Army Veteran. He attended the Akron Church of God for 53 years. He was a longtime member of the Akron Lions Club where he was past president and was awarded the Melvin Jones Fellow in 2008 and the Distinguished Lions in 2011-12. As a Lion he worked on many projects that included building many ramps for the disabled, a longtime fryer at many fish fries, an active member of the Indiana Racing Lions in numerous parades throughout the state, and instrumental in building the Akron Community Center. He was a

master woodworker making many cabinets and pieces of furniture. He enjoyed playing cards with his good friends and an avid fisherman.

Survivors and place of residence:

Daughters - Brenda and husband Jim Ross - Akron, Ind.

Bonita and husband Brian Klein – Connersville, Ind.

Becky Arthur Gearhart - Akron, Ind.

Sisters - Barbara Zartman - Twelve Mile, Ind.

Mary Frances and husband Richard Wood - Akron, Ind.

7 Grandchildren – Allyson and Tyler Ross, MacKenzie, Trey, and Bryce Klein, and Aaron and Cameron Gearhart

Preceded in Death By:

Parents

Infant Brother - Jack Arthur

Brother-in-law – David Zartman

Time and Date of Services: 10:30 am, Wednesday, November 11, 2015

Place of Services: Akron Church of God 301 S West St, Akron, IN 46910

Place of Burial: Akron Cemetery, Akron, Indiana with graveside military rites

Visitation Hours: 2 pm to 7 pm, Tuesday, November 10, 2015 at Hartzler

Funeral Home, Akron, Indiana

Memorial Contributions to: Akron Lions Club or the Akron Church of God

# Cemetery Details

## Akron Cemetery

S 1075 E  
Akron, IN 46910

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **10**. 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Hartzler Funeral Home  
305 West Rochester Street  
P.O. Box 856  
Akron, IN 46910  
(574) 893-4423  
[info@hartzlerfuneralservices.com](mailto:info@hartzlerfuneralservices.com)  
<https://www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com>

## Funeral Service

NOV **11**. 10:30 AM (ET)

Akron Church of God  
301 S. West Street, P.O. Box 66  
Akron, IN 46910  
<http://www.akronchurchofgod.org/>

# Tribute Wall



“ Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Harvey L. Arthur



Hartzler Funeral Services - November 09, 2015 at 09:20 PM

MH

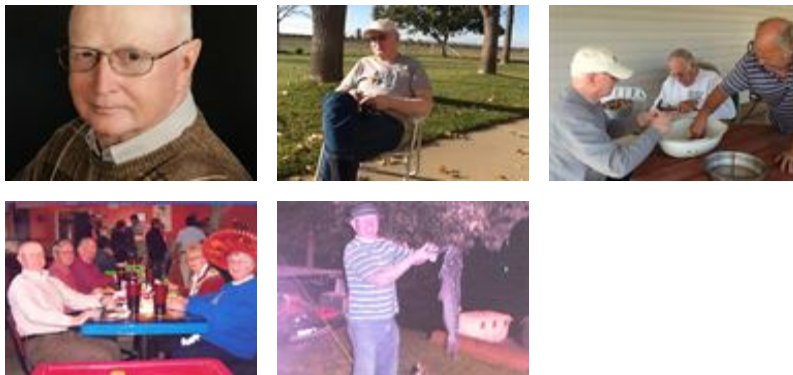
“ Marlene, Dean, Mike & Beth Huppert purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Harvey L. Arthur.



Marlene, Dean, Mike & Beth Huppert - November 10, 2015 at 03:18 PM



“ 99 files added to the album Life Tributes



Hartzler Funeral Services - November 09, 2015 at 09:10 PM

GB

“ Gary And Bonnie lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur



Gary and Bonnie - November 09, 2015 at 05:24 PM

TB

“ The Alderfer's and The Beard's purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Harvey L. Arthur.



The Alderfer's and The Beard's - November 09, 2015 at 01:56 PM

SH

“ Sandy (Wise) Haferkamp lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur



Sandy (Wise) Haferkamp - November 09, 2015 at 12:19 PM

JF

“ Jeff, Renee Stouder & Family lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur



Jeff, Renee Stouder & family - November 09, 2015 at 12:03 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Harvey L. Arthur.* ”



November 09, 2015 at 06:56 AM



“ *Patricia Trippiedi lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur* ”



**Patricia Trippiedi** - November 08, 2015 at 08:18 PM



“ *Dawn Maes lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur* ”



**Dawn Maes** - November 08, 2015 at 08:18 PM



“ *Tammie lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur* ”



**Tammie** - November 08, 2015 at 07:40 PM

BF

*Bob & Tammie Funk*

**Bob & Tammie Funk** - November 08, 2015 at 07:42 PM

AH

“ *Please know our thoughts and prayers are with the Arthur Family and the Akron Lions. Harvey was a wonderful dedicated Lion. Lion PDGs Ann & Charlie Haffner Syracuse Lions Club*

**Ann Haffner** - November 08, 2015 at 07:20 PM



“ *In Memory Heart Shaped Music Box was purchased for the family of Harvey L. Arthur.*



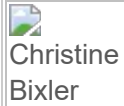
November 08, 2015 at 07:14 PM

DR

“ *Denise Rohrer And Mary Rohrer lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur*



**Denise Rohrer and Mary Rohrer** - November 08, 2015 at 07:11 PM



Christine Bixler

“ Christine Bixler lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur



Christine Bixler - November 08, 2015 at 02:20 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Harvey L. Arthur.



November 08, 2015 at 01:40 PM



SD

“ Sandy Parker Denton lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur



Sandy Parker Denton - November 08, 2015 at 10:21 AM



HF

“ Share a memory of Harvey L. Arthur or send condolences to the family.



Hounshell Family. - November 08, 2015 at 08:59 AM

JR

“ We have played lots of cards with Harvey and Peg. He will be sadly missed by all. Joan Rans.

Joan Rans - November 08, 2015 at 08:20 AM

MH

“ Hello Peg and family,  
We are so sad to hear of your lose. May God draw you close at this time. Love and prayers.  
Max and Alice



Max and Alice Helvey - November 08, 2015 at 07:25 AM

BD

“ My thoughts are with Peg and the girls. Harvey will surely be missed by everyone who knew him. He was a wonderful man.

Bonita Daine - November 07, 2015 at 09:11 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Harvey L. Arthur.



November 07, 2015 at 07:04 PM

JB

“ *Jim & Shirley Bickel lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur*



Jim & Shirley Bickel - November 07, 2015 at 06:41 PM

JI

*So sorry. Your family are in our prayers.*

Jim - November 07, 2015 at 06:43 PM

MW

“ *Marilee Saner Wires lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur*



Marilee Saner Wires - November 07, 2015 at 06:23 PM

PS

“ *The Akron Community has lost a wonderful man. Prayers are with his family.*

Peggy Sellers - November 07, 2015 at 05:49 PM

PS

“ *Peg Shewman lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur*



Peg Shewman - November 07, 2015 at 05:49 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Harvey L. Arthur.*



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November 07, 2015 at 05:49 PM



“ *Jim & Virginia Conliff lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur*



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**Jim & Virginia Conliff** - November 07, 2015 at 05:33 PM



“ *Mary Saner lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur*



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**mary saner** - November 07, 2015 at 04:49 PM



*Harvey, I will miss you a lot, always enjoyed teasing you in church, we will meet again someday*

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**mary saner** - November 07, 2015 at 04:54 PM

KK

“ *Kenton Krieg lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur*



Kenton Krieg - November 07, 2015 at 04:10 PM

GM

“ *Georgia Moudy lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur*



Georgia Moudy - November 07, 2015 at 03:57 PM

JW

“ *Judy Walgamuth lit a candle in memory of Harvey L. Arthur*



Judy Walgamuth - November 07, 2015 at 03:29 PM

RS

“ *Uncle Bud was a great person who always had a smile and a kind word. Always there to help someone. He just refinished a butcher block table for me that his Dad made. Will cherish it always. Love and prayer to my family..*



Robin Spencer - November 07, 2015 at 03:23 PM

DM

“ We will miss seeing Harvey in his little Lions car at the area parades. Our deepest sympathy to the family. Sending prayers of comfort. David (Goober) & Deb Mathias



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**Debra Mathias** - November 07, 2015 at 03:06 PM

TC

“ Such a shock! Uncle Bud was always so full of piss and vinegar, I mean vim and vigor! So many memories, he just got my cabinets made and installed, and decided the molding was to big, he was back the next week to make it right. The rest of us didn't notice it until he showed us. He missed his second dinner at our house. Aunt Peg , Sky just could not believe it was Aunt Peggy's Uncle Bud. Love to all. Twila and Kevin



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**twila childress** - November 07, 2015 at 02:30 PM