



## John L. Bahney

May 23, 1935 - November 14, 2022

John L. Bahney, 87, of rural Macy, Indiana passed at 6:22 am, Monday, November 14, 2022 at his residence.

He was born on May 23, 1935 in Wabash County, Indiana to the late Urban S. and Nellie E. (Dillsaver) Bahney. He married on Feb. 18, 1956 in Peru, Indiana to Barbara Jo Mygrant, she preceded him in death on July 4, 2022. They lovingly celebrated 66 years together.

John was a 1953 graduate of Gilead High School. He then served his country proudly in the U.S. Army. He spent most of his life as a dairy farmer and raised his family on the farm he and his wife owned. He was a member of the Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church for many years. He was an avid IU Basketball fan and enjoyed camping, ping pong, and playing euchre. He also enjoyed going to sporting events at North Miami High School, where they ran the concession stand for 10 years.

He is survived by his daughters Karen and husband Kevin Wilson of Walton, Sandy and husband Steve Linn of Macy, and Tammy and husband Mayo Medina of Fulton; sons Allen and wife Lane Bahney of Macy, Tim and wife Jane Bahney of Akron, and Ted and wife Missy Bahney of Wabash; grandchildren Sara and husband Kyle Thomas, Dusty and wife Sharon Linn, Misty and husband Justin Vanderlest, Ashley and husband John Stamper,

Shaun and wife Brooke Wetzel, Alex and wife Hannah Bahney, Eric Linn, Nick Wilson, Kellie and husband Jacob Hutchison, Nate and wife Janay Wilson, Hannah and Jessica Bahney, Aaron and wife Nicole Bahney, Khyla and husband Jake Goodman, Garrett Bahney, Emily Bahney, and Clayton Bahney; and 25 Great Grandchildren.

John was preceded in death by his parents, wife Barb Bahney, and brothers Bobbie, Virgil "Butch", and Marvin Bahney and a sister Bonnie Colleen Miller.

The funeral service will take place at 2:00 pm, Friday, Nov. 18, 2022 at Hartzler Funeral Home 305 West Rochester Street Akron, Indiana with Rev. Wayne Balmer.

The interment will take place following the service in the Gilead Cemetery, Gilead, Indiana with graveside military rites performed by the Fulton County Honor Guard.

Visitation hours will be from 4 pm to 7 pm, Thursday, Nov. 17, 2022 at Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, Indiana.

Memorial contributions can be made in his memory to Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church with the memo Mission Fund.

# Cemetery Details

## Gilead Cemetery

State Road 19  
Gilead, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 17. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Hartzler Funeral Home  
305 West Rochester Street  
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## Funeral Service

NOV 18. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of John L. Bahney



Hartzler Funeral Services - November 15, 2022 at 11:58 AM

DF

Sorry to hear about your Dad. Praying for all of you in the days to come.

Deb Fouts - November 15, 2022 at 11:11 PM

RG

“ Sorry to hear about Uncle John.

Renda Green - November 20, 2022 at 01:38 PM

MG

“ Sorry to hear about your dad.. Thoughts and prayers for your entire family. Jeff & Molly Grant



Molly Grant - November 19, 2022 at 12:10 PM

JS

“ *Karen, Kevin and family  
Sorry to hear about your Dad...never easy to say goodbye.  
I always enjoyed talking with your parents*

*Prayers  
Jim and Jeannie (Balmer) Smith*

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**Jim and Jeannie Smith** - November 17, 2022 at 09:34 PM

KH

“ *<https://youtu.be/LjBWApyXSTg>  
My Grandpa Bahney use to sing this song Tell me a Story to me as  
a little girl. I would like to share this memory with everyone.  
Love your granddaughter Kellie (Bahney) Hutchinson*

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**Kellie Hutchinson** - November 16, 2022 at 05:42 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for  
the family of John L. Bahney.*



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November 16, 2022 at 02:54 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the  
family of John L. Bahney.*



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November 16, 2022 at 02:37 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of John L. Bahney.



November 16, 2022 at 11:47 AM



“ It was so much fun riding John's bus. He and Barb were such good neighbors to my folks and good friends to our family.

Liz Flaherty - November 15, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of John L. Bahney.



November 15, 2022 at 01:57 PM



“ 130 files added to the album LifeTributes



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