



Bill E. Hemmer

December 18, 1930 - November 8, 2016

Bill Hemmer, 85, Wapakoneta, passed away peacefully on November 6, 2016 at home. He was born Dec. 18, 1930 in St. Marys, OH, the son of the late Frank Hemmer and Gladys Schamp Hemmer Binkley. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his seven year old son, Paul Hemmer.

Bill devoted his life to his family. He was a life-long "cowboy" who shared his love of horses with his daughters. He served as a Scout Master for Troop #319 in Findlay, Ohio. A member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Wapakoneta, he was an avid golfer and a member of the Wapakoneta Country Club where he proudly made a hole-in-one on hole # 5. His philosophy on life stemmed from his Aunt Snazzy and Uncle Flutengale.

After serving in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War, he returned to Wapakoneta to be a city fireman for 11 years. Later he was a sales manager for Eckrich Meats in Ohio, Texas, and Oklahoma. He also owned his own business, H&H Bargain Center, in Oklahoma.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Jane Kinstle Hemmer; a son, Terry (Kathy) Hemmer, Findlay, Ohio; daughters Pamela (Michael)Snider, Loveland, Ohio; Lori (Randy) Reichard, Mountain Lake Park, Maryland; and Ann (Tim) Vest, Hamilton, Ohio, seven grandchildren Carrie, Megan, Rachel, Benjamin, Jonathan, Katelyn, and Jacob; five great-grandchildren; sister, Norma Cockrell

and several nieces and nephews, Mustang, Oklahoma.

Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m., Sat. Nov. 12, 2016, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Wapakoneta, with Rev. Sean Wilson officiating. Burial of his cremated remains will be at a private ceremony at St. Michael's Cemetery in Findlay, Ohio.

Memorial Contributions, by Bill's request, can be directed to the Auglaize County Library, Wapakoneta, Ohio. Arrangements are being handled by the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, Wapakoneta.

Previous Events

Service

NOV **12**. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
Pearl Street
Wapakoneta, OH 45895

Tribute Wall



“ *Jane my prayers are with you and your family.*
Jerry Woodward

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