



Omer C. Fields

September 20, 1930 - January 24, 2012

Omer C. Fields, 81, of Rushville, passed away at 8:56 AM Tuesday, January 24, 2012 in Rushville. Omer was born September 20, 1930 in Fayette County, IN to Omer Roy Fields and Mary (Walker) Fields.

He was in the U.S. Navy serving on the USS WREN from May 1951-April 1955. Omer was a builder of the A.O. Smith Silos from 1956-1963 in Southern Indiana and Ohio. He served as a police officer at the Rushville Police Department from 1963-1983, where he was captain of the night shift. After retiring from RPD he spent 16 years in the Rushville School system as a bus driver. Omer also put the arial on the court house so that Christmas lights could be hung above the clock every year. He was a member of Main Street Christian Church for several years, a member of the American Legion #150 in Rushville, and was a past President of Fraternal Order of Police.

He married Joann Bradley on December 23, 1951, she survives.

Other survivors include sons, Mark (Donette) Fields and Nick Fields, both of Rushville, half-sister, Ellen Cheek of Columbus, IN, grandchildren, Jason (Kristy) Fields, Ryan (Amanda) Fields both of Rushville and great granddaughters, Taylor Jeanne, Ava Jo and Alexis Michael.

Services for Omer will be held at 10 AM Saturday, January 28, at Moster Mortuary, Rushville with Pastor Tim Williams presiding. Friends may call at the mortuary from 4 until 8 PM Friday evening. Burial will be in the Dale Cemetery in Connersville, where military honors will be presented by the Fayette County Veteran's Honor Guard.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Main Street Christian Church.

Tribute Wall



“ *Omer C. Fields*

January 28, 2023 at 12:19 PM



“ *Joann, Mark and Nick, I went to school with Mark and I am very sorry to hear about your Dad's passing. I lost my Mom in August and I know that eventhough we will see each other again it is hard to say good bye...just remeber it is only for a short time and we will get to reunite in joy.
God bless you all.
Scott Buhler*

William Scott Buhler - January 30, 2012 at 11:12 PM



“ *Joann, Mark & Nick. While it has been many years, I wanted to express my condolences to all of you. I remember Omer very well.*



Greg Raika - January 27, 2012 at 10:03 PM

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“ My most heartfelt condolences to Joann, Mark, Nick and family on your loss. When such a person as Omer is taken from us, we all lose. I will always remember working with him at RPD and being a new guy, I learned so much from his experience and wisdom. He was of few words for the most part, but when he spoke, it paid to pay attention. Every morning that I picked him almost 2 hours before his shift started, we went to the Park Restaurant where he had his biscuits & gravy and I had to fill him in on what transpired during the night. Not much in town happened that Omer didn't know about. His eyes took in everything and it seemed that he forgot nothing. I have in my heart much respect for him and what he taught me. I'm so glad to have been able to recently spend some time with him.

Thank you Omer. I salute you Sir for your service to the citizens of our country and to our city.... Job well done.

Roger Dice RPD (retired)

Roger Dice - January 26, 2012 at 10:23 AM

JN

Mark and family,
Sorry to hear about your dad, please tell your mom I am thinking of her.
Jamie Naylor

Jamie Naylor - January 26, 2012 at 11:41 AM