



## William "Bill" David Myer

December 8, 1934 - August 22, 2024

Dateline: Alton, IL

William "Bill" David Myer, 89, passed away at 1:37 a.m. on Thursday, August 22, 2024 at OSF St. Anthony's Hospital. He was born December 8, 1934 in White Hall, IL, the son of the late Ivan and Nina (Martin) Myer. He worked for many years in the construction industry. On February 2, 1963 in Alton, he married Rita Ursch, and she survives. Also surviving are four sons, Jeff Myer (Mindy) of Alton, Greg Myer (Mary) of Alton, Dave Myer (Nancy) of Bunker Hill and Steve Myer (Dot) formally of Godfrey. Nine grandchildren, Jordan Myer, Miranda Henson (Abram), Megan Del Grego (David) of TX, Greg Myer (Emily) of TX, Brad Myer (Sheridan) of CO, Amanda Laux (Ben) of Bunker Hill, Crystal Myer of Iowa, Steven Myer (Jessie) of Iowa and Colby Myer of Iowa. Ten great grandchildren, Gabriel Henson, Paisley Myer, Kinsley Myer, Penny Myer, Eliana Laux, Maddox Laux, Lena Laux, Kaleigh Scoggins, Victoria Gammaitoni and Tristen Sale and two sisters, Ruth Seymour of Godfrey and Betty Lomelino of White Hall. Besides his parents he was preceded in death by four sisters. A celebration of life will be from 4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 28, 2024 at the Alton Wood River Sportsman's Club. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Wounded Warrior Project or Hope Animal Rescues. Online guest book may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)



# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

AUG **28**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Alton-Wood River Sportsmen's Club  
3109 Godfrey Rd  
Godfrey, IL 62035-1856  
(618) 466-3042

# Tribute Wall



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of William "Bill" David Myer.*



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August 28, 2024 at 09:45 AM



“ *Grandpa, it saddens me to write this, I still can't believe your actually gone. I've always looked up to you since I was a little boy and you were a steady role model throughout my life. You were a family man, a man that everyone could count on. You could hold a conversation with anybody, full of life and character. The memories we had together I will hold dear to my heart and tell my kids the stories you use to tell me when I was growing up. From getting me my first job, helping me get my license and making me save up to buy my first car. You taught me about taking responsibility for myself. In your famous words, "Son I can't help anybody that can't help themselves" Always someone I could rely on. I will always cherish the time we spent together and all of the memories we shared. Thank you for being such an amazing role model in my life. You were the best Grandpa a grandson could ask for. Sorry I wasn't there in person to tell you goodbye but I hope you know just how much I love you. 🥹*



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**Greg Jr** - August 27, 2024 at 11:46 PM

MB

“ Marie Biermann purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of William "Bill" David Myer.



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Marie Biermann - August 27, 2024 at 02:37 PM

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“ Marie Biermann planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of William "Bill" David Myer.

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Marie Biermann - August 27, 2024 at 02:37 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William "Bill" David Myer.



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August 27, 2024 at 12:14 PM

JM

“ I was very sad to hear of Bill's passing. He was always very kind to me, made me feel like family and was one of the best builders that I know. Sending virtual hugs and prayers of peace to the Myer Family, With Sympathies, Jeanne Modlin



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Jeanne Modlin - August 27, 2024 at 10:13 AM

TG

“ *The Gentrys purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of William "Bill" David Myer.*



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**The Gentrys** - August 25, 2024 at 09:53 PM

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“ *ARIBELLA & LIZ purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of William "Bill" David Myer.*



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**ARIBELLA & LIZ** - August 25, 2024 at 09:12 PM