



## Bichel F. Brand

May 26, 1928 - September 26, 2010

Bichel F. Brand went home to be with his Lord on Sunday September 26, 2010. He passed peacefully after living a full 82 years of Life. Born May 26, 1928 to Hiram W. and Rosa (Shepherd) Brand in Brown County, IN. He married Betty I. (Lucas) Brand on February 11, 1950 who survives him.

He worked as a set-up man at RCA in Bloomington and retired after 38 ½ years of service.

He is survived by three children; Kevin (Paula) Brand of Brooklyn, Michigan, Dale (Kristi) Brand of Bloomington, Indiana, Chris (Cindi) Brand of Mitchell, Indiana, one brother Bernard (Eva) Brand of Story, Indiana. He is also survived by eight grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by parents, two daughters Becky Brand and Brenda Houchin, one grandson David Brand and one great-grand-daughter, two sisters and one brother.

Bichel was a member of Crossroads Community Church in Bedford, IN and attended Precept Bible Study at Emmanuel Baptist Church in Bloomington, IN.

Visitation will be on Thursday September 30, 2010 from 4-8 at the Allen Funeral Home 4155 S. Old State Road 37 Bloomington with Services on Friday October 1, 2010 at 2pm at the Funeral Home. Pastor Ken Ransom will be officiating. Burial will follow at the Clear Creek Cemetery.

Allen Funeral Home is handling arrangements. Condolences may be sent to [www.allenfuneralhome.org](http://www.allenfuneralhome.org)



# Tribute Wall

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“ Chris, Betty, Brandy and Cindi,  
I am so sad to hear of Bichel's passing. He was a wonderful person. I know that he will be missed immensely. You all are great examples of the strength and character that he had. May you have peace during this difficult time.

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**Stephaney Dixon Washington** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

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“ Chris, Cindi and Brandy,  
Im sorry to hear of your loss please know that Im praying for you and your families during this difficult time.

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**Holly Tanksley** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

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“ To all of the family. Dad (Dwight Tate) and I send our sincere thoughts and prayers for you all. As you are aware, Mom went home to be with our Lord in August. Dad and I know the pain you are suffering at this time. Bichel and Betty always had a special place in our hearts. You children - keep God close to your hearts. He will bring you through this terrible time. He will give you the strength to continue on. We love you all. You will all be in our prayers.

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**Patty Hooten (Tate)** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

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“ Chris, Cindi, Betty, and family we are saddened by your loss, but rejoicing together with you over Bichel being in the presence of our Lord. Thank the Lord for His glorious Hope!!

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**Chris and Melissa Mulkey** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

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“ We were very saddened to hear about Bichel. He was such a dear man and will be truly missed. Please know our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time of loss. He is singing with the angels now.

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**Joyners** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

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“ My heart is with you all right now, our world's loss of a wonderful kind man is Heaven's gain. But it is ALL of our destiny to spend our time here and then move on to our afterlife, and Grampa Brand will be the first to hug you when you get there. He was a good man, and will be dearly missed by so many, and i'm thankful to have memories of him.

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**Stephanie Feedback (Field)** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

JO

“ Dale and Kristi, my thoughts and prayers are with you both. I know how it is to lose someone close, whether a parent, child or spouse.

We know your dad lived a full life and is, as they say, in a better place.

I won't be able to make the funeral but I'll try my best to attend the visitation Thursday.

Again, sorry for your loss.

Joe

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**Joe Badger** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM