



Dale Conner

April 8, 1939 - January 6, 2026

Dale Conner, 86, of Bloomington, passed away on Tuesday, January 6, 2026, at Majestic Care in Bloomington.

Dale was born on April 8, 1939, in Bloomington to Ora and Anna (Strunk) Conner. He attended Bloomington High School before proudly enlisting in the United States Air Force, where he served his country with honor.

On July 1, 1960, Dale married the love of his life, Kathleen Conner, and together they shared a lifetime of devotion and adventure. Dale spent many years as an accomplished truck driver and was among the select few trusted to operate a triple-axle truck. One of his favorite stories to share was traveling to the Talladega racetrack—an experience made even more special because Kathleen often accompanied him on the road. Later in life, Dale worked as a bus driver for Benjamin Harris Transportation, where his responsibilities even included driving for the Secret Service.

Dale found joy in life's simple pleasures. He loved watching a good western, spending time drawing, and trying out various restaurants. His quiet talents, strong work ethic, and love for family will be remembered fondly by all who knew him.

Dale is survived by his two sons and daughters-in-law, Rick and Jenny Conner of Bloomington, and David and Natalie Conner of Mooresville; one grandson, Nathan Conner of Mooresville; and his sister, Mona Jones of Springville.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his beloved wife, Kathleen.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Wounded Warrior Project in Dale's honor.

A family graveside service will be held on Monday, January 12, 2026, at 1:00 p.m. at Greene County Chapel Cemetery. Pastor Larry Mitchell will officiate. Allen Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements.

“Courage is being scared to death—but saddling up anyway.”

— John Wayne

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JAN 12. 1:00 PM (ET)

Greene County Chapel Cemetery
4169 N. St Rd 45
Solsberry, IN 47459

Tribute Wall

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“ *may God comfort the family, with joy and peace, as they wait for the meeting in the air* ”

Ronald Raney - January 12 at 07:08 AM