



## Earnest Dixon

November 5, 1930 - October 16, 2017

Earnest Dixon, 86, of Bloomington passed away Monday, October 16, 2017 at the IU Health Hospice House. He was born November 5, 1930 in Pikeville, Kentucky the son of Herbert and Birdie (Adams) Dixon, and attended Pikeville Schools. Earnest married Truly Taylor in May of 1949 in Pikeville, Kentucky. He was a butcher working for Bloomington Packing House in Bloomington for 25 years and then for Rice's Custom Meats in Spencer for 20 years before retiring.

Earnest loved hunting, fishing, tinkering with lawn mowers, gardening, and breakfast at the Cloverleaf with his wife where he would go every morning. He will be greatly missed by all who loved and knew him.

He is survived by his children; Diana (Tony) Davidson of Bloomington Carolyn S. (Robert) Robertson of Bloomington, James A. (Becky) Dixon of Martinsville, six grandchildren; Pam (Frank) Christenberry, Mike (Shannon) Robertson, Cindy (Gary) Bell, Nancy (Kevin) McCormick, Angie (Jeff) Bough, Jeremy (Stacie) Wilson, fourteen great grandchildren and four great great grandchildren, four sisters; Vera Clark of Portland, OR, Lexie Comeru and Erma Mae Esrom both of Vancouver, WA, Susan Kay Holsinger of Washougal, WA, three brothers; Ard Dixon of Pikeville, KY, Art Dixon of Portland, OR, Herbert Dixon of Gresham, OR, and several nieces & nephews. Preceded him in death wife, parents, one sister Texie Hedley and one brother Vernon Dixon

Funeral Services will be held Thursday, October 19, 2017 at 1:00 pm at the

Allen Funeral Home 4155 S. Old St Rd 37, Bloomington. With Rev. Jeff Floyd officiating. Entombment will follow at Valhalla Memory Gardens.

Visitation will be Wednesday, October 18, 2017 from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm and Thursday, October 19, 2017 from 12:00 pm to service time at the funeral home. Memorial Contributions can be made to the IU Health Hospice House in Bloomington. You are invited to share a memory or leave an online condolence to the family at [www.allencares.com](http://www.allencares.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Valhalla Memory Gardens

310 North Johnson Ave.  
Bloomington, IN 47401

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 18. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Allen Funeral Home and Crematory  
4155 S. Old State Road 37  
Bloomington, IN 47401  
(812) 824-5905  
<http://www.allencares.com>

## Service

OCT 19. 1:00 PM (ET)

Allen Funeral Home and Crematory  
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# Tribute Wall

ME

“ God Bless you all today and always! Our hearts are sad that Earn has left us, but he left behind a wonderful family and has blessed many of us for many years, I always admired and respected Earn for his patience, compassion, and genuine caring. A man of few words, but when he spoke I listened.

*Do you remember when I took the commuter flight from Chicago to Bloomington? Earn told me never to fly in a small tin can again. I promised I would not and I will not take a commuter flight again.  
Love you all always, Mae*

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**Mae Esrom** - October 19, 2017 at 12:12 PM

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“ Diane,  
*I so enjoyed visiting Ernie. He was always kind and had a keen sense of humor. He will be missed!*

*Nancy Koi RN  
IU Health Hospice*

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**Nancy Koi RN** - October 19, 2017 at 10:50 AM



“ Donna Buker lit a candle in memory of  
*Earnest Dixon*



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**Donna Buker** - October 19, 2017 at 12:45 AM



“ Love Vera



Susan Holsinger - October 18, 2017 at 05:01 PM



“ Love Ard and Emma



Susan Holsinger - October 18, 2017 at 04:56 PM



“ RIP love Art Dixon & Herb Dixon



Susan Holsinger - October 18, 2017 at 04:54 PM



“ Love Lexie



Susan Holsinger - October 18, 2017 at 04:52 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Earnest Dixon.*



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October 18, 2017 at 03:03 PM



“ *thinking of you Jim and Becky and family may god comfort you*

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**kay driver** - October 18, 2017 at 12:16 PM



“ *Kay lit a candle in memory of Earnest Dixon*



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**Kay** - October 18, 2017 at 10:22 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of your Father's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family.*  
*Mike and Sherry Mobley*

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**Mike and Sherry Mobley** - October 18, 2017 at 08:18 AM


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“ *Thinking and praying for you all and hugs to you all*



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**Denise Everroad** - October 18, 2017 at 07:26 AM

 Debbie Chapman

“ *Love and prayers to all my family during this difficult time. Uncle Earn will be missed by us all.*



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**Debbie Chapman** - October 17, 2017 at 06:15 PM