



Charles Ray Bennick

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Charles Ray Bennick, 84, of Decatur, passed away at 1:00 A.M. on Thursday (03-17-2022) at The Christian Village in Lincoln, IL.

Charles was born on November 9, 1937 in Steele, MO, the son of Ester Lee Bennick and Cleo Willard McLain – Maxwell. He married Alice Ruth Wagner on April 22, 1961 in St. Louis, MO.

He served in the National Guard. Charles also was owner/operator of Interchem Inc. (Paint Company). His family and his business were his life. He also loved to take naps!

Charles is survived by his wife of almost 61 years; two sons: David Bennick and wife Jennifer of Decatur, IL, and Dale Bennick of Decatur, IL.; two daughters: Diana Hunter and husband Roger of Decatur, IL, and Dottie Burriss and husband Brian of Rochester, IL.; three brothers: Ken Bennick and wife Cheryl, Ron Bennick, and Mike Bennick and wife Claudette; two sisters: Jane Geist and Pat Alexander and husband Ray; nine grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren with three on the way.

He was preceded in death by his parents, sister-in-law Carol, one brother, one sister.

A Funeral service will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Tuesday (03-22-2022) at Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home Decatur, IL, with visitation before services from 9:00 A.M. until 11:00 A.M. at the funeral home. Burial will be held at a later date in Graceland Cemetery Decatur, IL.

Memorials may be made to: Alzheimer's Association.

Condolences may be left to the family at www.gracelandfairlawn.com



Events


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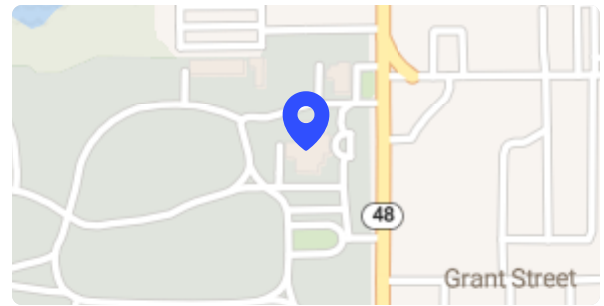
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Visitation

 **Tuesday**, March 22, 2022

 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT


 **Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home**
2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur IL 62526

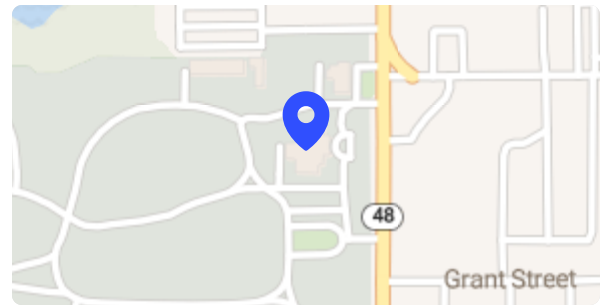


Funeral Service

 **Tuesday**, March 22, 2022


 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM CT

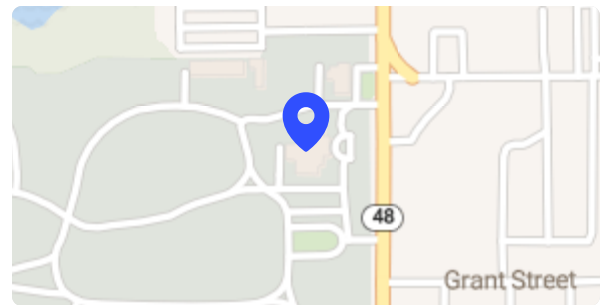
 **Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home**
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Cemetery Details

 **Graceland Cemetery**
2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur IL 62526

 **(217) 615-0724**





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Anonymous sent a Medium Dish Garden to the Bennick family.

March 22 at 5:03 AM



Anonymous sent an Arrive in Style to the Bennick family.

March 20 at 10:08 AM



PS

Pat Schweitzer posted:

your all in our thoughts and prayers, I know it's hard right now, but try to remember the good times, the laughs the love you all shared . it helped us,here for you sis.

March 18 at 7:17 AM



Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Bennick family.

March 18 at 5:09 AM



Anonymous sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Bennick family.

March 17 at 3:01 PM





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Karen Brockfeld posted:

Uncle Ray you will be missed by all of your nieces and nephews, which are many now. Enjoy your wings along with my dad, your brother, mom, your sister in law, Aunt June, Aunt Carol, and your nephew Kevin. You guys are going to have a great time up there and we will see you one day. Love you.

March 17 at 2:26 PM



Ron Bennick March 19 at 12:18 PM

Ray, we weren't the best of friendly brothers, but as we grew up everything got smoother. I grew to admire you and spent a GREAT day with you - just the two of us and fun conversations about many things. A day I will always remember . I will even recall the fact that the microwave companies should know that their lights should last more than 35 years. Nuff said Ron.



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Bennick family.



March 17 at 1:53 PM



Adm Trucking sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Bennick family.



March 17 at 12:52 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Charles by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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