



# **Richard "Dick" Lorenz Brenneke**

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## **Richard "Dick" Lorenz Brenneke**

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**R**ichard “Dick” Lorenz Brenneke, 76, passed away on Sunday, September 9, 2018 at Parkview Regional Medical Center, Fort Wayne. Born in Fort Wayne, he was the son of the late Lorenz and Dorothy (Junk) Brenneke. He was a member of St. Peter’s Lutheran Church, Fort Wayne. He served his country in the US Army Reserves and was a lifelong farmer. He also retired from BF Goodrich in 1987 as a supervisor and had driven truck over the years. He was also a member of the Woodburn Lions Club. Dick held a private pilot license and enjoyed flying, fishing, and traveling across America. He is survived by his wife of 43 years, Candy; sons, Bill (Kelli) Brenneke of Albion and Brian (Tammy) Brenneke of Fort Wayne; sister, Jan (Steve) Singer of Hudson; grandchildren, Alex, Katie, Dalton, Dakota, Nicholas, Rachel, Kursten, and Erika; and two great grandchildren, Bryton and Delilah. He was also preceded in death by his son, Todd Brenneke in 2007. Funeral service is 11 a.m. Friday at St. Peter’s Lutheran Church, 7710 E. State Blvd., Fort Wayne with visitation one hour prior to service. Pastor Steve Ahlersmeyer officiating. Calling is also 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Harper’s Community Funeral Home, 740 St. Rd. 930 E., New Haven. Burial in St. Peter’s Lutheran Cemetery. Preferred memorials are to St. Peter’s Lutheran Church or Cancer Services of Northeast Indiana. To share online condolences please visit [www.harperfuneralhome.com](http://www.harperfuneralhome.com)



## Events


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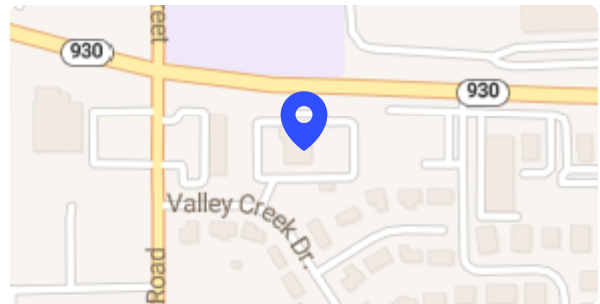
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### Public Viewing

 **Thursday**, September 13, 2018

 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM ET

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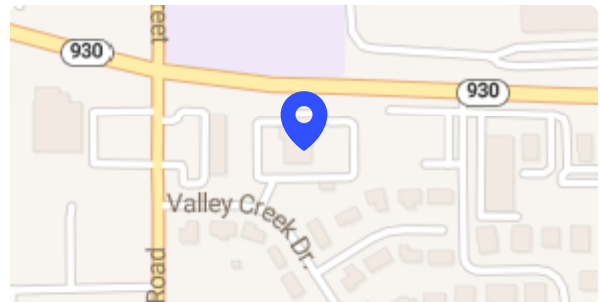


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 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

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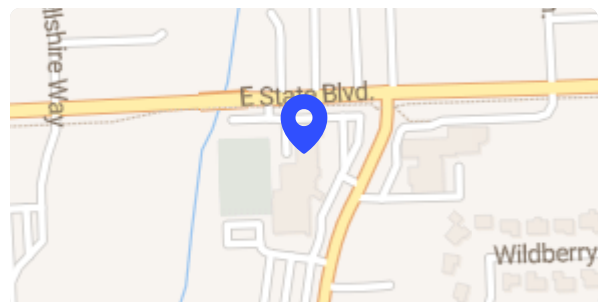


### Funeral Service

 **Friday**, September 14, 2018

 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET

 **St. Peter's Lutheran Church**  
7710 E. State Blvd., Fort Wayne IN 46815





## Tribute Wall

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EM

**Emily** posted:

Candy, I am so sorry to hear the passing of Dick. You are in my thoughts and prayers.Emily Smith

September 13 at 3:15 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White to the Brenneke family.

September 13 at 4:05 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Healing Tears - Blue and White to the Brenneke family.

September 12 at 9:03 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Red & White Sympathy Floor Basket to the Brenneke family.

September 11 at 4:38 PM



JG

**Jerry Gerig** posted:

Dick and I were in the same high school. Always enjoyed being with Dick as he was a warm caring person. Sorry for the loss. Last time I saw Dick was at our 50th class reunion, he hadn't changed. Jerry Gerig, Gilbert, AZ

September 11 at 7:36 AM

GB

**Gary, Leeann, Karen, Melissa, And Bre.** sent a Lavender & White Sympathy Floor Basket to the Brenneke family.

September 10 at 3:41 PM





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**The Rick Meshberger Family** sent a Blue & White Sympathy Basket to the Brenneke family.



September 10 at 1:01 PM



**Libby** posted:

So sorry for your loss. There are no words that will bring comfort but know that your in thousands of prayers. I am Kelli and Bill, Dalton and Dakodas Aunt Libby McKinley.

September 10 at 11:43 AM



**Cindy** September 13 at 10:24 AM  
Remembering the good times!



**Karen Hukill** September 11 at 1:56 AM  
Praying for your family. Good memories for me to cherish. Love ya all!!!!



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Richard "Dick" by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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