



## Don Bowen

November 20, 1938 - November 28, 2019

J. Donald Bowen, 81, of Thorntown, Indiana, passed away Thursday, November 28, 2019 at Witham Memorial Hospital in Lebanon surrounded by his family.

Don was born in Boone County on November 20, 1938 to the late Jim and Mabel (Snyder) Bowen. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by sister, Wilma Barton, and infant grandchildren, Lily Ann and Mason Daniel Wuebker.

In 1970 he married Beverly (Schlick) Bowen, she survives.

Don was a 1956 graduate of Dover High School then went on to study Land Management at Purdue University. He worked 28 years for Rice Tile & Drainage and then purchased that business operating as Bowen & Ramsey until he retired in 1992.

Don was the founding member of the Perry Township Volunteer Fire Department, the Gideons International, Indiana Drainage Association and Lighthouse Baptist Church. He enjoyed spending time with his family, camping, boating and water skiing. He spent his days serving the Lord in many areas at his church and in the community.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by his children: Tammy (Mike) Spidel, Lebanon; Jana Dittmore, Avon; Wendi (Dewayne) Johnson, Smyrna, Tennessee; Peggy (Jim) Blessing, West Lafayette; Steve (Anne) Wuebker, Frankfort. Grandchildren: Jeff (Courtney) Spidel, Kyle (Dani) Spidel, Lebanon; Carlee Dittmore, New Castle; Dillon and Colin Dittmore, Indianapolis; Jacob, Katie and Shelby Craven, Savannah Johnson, Smyrna, Tennessee; Nicholas (Sarah) Bromund, North Carolina; Nathaniel (Kara) Bromund, Adam (Cheyenne) Wuebker, West Lafayette; Corban and Dylan Wuebker, Jacob and Lucas Baker, Frankfort. Four Great Grandchildren, a niece and two nephews also survive.

Visitation is planned for Monday, December 2, 2019 from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Lighthouse Baptist Church, 858 West 250 North, in Lebanon, Indiana.

Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, December 3, 2019, at the church.

Interment will follow services at Pleasant View Cemetery, west of Lebanon. Myers Mortuary in Lebanon has been entrusted with his arrangements.

Memorials may be directed in his memory to Lighthouse Baptist Church.

# Cemetery Details

## Pleasant View Cemetery

5295 West State Road 32  
Lebanon, IN 46052

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 2. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lighthouse Baptist Church  
858 West 250 North  
Lebanon, IN 46052

## Service

DEC 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

Lighthouse Baptist Church  
858 West 250 North  
Lebanon, IN 46052

# Tribute Wall



“ *Don Bowen*

November 27, 2022 at 01:43 PM



“ *Beverly, Sending my sympathy for your loss, as one of Don's 1956 Dover classmates. I only learned of this today. Enjoyed seeing Don on occasion over the years, and as always, I regret not spending more time just chatting. All the best to you and your family. Vernon Threlkeld, Bend OR*

**Vernon Threlkeld** - December 03, 2019 at 04:31 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Don Bowen.*



December 02, 2019 at 11:51 AM



“ *Wilson Transportation and Wilson Industrial purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Don Bowen.*



**Wilson Transportation and Wilson Industrial** - December 02, 2019 at 10:15 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Don Bowen.*



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December 01, 2019 at 11:05 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Don Bowen.*



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December 01, 2019 at 06:48 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Don Bowen.*



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November 30, 2019 at 11:07 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Don Bowen.*



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November 30, 2019 at 03:20 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Don Bowen.



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November 30, 2019 at 08:59 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Don Bowen.



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November 29, 2019 at 11:11 PM