



Gary Arvin Burk, 86, of Evansville, Indiana, passed away Monday, November 18, 2024 at Ascension St. Vincent Evansville.

Gary was born in Evansville, Indiana on August 23, 1938 to John Clifford and Johanna (Klausmeier) Burk. He was a graduate of Bosse High School. Gary worked for National City Bank for 36 years, retiring in 1995 as Senior Vice President of Operations. He honorably served in the United States Marine Corps, was a member of the Military Order of Devil Dogs and the Marine Corps League. Gary attended St. Paul's Lutheran Church where he was a former deacon and was active with the Encouragers. He was a Kentucky Colonel. Gary traveled all over the United States, visiting every state but Idaho and Oregon. He enjoyed many hobbies including cooking, oil painting, airbrush painting, fishing, and hunting. Gary started the Junior Optimist Club at Joshua Academy, was a member of the Evansville Downtown Optimist Club, American Lung Association, and North Side Optimist Club.



Gary is survived by his daughter, Michelle Cain of Evansville, IN; son, Michael Burk (Joselyn) of Evansville, IN; grandchildren, Lauren Gansman, Rio Burk, Jensen Burk, and Adrian Burk; great-granddaughter, Alyvea Nightingale.

Gary was preceded in death by his parents and son-in-law, Jerome Cain.

Funeral Service will be held at 10:00 am on Saturday, November 23, 2024 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 100 East Michigan Street, Evansville, IN 47711 with Pastor Chad Eckels and Pastor Case Farney officiating. Entombment will follow at

Alexander Memorial Park Cemetery where military rites will be conducted by the Marine Corps League.

Friends may visit from 2:00 pm until 7:00 pm on Friday, November 22, 2024 at Browning Funeral Home, 738 E. Diamond Ave., Evansville, IN 47711 and again from 9:00 am until service time on Saturday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Paul's Lutheran Church or American Lung Association, 115 W. Washington St., Suite 1180-South, Indianapolis, IN 46204 or Evansville Downtown Optimist Club Charitable Foundation, PO Box 3882, Evansville, IN 47737.

Condolences may be made online at www.browningfuneral.com.