



## William "Ed" Kirtley

August 15, 1928 - December 31, 2016

Kirtley, William "Ed", of Kirkwood, Missouri, was born August 15, 1928 in Camden, Arkansas, to Howard Wayne and Mary Will (nee Bussey) Kirtley, and entered into rest, Saturday, December 31, 2016, at St. Clare Hospital, in Fenton, Missouri, at the age of 88 years, 4 months and 16 days.

He is preceded in death by his parents, his wife Jeanne Waite Kirtley, one son, Timothy W. Kirtley and two sisters, Dorothy V. Temme and Louise Eichman.

He is survived by:

two (2) children, Jonathan H. (Gay) Kirtley of Osage Beach, Missouri, and Sarah K. (David) Duty of Bunker Hill, Illinois,

five (5) grandchildren, Emily (Alex) Wulff, Jessica (John) Sterling, Jacob Kirtley, Beth Duty and Amy Duty,

two (2) great grandchildren, Robert Timothy Sterling and Jillian Gentry Wuff,

one (1) sister, Patricia Murphy of Magnolia, Arkansas,

and many other relatives and friends.

Ed served his country in two wars. He was in World War II and the Korean War. He loved to play golf and travel. He was a great salesman and dedicated to his family and church. He will be fondly remembered and will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Visitation will be held Thursday, January 5, 2017, from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Chapel Hill Mortuary, 10301 Big Bend Road, Kirkwood, 63122. Service Friday, January 6, 2017, 11:00 a.m. Interment at Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery. Memorials can be made to the American Heart Association. Family and friends can review and share stories, photos and condolences online at [www.stlfuneral.com](http://www.stlfuneral.com) and follow details of this event and others in the community at [www.facebook.com/stlchapelhill](http://www.facebook.com/stlchapelhill).

# Cemetery Details

## Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery

2900 Sheridan Road  
St. Louis, MO 63125  
(314) 845-8320  
<https://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/jeffersonbarracks.asp>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JAN 5.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Chapel Hill Mortuary - Kirkwood  
10301 Big Bend Road  
Kirkwood, MO 63122  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *William "Ed" Kirtley*

January 06, 2023 at 10:46 PM



“ *Edgar's smile is a fixture in my heart, and his eyes always had a twinkle to go with it. He was a delight to talk to, tease, and love on, and always made me laugh. Pure gold, fiercely loved, and sorely missed. Much love to all the family.*

**Bethany (Rule) Vedder** - January 07, 2017 at 02:15 AM



“ *Dear Jon and Sarah,  
Your dad is with the Lord and I am so happy for him. His suffering is over, but he will be missed. I have so many happy memories of him and Aunt Jeanne and our families together, even their wedding! When I think of your dad I will always remember him smiling. God who comforts us in all our tribulations comfort you both and give you peace.  
Love, Julie Sands Wills*

**Julie Wills** - January 04, 2017 at 01:02 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with all of you all. Soon our Lord will call us home, what a day that will be. Margo Waddle*

**Margo Waddle** - January 04, 2017 at 10:56 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of William "Ed" Kirtley.



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January 03, 2017 at 10:13 PM



“ Sarah, Jon and families,  
I am so sorry you have lost your dad but I am so happy he is with the Lord and reunited with your mom. He was such a loyal and faithful caretaker of your mom at the end of her life. He was a true witness for our Lord and Savior.  
I am also sad I was not able to be at Aunt Jeanne's funeral and now can't attend Uncle Ed's. I have so many good memories of both of them! I miss those great meals around my mom's table!!  
Love to all of you,  
Mary and Bill

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Mary Reeves - January 03, 2017 at 09:31 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of William "Ed" Kirtley.



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January 03, 2017 at 11:14 AM