



## Timothy F. Dilger

April 25, 1940 - December 1, 2024

Timothy Frank Dilger died suddenly in the early morning hours of December 1, 2024. He was 84.

Tim married Barbara Ficker on November 26, 1964, in Saint Boniface Catholic Church in Fulda, Indiana and just celebrated 60 years of marriage. His parents were Richard F. and Gertrude Bettag Dilger.

He was a United States Army veteran serving in Germany for three years.

He retired from Memorial Hospital in Jasper after 30 years of supervising building and construction projects.

Tim was a member of Holy Family Church, the Holy Name Society, and a lifetime member of the Jasper Rifle and Gun Club.

He was a NASCAR race fan and loved to mow grass and spend time outdoors. He was a talented woodworker and built many muzzleloading shotguns. He had a thriving gun repair business for 40 years. He will be remembered as a kind and devoted husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather with a great sense of humor and a talent for long stories and jokes. We will miss his grin!

He is survived by his wife, Barbara Dilger of Jasper; two daughters: Kelley (John) Knies of Evansville; and Tracey (Duane) Welp of Jasper; four grandchildren: Tyler (Lauren) Coppens, Allison (Kyle) Haas, Emily (Collin) Brinker, and Lindsey (Emma) Welp; and one great-grandson James Brinker. Tim is also survived by two sisters: Patricia Douglas and Jacqueline Meyer.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his brother Harvey and sister-in-law Betty Dilger.

A Mass of Christian burial for Timothy Frank Dilger will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, December 7, 2024, at Holy Family Catholic Church in Jasper with entombment to follow in Fairview Cemetery Mausoleum in Jasper. The American Legion Post #147 will perform military graveside rites.

A visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Friday, December 6th, at the Becher-Kluesner Downtown Funeral Home and one hour before services at the church from 9:00 a.m. until the 10:00 a.m. Mass time on Saturday.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Holy Family Catholic Church Bereavement Luncheon Fund or to a favorite charity.

Online condolences may be made at [www.becherkluesner.com](http://www.becherkluesner.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Fairview Cemetery Mausoleum

1020 Kundek Street  
Jasper, IN 47546

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 6. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Becher & Kluesner Funeral Home - Downtown  
214 East 7th Street  
Jasper, IN 47546  
(812) 482-4141  
email@becherkluesner.com

## Visitation

DEC 7. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Holy Family Catholic Church  
950 Church Ave  
Jasper, IN

## Mass of Christian Burial

DEC 7. 10:00 AM (ET)

Holy Family Catholic Church  
950 Church Ave  
Jasper, IN



# Tribute Wall

KE

“ Barbara and family, so sorry for your great loss of Tim. I was a kid when I met you guys. I babysat and I lived on giesler rd. He was so nice  
Kristine Epple Effinger

Kristine Effinger - December 10, 2024 at 11:10 AM

JS

“ So sorry for the loss of your husband. He was a very good husband to you and your family. Prayers go out to you and your family.



Jane Schroeder@icloud.co - December 05, 2024 at 02:53 PM



“ Our condolences and deepest sympathies to Tracey, Duane, Allison, Lindsey and the entire family! Prayers

KurtMalana Hedinger - December 05, 2024 at 06:06 AM

BR

“ Kelly. Our most sincere condolences on your loss. Our prayers are with you and your family.

Bob & Sheri Reeves - December 04, 2024 at 04:28 PM

DH

“ TRACY AND DUANE, SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU .....

DEAN, MAROLYN & HUNTERFLAMION - December 03, 2024 at 09:23 AM

WT

“ SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS YOU AND YOUR FAMILY ARE IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS.

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**WINDELL AND BRENDA TOBY** - December 03, 2024 at 08:50 AM

AH

“ *Sorry to hear of Tim passing. Worked with him for many years. He was a great carpenter.*

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**Anna Mae Hostetter** - December 03, 2024 at 04:40 AM

AO

“ *Ann L Obermeier lit a candle in memory of Timothy F. Dilger*



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**Ann L Obermeier** - December 02, 2024 at 08:51 PM

MD

“ *My sincere sympathy to you Tracey, your mom and family.*



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**Marilyn Dittmer** - December 02, 2024 at 04:09 PM

MB

“ *Tim always had a smile. I so remember that in working with him at Memorial. Gentle Hugs to all. Martie Bickwermert*

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**Martha Bickwermert** - December 02, 2024 at 03:06 PM

DC

“ Barb, Kelly and Tracey and families! He will be greatly missed. Who will tell all his corny jokes and spin his neverending crap. Sending all my love to you all.  
DIANA Kittinger

Diana Kittinger, Cousin - December 02, 2024 at 01:19 PM

RH

“ TO THE DILGER FAMILIES:  
WE EXTEND OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY  
TO ALL OF YOU  
FOR YOUR RECENT LOSS. PRAYERS FOR  
YOU FROM  
THE RALPH MARKS FAMILY AT 437 PLYMOUTH STREET.  
MAY TIM NOW REST IN PEACE WITH THE LORD.



Rosie Henriott - December 02, 2024 at 12:03 PM

MS

“ Mark J Schulte lit a candle in memory of  
Timothy F. Dilger



Mark J Schulte - December 02, 2024 at 11:02 AM

CH

“ Our first neighbors in 1974 when we got married. We been friends  
for 50 years. We will miss him terribly!! Rest in peace Tim!! 🙏❤️

Curt and Connie Hall - December 02, 2024 at 10:57 AM