



## Mearl Burnett

September 11, 1933 - February 21, 2023

Mearl Burnett, 89, of Sodus Township died Tuesday, February 21, 2023 at his residence.

Services celebrating his life will be held at 1 PM on Monday, February 27, at the Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service in Benton Township. Burial will follow in Mount Pleasant Cemetery in Sodus Township. The visitation will begin at Noon on Monday at the Fairplain Chapel. Please share messages or memories at [www.florin.net](http://www.florin.net).

Mearl was born on September 11, 1933 in Caruthersville, MO to Burel and Millie Burnett. He married his wife, Tracy Queen, and together they had 35 years of marriage. He was a retired custodian after 26 years of employment with the Benton Harbor Public Schools System. Mearl liked to tinker with things and enjoyed recycling and restoring antiques. He was especially noted for restoring wooden skids. Mearl was a loving and kind individual. He was always thoughtful of everyone and had a super big heart. He will be remembered by all who knew him.

His family includes his wife, Tracy; his children, June (Gerry) Wildeman of St. Joseph, Angie (Jim) Kirby of Coloma, and Cathy Roderick of Eau Claire; his brothers, Burel Burnett of Benton Harbor and Bobby Joe Burnett of Pocahontas, AR; his 10 grand children and his 7 great grandchildren. He was

preceded in death by 2 sons, Bruce and Dan.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Pleasant Cemetery

5508 S. Pipestone Road  
Sodus, MI 49126

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 27. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service  
1053 East Napier Avenue  
Benton Harbor, MI 49022  
(269) 926-7222  
staff@florin.net

## Service Celebrating His Life

FEB 27. 1:00 PM (ET)

Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service  
1053 East Napier Avenue  
Benton Harbor, MI 49022  
(269) 926-7222  
staff@florin.net

## Burial

FEB 27. 3:00 PM (ET)

Mt. Pleasant Cemetery  
5508 S. Pipestone Road  
Sodus, MI 49126

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Carol, Jonathan, Mark & Marne Burnett purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mearl Burnett.*



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**Carol, Jonathan, Mark & Marne Burnett** - February 24, 2023 at 06:21 PM