



## Edwin E. Finley

September 29, 1932 - July 16, 2009

Anderson - Edwin E. "Jigger" Finley, 76, Anderson, passed away July 16, 2009 at St. Johns Health System, Anderson, Indiana. He was born September 29, 1932 in Flora, Indiana, and resided in Anderson. He served his country in the US Army in the Korean War. He retired from Fortville Auto Parts after many years of service. Edwin was a member of the Anderson American Legion and a lifetime member of the Fortville VFW. He loved woodworking and enjoyed making furniture such as swings, cradles, rocking chairs and walking sticks. He did not know a stranger and was always willing to lend a hand. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Carolyn Somers Finley; daughters, Terri Dwight Wood and Sara Gary Mann; sister, Rose Peters; sister-in-law, Marge Finley; 5 grandkids, Kari Ty Boyd, Dwight Wood III, Scott Melissa Wood, Martin Mandy Mann and Christine Kevin Austin; 10 great grandchildren; several nieces & nephews and his dog, Sam. He was preceded by his parents, Lorena Bernice Hughes & Samuel Finley and brothers, Robert Finley and James Finley. Visitation will be from 4-8:00 PM on Friday, July 17, 2009 at Robert D. Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, South Chapel; 200 W. 53rd Street; Anderson. Services will be Saturday, July 18, 2009 at 11:30 AM, at the funeral home, south chapel, with military rites by the VFW. Private burial will take place. Memorial contributions may be made to American Heart Association. [www.LooseFuneralHomes.com](http://www.LooseFuneralHomes.com)

# Tribute Wall

AD

“ My deepest sympathy is with you all! I did not know Ed well at all, but have known Sara for many years, and know he was a wonderful loving father, because Sara is such a wonderful loving, caring woman. She always laughed when speaking of her Dad. I wish there was some way to ease the heartache you all feel, but to think of all the wonderful memories of such a loving man, hopefully will make that journey a little easier. May Peace be with you all in this hardest of times!  
Much love, Anita Downey

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**Anita & Jim Downey** - July 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ Much love to you all. This picture is so Uncle Jigger! Always, Always a laugh and a smile.  
I know he is with Mom and Dad watching us all.  
Peggy

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**Peggy Sue Finley Safford** - July 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers go out to you.

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**Michelle Miller** - July 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you all in this time of sorrow. That "Thee Old Fart" was a GREAT guy, whom everyone one who knew him would say the same. He is with GOD now, a better place!  
Please let us know if we can do anything at all for you! The Sechrist Family Jamie Miller-Sechrist

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**Jamie Miller-Sechrist** - July 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ *May each of you find comfort an peace knowing your love one is in gods hands an may the joy of his love embrace you every day*

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**sam griffin** - July 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ *Dad will be missed very much by me i have a craddle that he made my twins when they was born 2 years ago and i will cherish this and he will live on in my heart forever.. i think you picked the perfect picture of him and his smile just shows what a happy and wonderful life he had..i love you mom please take good care of yourself we need you...love sally*

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**sally searfoss** - July 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM