



## Samuel R. Bigelow

November 19, 1953 - January 11, 2025

Samuel R. Bigelow, 71, of North Irwin, died Saturday January 11, 2025, surrounded by his family. He was born November 19, 1953 in Wilkinsburg, a son of the late Samuel E. and Evelyn (Breon) Bigelow. Sam was a retired carpenter and a member of the Carpenter's Union. He was a graduate of Norwin High School Class of 1971 and an Air Force veteran of the Vietnam era. He was a member of First United Church of Christ, Irwin, where he served on church council for many years. He also was a member of the Westinghouse Golf League and a Meals-On-Wheels volunteer. He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Wendy L. (Jasper) Bigelow; his daughters Bree Bigelow and Lee Bigelow Behrens (Derek); his brother Byron E. Bigelow (Dianne); and his mother in law Doris Jasper. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, January 14, at the William Snyder Funeral Home, 521 Main Street, Irwin. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, January 15, in the funeral home with Rev. David Ackerman, officiating. In lieu of flowers a contribution can be made to the First United Church of Christ, 400 Main St., Irwin, PA 15642. For online condolences please visit [www.snyderfuneralservices.com](http://www.snyderfuneralservices.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 14. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

William Snyder Funeral Home, Inc.  
521 Main Street  
Irwin, PA 15642  
(724) 863-1200  
<https://williamsnyderfuneralhome.com/>

## Visitation

JAN 14. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

JAN 15. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Wendy and Family  
We are so sorry to hear about Sam. It was to late to stop and extend our deepest condolences. My mother and father send their thoughts and prayers and they adored Sam. You all our in our prayers. Debbie Dyson and McKeever

Deborah Dyson - January 24, 2025 at 01:19 PM



“ Wendy we are so sorry to see that Sam passed. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.❤️

Vickie and Joe meister - January 22, 2025 at 12:09 PM



“ Wendy and Family,  
  
You have my deep sympathy in the loss of Sam. I am sorry that I was unable to get to the funeral home to extend my condolences in person, but you know that you are in my thoughts. I hope that the trip to Italy will always remain a happy memory for you.

Ron Surmacz

Dr. Ronald Surmacz - January 16, 2025 at 10:41 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Samuel R. Bigelow.



January 15, 2025 at 10:28 AM

DM

“ Wendy, know that you are in my prayers. My mother thought so much of Sam and was always so grateful for you family's support.  
Dave M.

Dave Mears - January 14, 2025 at 09:53 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Samuel R. Bigelow.

January 14, 2025 at 08:04 AM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Samuel R. Bigelow.



January 14, 2025 at 08:04 AM

YP

“ YPrime purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Samuel R. Bigelow.



YPrime - January 13, 2025 at 10:45 AM

AK

“ *Angela, Danielle, Kelsie, Kelly purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Samuel R. Bigelow.*



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**Angela, Danielle, Kelsie, Kelly** - January 12, 2025 at 08:11 PM

GR

“ *Sam was a good man who will be truly missed. May you and the girls find peace, Wendy! Gary and Debbie Reck*

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**Gary and Debbie Reck** - January 12, 2025 at 01:50 PM

SM

*I cleaned for Sam's mother many moons ago.very good people ,salt of the earth. So sorry for your loss,Cassandra McCune,ywd.*

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**Sandra McCune** - January 14, 2025 at 04:23 PM

MJ

*Very sorry for your loss, with deepest sympathy.*

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**Michael Plumb Jr** - February 13, 2025 at 02:36 PM