



Samuel W. Traughber

June 25, 1936 - November 18, 2014

Samuel W. Traughber, age 78, of Springfield, passed away Tuesday, November 18, 2014 at NorthCrest Medical Center. Funeral Mass will be held Thursday, November 20, 2014 at 2pm at the St. Michael's Catholic Church with Father Prentice Dean as Celebrant. Burial will follow in the St. Michael's Cemetery with family and friends serving as pallbearers. Visitation will be held at the Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield on Wednesday, November 19, 2014 from 4-8pm and again on Thursday from 11am until 1:30pm. A Rosary will also be held Wednesday evening at the funeral home at 7:45pm.

Mr. Traughber was born June 25, 1936 in Robertson County to the late Francis and Nell Virginia Foster Traughber. He was a self-employed accountant and was a communicant of St. Michael's Catholic Church.

In addition to his parents Mr. Traughber is preceded in death by his sisters, Virginia Rowan and Mildred Dawson, and by his brothers, Benny Traughber, Jesse Traughber and George Traughber.

Mr. Traughber is survived by his nephews, Freddie Rowan of Smyrna, and Benny (Joanne) Traughber and Sam (Lynn) Traughber, both of Palmyra; nieces, Quinella (Franklin) Rigsby of Smyrna and Debbie (Kevin) Evetts and Bobbie Mundy, both of Greenbrier; and several great-nieces and great-nephews.

Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield is in charge of these arrangements.

AUSTIN & BELL FUNERAL HOME-

509 WALNUT STREET, SPRINGFIELD, TN (615) 384-1000

Cemetery Details

St Michael's Cemetery

Cedar Hill, TN

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 19. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home Springfield
509 Walnut St.
Springfield, TN 37172
(615) 384-1000
<https://austinandbell.com>

Visitation

NOV 20. 11:00 AM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home Springfield
509 Walnut St.
Springfield, TN 37172
(615) 384-1000
<https://austinandbell.com>

Service

NOV 20. 2:00 PM (CT)

St Michael's Catholic Church
Cedar Hill, TN

Tribute Wall

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“ I met Sam in 1955, and over the years we shared many wonderful times together. Sam was a man of many talents, although not a lot of people knew it. He was an accountant, a musician, a life guard, and most of all a dear friend. He was my best man when Helen and I were married in 1965, and he and I played music together for years. We shared a love of the music of the Louvin Brothers, and Sam could sing their songs better than most people. His last few years were sometimes lonely, and even though we had moved away from Tennessee, I spoke with him on the phone on a regular basis, and visited with him each time we came back to Springfield. We had a good visit just last month, talking of old days and better times. Rest ye well, old friend, you will be missed by those of us who loved you.

Don Harp - November 19, 2014 at 09:23 AM