



## Bruce E. Wendel

April 8, 1928 - November 6, 2008

RICHMOND, Ind. – Bruce E. Wendel, age 80, of Richmond, died Thursday, November 6, 2008, at Forest Park Health Campus. Born April 8, 1928, in Camden, Ohio, to Fred and Matilda Beckman Wendel, he was a graduate of Camden High School. Bruce served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He farmed with his brother, Bob, for 60 years in the Centerville area. Bruce was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church and former board member of SWCD. He was named Conservation Farmer of the Year, being among the first farmers in the area to do no-till. Survivors include his brother, Robert Wendel of Richmond; sister-in-law, Betty Wendel of Ft. Collins, Colo.; and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; sisters, Gladys, Ruby, Helen and Maxine; and brother, Arthur. Visitation for Bruce E. Wendel will be from 4-7 p.m. Sunday, November 9, 2008, at Doan & Mills Funeral Home, 790 National Road West, Richmond. Funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Monday, November 10 at Doan & Mills with Pastor Paul Fecher officiating. Burial will be in Maple Grove Cemetery, Brookville, Ind. Condolences may be sent to the family via the guest book at [www.doanmillsfuneralhome.com](http://www.doanmillsfuneralhome.com).

# Tribute Wall

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“ Our sympathy to Bob. Do hope you will remember my family Roy & Marie Holbert. I am their daughter Jean Holbert Brown who lives in St. Petersburg, Florida We had many good times together when we came to visit your family many years ago. Bruce may be gone but not forgotten & someday may we all be together again. Love, Richard & Jean Holbert Brown Our daughter's Sharon Brown, Brenda & Robert Harrelson

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**Jean Holbert Brown** - November 15, 2008 at 12:46 PM

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“ Dear Bob , I was sorry to read of your brother's death. Please know you are in my thoughts and prayers. Marlene (Leroy's daughter)

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**marlene (gesell) sloneker** - November 08, 2008 at 09:48 AM

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time.

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**Gordon Krick and the staff of Doan & Mills Funeral Home** - November 07, 2008 at 02:36 PM