



# Henry "Hank" Dwight

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**H**enry "Hank" Albert Dwight age 80 completed his final mission and went to be with his Savior Jesus Christ on Friday April 18, 2014. Hank as everyone knew him, was born in Scio, New York on July 4, 1933. He retired from the Air Force (SAC) where he flew B-52's and C97 during the Vietnam War. He then started with a small purple and orange package delivery company in Little Rock, Arkansas named Federal Express Corp. as a pilot. Hank was one of the first 30 pilots known as the "Dirty 30". Hank was an avid golfer but more importantly a Christian man who loved the Lord and his Church which is Germantown Baptist Church where he was a Deacon. Hank ministered in many ways to the community. He ministered at Brinkley Heights each Thursday morning leading men to Jesus and showing them a positive Roll model. He also delivered food each week to the widows of the church. Hank will be missed by his wife of 55 years Peggy Dwight, sons Greg Dwight(Gina), Gary Dwight(Michele). Daughters Cindy Cain (Mark), and Kathy Smalley(Al). Hank is survived by his four sisters Audrey Wood , Shirley Carl, Joyce Ogurchak and Sandy Salazar. He also leaves behind Seven grandchildren who he dearly loved and one great granddaughter that made him smile every day. Visitation will be Tuesday April, 22 from 1:30 until 2:30 service time at Memorial Park Funeral Home. 5668 Poplar Ave, Memphis, TN. 38119 "Behind the Stone Wall"



## Tribute Wall

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JS

**Jessie Smalley** posted:

It's been a long day without you, my friend And I'll tell you all about it when I see you again We've come a long way from where we began Oh, I'll tell you all about it when I see you again How could we not talk about family when family's all that we got? Everything I went through you were standing there by my side And now you gonna be with me for the last ride

May 1 at 8:18 AM

DA

**Daniel** posted:

This man was more than my Grandfather. He was my Best friend and the man that showed me how to live my salvation and be a christ like example as he was the best at using his actions to let people know who he served. He loved his wife and children so much. He took my sister and I in when we had no where to go. He became our Dad and even more than that. His piercing blue eyes and strong but silent nature was amazing. how a man can be so tough while not saying a word but when he spoke it was with nothing but love. I will miss him dearly but know what he taught/instilled in me. I am blessedly assured to see him again in God's kingdom. The only reason I know Jesus is because of my grandfather. What a glorious day that will be to hug my savior and will be able to worship him alongside my grandfather. I Love you Pops and I'll make you proud, I promise. Love, your best friend and grandSON Daniel

May 8 at 9:21 AM

DL

**Denny Leonard** posted:

So sorry to hear about the passing of my Uncle Hank. In my eyes, I always thought of him as an American Hero. I will never forget when he took me and my brothers into the cockpit of a B-52 flight simulator. At the age of 12, it left quite an impression on me. Today, I am celebrating his life as a Christian, a Gentleman, a "man's man", and person of high integrity. We didn't get to see him very often but he will be missed. Our prayers are with my Aunt Peggy and all of my Cousins as they share the special memories of their time with him. On behalf of the Leonard brothers, we thank God for the life of Uncle Hank. Much Love to the family, Denny Leonard (and Sheryle)

April 21 at 5:46 PM

MP

**Memorial Park** posted:

Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Henry "Hank" Dwight.

April 21 at 10:33 AM



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JB

**Jean Bowden** posted:

Hank was our Sunday School teacher for many years. My husband Dan died a year ago and now they will be classmates again. They will be able to talk face to face with Jesus. I will miss Hank so very much. – Jean Bowden

April 21 at 5:13 AM

KA

**Kathy** posted:

There are so many memories, but the times that meant the most were when he was at church. I would watch him along with mother in the choir, or if he was sitting next to me, you could hear him sing the mens part to I Surrender All..watching with overwhelming pride as he carried out his duties as a deacon. Daddy always had time for me and my brothers and sister when he didn't have to fly. But most of all, the love he showed my mother was only something we can dream about for ourselves. Theirs was a love story...those gentle blue eyes will never be forgotten!

April 20 at 4:48 PM

HW

**Hobert Welch** posted:

Hank was one of the good guys that I always enjoyed being around with. I had the pleasure to work with him in the Flight Training Department for many years. Hank was more than a true professional pilot and friend. I thank God that he came to know Christ many years ago and I look forward to seeing him again in Heaven. Although we lost someone special, Christ gained someone special. We who knew Hank will miss him but never will we forget him.Hobert Welch

April 20 at 4:15 PM

MV

**Mary Lee Virginia** posted:

We are so very sorry for your loss. Hank was a wonderful man and Christian. He was a glowing example to others and lived what he believed. He will be so greatly missed.Mary Lee Virginia and Olga Baker

April 19 at 1:48 PM



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