



## Morris "Sam" Samuel Denton Jr.

March 20, 1942 - December 10, 2025

Morris "Sam" Denton, Jr. - Passed away at home in The Villages, Florida December 10, 2025. Sam was born in Indianapolis, Indiana March 20, 1942 to Morris & Mary Denton Sr. He attended Manual High School in Indianapolis, Indiana. Sam was appointed to the Indianapolis Fire Department October 1, 1969. He was instrumental in bringing the World Police & Fire Games to Indianapolis, traveling to Australia, California, Canada and Sweden. Sam was the Local 416 President and Treasurer, Board member for the GIFCU and also a Trustee on the IFD Pension Board and Pension Secretary. Sam retired from the Indianapolis Fire Department May 1, 2005 as Executive Officer for Battalion 13 C Shift. Sam enjoyed roller skating, snow skiing, classic cars. He was preceded in death by siblings; Phil Denton, Phyllis Weiser, Debbie Ramsey, Alice Coddington. Surviving children; Keith Denton (Joey), Steven Denton (Trisha), Teresa McDonough (David), Jason Stroup (Kelly). Grandchildren; Joshua Denton, Jennifer Huff, Reagan Stroup and Collin Stroup; The Firefighters Brotherhood.

Visitation will be Thursday, December 18, 2025 from 4:00pm.-7:00pm. at Flanner Buchanan Funeral Centers, 2950 North High School Road, Indianapolis, Indiana 46224 with a Remembrance Service immediately following.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Tunnel To Towers at [www.t2t.org](http://www.t2t.org)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 18. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Flanner Buchanan Funeral Centers  
2950 North High School Road  
Speedway, IN 46224

## Service of Remembrance

DEC 18. 7:00 PM (ET)

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