



## Rubin O. Bales

March 18, 1927 - September 22, 2017

Rubin O. Bales, 90, of Umatilla, FL passed away on Friday, September 22, 2017. He was born in Gatlinburg, TN. He was a movie projectionist and was a veteran of the United States Army Air Force. He attended the Life Community Church. He was a member of the VFW and the American Legion and was an avid bowler. He was also a volunteer fire fighter for 30 years in Gatlinburg, TN.

He is survived by his loving wife of 70 years: Mildred "Micki" Bales, Umatilla, FL; son: William "Bill" (Nicole) Bales; 3 grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren; and 1 great great grandchild. He was predeceased in death by his brothers and sister.

A graveside service will be held at a later date.

# Tribute Wall

JS

“ *Micki and family: We were very saddened to hear of Rubin's passing. He was a fine man, and we love you both dearly, even though we haven't been able to keep in touch as much as we should. We will remember Rubin fondly always.*

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**Jay and Sharron** - September 28, 2017 at 10:02 AM

RT

“ *Sorry to hear of Rubin's passing. I still remember being around him down at Twin Islands Motel and he was always a great person. I do remember him loving bowling and a bunch of us drove to Knoxville to bowl. I loved to hear Rubin tease Coot. Bill and I graduated together. Sorry for your loss. Randy*

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**Randy Trentham** - September 26, 2017 at 04:35 PM

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“ *My sincere condolences for the loss of your Husband. How wonderful to have a mate for 70 years but how sad to have to lose one. This is never an easy time in life.*

*The bible calls death an enemy and when it takes those we love, it truly is.*

*God gives us hope at Jo 5:28,29 where he will remember our dead loved ones and will bring them back to life on earth so they can enjoy living forever.*

*Ps 37:11,29.*

*I hope that you are able to get comfort from these promises as I have.*

*[https://tv.jw.org/#en/mediaitems/VODBibleTeachings/pub-jwbcov\\_201405\\_5\\_VIDEO](https://tv.jw.org/#en/mediaitems/VODBibleTeachings/pub-jwbcov_201405_5_VIDEO)*

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**Linda** - September 25, 2017 at 08:56 AM