



## Charles "Bub" Etter

January 23, 1930 - April 16, 2017

ADRIAN – Charles “Bub” Theodore Etter, 87, passed away Sunday, April 16, 2017, at his beloved farm. He was born January 23, 1930 in Adrian, MI, the son of the late Ivan and Emma (Cope) Etter. He married Myrna Ann Hamden on March 28, 1949 in Angola, IN, and she survives.

Charlie was employed with Bohn Aluminum for over 40 years, but his lifelong passion was his farm. He owned and operated Etter’s Chick Haven housing over 40,000 chickens along with steers and pigs. Charlie dearly loved his children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. He enjoyed bowling, square dancing, bingo, playing cards, Las Vegas, 4-H, serving as a deacon at Palmyra Presbyterian Church, his commitment to his community and his famous BBQ chicken legs! His humor and laughter will be missed, along with his fellowship with all that entered his life. Everyone knew it would be 3 days to start farming when he would get stuck in the spring with his tractor.

Surviving Charles in addition to his wife, Myrna of 68 years, are five children: Nancy (Chris) Pellowe of Adrian, Brenda Etter of Oklahoma, Terry (Linda) Etter of Adrian, Kathy (Neal) Staup of Onsted, and Sally (Troy) Bevier of Tecumseh; one sister, Dorothy Parker of Adrian; 12 grandchildren; 11 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Charles was preceded in death by his parents, Ivan and Emma Etter; brothers, Harvey and Dale Etter; father and mother-in-law, Harvey and Linnie Hamden and two granddaughters.

Funeral services will take place at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 19, 2017, at

Wagley Funeral Home with Rev. Douglas Holmes officiating. Burial will follow at Palmyra Cemetery. Visitation will be held at the funeral home Tuesday from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions made to Hospice of Lenawee or Palmyra Presbyterian Church. Online condolences and memories may be shared at [www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com](http://www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Palmyra Cemetery

East US 223  
Palmyra, MI 49268

# Tribute Wall



“ *Charles "Bub" Etter*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *Great grandpa you'll be missed dearly, love your great grandson Zackery*

**Zackery Jedele** - April 26, 2017 at 03:36 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of your father's passing Nancy. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

*Matt*

**Matt** - April 18, 2017 at 05:02 PM



“ *Sending our thoughts and prayers for the family and friends of Charles. May you remember all the good memories and take comfort in them. In memory, a monetary contribution has been made to Hospice of Lenawee .*

*Arrow Energy & Pinnacle Express employees*

**becky** - April 18, 2017 at 07:51 AM

LH

“ Love, Aunt Phiddy, Judy, Diane and Jimmy Hargrave purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Charles "Bub" Etter.



Love, Aunt Phiddy, Judy, Diane and Jimmy Hargrave - April 18, 2017 at 12:20 AM

KE

“ kathy etter-staup purchased the Glorious Memories Garland for the family of Charles "Bub" Etter.



kathy etter-staup - April 17, 2017 at 09:14 PM

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“ Love, Steve and Deb purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Charles "Bub" Etter.



Love, Steve and Deb - April 17, 2017 at 07:11 PM

JK

“ Warmest thoughts go to Aunt Myrna and my cousins. Always enjoyed visiting them on the farm. Uncle Bub will be missed. Joanne (Hamden) and Steve Kramer.



Joanne Kramer - April 17, 2017 at 06:15 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Charles "Bub" Etter.*

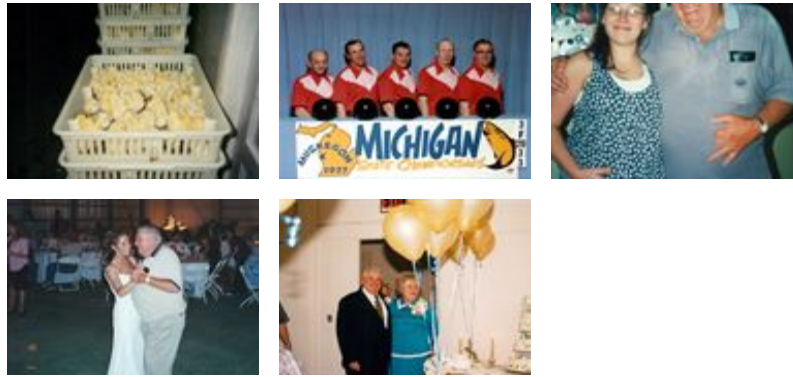


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April 17, 2017 at 04:39 PM



“ *86 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Wagley Funeral Home** - April 17, 2017 at 03:30 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Charles "Bub" Etter.*



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April 17, 2017 at 03:23 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Charles "Bub" Etter.



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April 17, 2017 at 02:32 PM



“ *Sandra (Smith) Pixley lit a candle in memory of Charles "Bub" Etter*



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**Sandra (Smith) Pixley** - April 17, 2017 at 12:30 PM