



## Wiley M. Sanders, Jr.

July 9, 1946 - January 21, 2024

Wiley Marion Sanders, Jr., husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, uncle, and friend, passed to his heavenly home on Sunday, January 21, 2024, in San Antonio, Texas. He was born on July 9, 1946, in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Wiley was a Vietnam War Veteran who proudly served during that conflict, he was trained and worked as an Avionics Electronics Technician in the Air Force and continued this vocation upon retirement for the Air Force by maintaining military aircraft for over 20 years at Joint Base San Antonio. Wiley also served his community for many years by working with the Volunteer Fire Department. Ruth and family traveled and lived aboard with him as he served. He was a faithful Christian and family man.

Wiley is preceded in death his loving wife of more than 54 years, Ruth Jane (Hampton) Sanders; parents, Wiley Marion Sanders, Sr. and Lillian Katherine (Moore) Sanders; sisters, Pricilla Sanders and Frances Nicholson. He is survived by his children, Lieutenant Colonel Tom Sanders (Kerrie), Marc Sanders, PhD (Lydia), Matthew Sanders, PhD (Elizabeth); five grandchildren; 6 great-grandchildren; numerous nieces, nephews, and many dear friends and extended family.

A visitation will take place at Lintner-Hurley Funeral Home in Chandlerville on Wednesday, January 31, 2024 from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Graveside

services will follow the visitation at Chandlerville Cemetery at 1:30 p.m.

Online condolences can be left for his family at [www.hurleyfh.com](http://www.hurleyfh.com).

Lintner-Hurley Funeral Home in Chandlerville is in charge of local arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Chandlerville Cemetery

Chandlerville, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 31. 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Lintner Hurley Funeral Home - Chandlerville  
255 South Main Street  
P.O. Box #346  
Chandlerville, IL 62627  
(217) 458-2424  
<https://www.hurleyfh.com/>

## Graveside Service

JAN 31. 1:30 PM (CT)

Chandlerville Cemetery  
Chandlerville, IL