



## Leonard "Bus" Adams

November 21, 2009

Leonard "Bus" Adams, age 83, of Columbus, passed away Saturday, November 21, 2009 at his home. He was a graduate of The Ohio State University. He also owned and operated an insurance agency for thirty years. Bus was a World War II U.S. Army Air Corp Veteran. He was preceded in death by his parents, Leonard J. and Stella Mae Adams and sister, Mary Goodwin. Survived by his wife of 58 years, Mary Jo; children, Louise (Keith) Enevoldsen, Elaine Hunter, Robert (Karen) Adams, Thomas (Keeyah) Adams, Steven (Laurie) Adams, and Susan (James) Schiering; Sixteen grandchildren; brother-in-law, Louis "Doc" Goodwin; other relatives and friends. Member of Epworth United Methodist Church and the Men's Club of Epworth Church. Former member of the Columbus Senior Softball League and Clintonville "Old-timers" Fast Pitch Softball League. Family and friends may call from 2:00-4:00 p.m. Saturday, November 28th at the RUTHERFORD-CORBIN FUNERAL HOME, 515 High St., Worthington, OH 43085 where a memorial service will be held at 4:00 p.m. with Pastor Brett Castle officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to: Epworth United Methodist Church, 5100 Karl Rd., Columbus, OH 43229. Condolences for the family may be sent to: [www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com](http://www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ Leonard "Bus" Adams

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January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ Tom, Steve, and Bud, I was disappointed that I could not come to the visiting hours last Friday. I wanted you each to know of my respect for your father and to give you my personal condolences. Your dad was a great supporter of fastpitch softball and as a result of his many actions over 50 years, particularly through the Thursday league, fastpitch in Columbus still brings enjoyment to many men in the Columbus area. I know you will miss him but there are surely many great memories you have with him. You are in my thoughts and prayers. With high regards, Rich Markham

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**Rich Markham** - November 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Adams family, We both are sad to hear about our fine neighbor "Bus" leaving us. We enjoyed his friendliness, humor and willingness to share the basketball court. Our children all join us in sending you our condolences. Joan is now living at Mother Angeline McCrory Manor, a Catholic run care center. She is doing well there, and getting excellent care. Jerry lives at our family home in Westerville. Sorry that neither of us could be at the memorial service. We all remember the friendships that we enjoyed with the Adams'. Love to all of you, Joan and Jerry

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**Joan & Jerry Solinger** - November 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

OH

“ Getting to know the Adams Family has been wonderful. 'Pop Adams' (as Oleda came to call him) daily visits to the office were filled with teasing, laughter and smiles. As his illness progressed and he was not able to come in, he was missed. We know that his family will miss him deeply. He is in the presence of our Saviour and joyful beyond anything we can imagine. Our prayers for comfort will continue to be with your family.

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**Oleda & Rick Hirsch** - November 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ Deepest sympathy to the Adams Family. Our prayers are with you. Due to circumstances, we are unable to be at the service with you.  
The Hinkles

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**Barb & Glenn Hinkle** - November 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ Dear Kelsey and the entire Enevoldsen Family, I knew your Grandpa became ill and I have prayed for his healing which is perfect now in heaven. I am sure he was a lovely man because your family are such great people. I am sorry I am not able to pay a visit to you all today at the funeral home, we are going out of town to visit Terry's Dad in PA. I will be in touch and in the meantime pray for God's peace during your time of loss and togetherness with all those who love your Grandfather and Dad for you Louise. In God's love, Mrs. Wynne

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**Jenifer Wynne** - November 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM

EB

“ Dear Mary Jo & family It was with deep regret that I read of Bus's passing this week. I know he dealt with some really tough physical problems but he handled that with the same determination as he did as an athlete. I remember very well his great friendship and guidance during my very brief career with Lumberman's Mutual and then the longtime softball and basketball careers we enjoyed together in the various leagues in Columbus and Worthington. Bus had plenty of ability and a heart and dedication unsurpassed. We (Lori & I) will be unable to attend the service tomorrow but be assured that my memories are the fondest and please share my condolences with the children. Best wishes and God Bless. With love, Earl Bechtel

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**Earl Bechtel** - November 27, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ Bob: I know it is difficult, because I have lost both my parents. Then yesterday, they found my mother in law dead at her apartment, so I am planning a memorial service, too. I'm flooded with memories, and I know you are too. They keep us going. Best wishes in the difficult time. Drex

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**Drex Poling** - November 26, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ Bob: Sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. No matter what age or circumstances, it is hard to give them up. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family this day.

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**Tom Wagner** - November 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KD

“ *My dad, Stan Bahorek, played on the Clintonville Old-Timers' softball team with Bus. When I saw the obituary for Bus this morning, I recalled fond memories of following their team as they played their games. My husband, mom, and I send our most sincere sympathy to your family. My dad passed away this June...perhaps the two of them are getting a "pick up" game together in heaven. Love & prayers to you all...*

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**Kathy DeRing** - November 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM