



Howard E. "Butch" Nelson Sr.

November 18, 1943 - January 1, 2024

Howard E. "Butch" Nelson, Sr., age 80, of Wheeling, passed away on Monday, January 1, 2024, at Wheeling Hospital.

He was born November 18, 1943 in Wheeling, WV, son of the late William and Ada Britt Nelson.

Butch was a retired carpenter for Union Local #3, a U.S. Navy veteran with 22 years of service, a member of First Christian Church, Wheeling, and enjoyed being at home with his family.

In addition to his parents, Butch was preceded in death by one brother: Bill Nelson; and one sister: Ester Williams.

Survivors include his loving wife, of 58 years, Martha Chevalier Nelson; one son: Howard (Michelle) Nelson, Jr. of Mt. Pleasant, OH; three grandchildren: Jacob Nelson, Michael & Katelynn McWhorter; and one brother: Delbert (Bonnie) Nelson of Dallas, WV.

Family will receive friends Friday from 10am until 11am at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 1 Ridgecrest Road, Bethlehem/Wheeling.

Private services and interment will be held at the convenience of the family.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory- Wheeling/Bethlehem

1 Ridgecrest Road

Bethlehem/Wheeling, WV 26003

(304) 232-0400

<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

Tribute Wall

DA

“ My sincere and humble condolences to the family and friends of "Butch". Denny Albaugh

Dennis R Albaugh - January 06, 2024 at 03:00 PM

JD

“ Martha and family and "Punk",
We're very saddened to hear about Ed's passing. We have wonderful memories of growing up on McCulloch Street alongside Ed and Punk, who were great friends in our East Wheeling days.
The Duffy brothers, Jay, Tom, Pat, & Mickey

JAY Duffy  - January 05, 2024 at 04:42 PM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,*

May your memories of Howard E. Nelson Sr., give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.

*My thoughts
and prayers to the family of*

*US Navy Veteran, Howard E. Nelson Sr., is “A True American Hero”
God Bless†*

† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †

Cheryl Skinner Tri-State Military Museum - January 04, 2024 at 03:46 PM

DL

“ *Martha and family i am truly sorry for the loss of Howard . He was a great guy . Hold on to the memories and let god help you through this difficult time*

debbie leech - January 04, 2024 at 08:08 AM

AK

“ *Martha & family - We're so sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you.
Ann & Bruce*

Ann Koegler - January 03, 2024 at 09:51 AM