



Philip H. Auten

June 1, 1934 - February 16, 2018

Philip H. Auten, age 83 of Moundsville, WV died Friday, February 16, 2018 in Cumberland Pointe Care Center, St. Clairsville, OH.

He was born June 1, 1934 in Kansas City, Missouri, the son of the late Wilma Auten Bonar.

He was a US Army Veteran; a retired employee from Ormet Rolling Mills Plant; an employee of Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory; a volunteer at Reynolds Memorial Hospital; a member of 1st Christian Church Disciples of Christ, Moundsville, where he served as Elder Emeritus, Marshall Union Lodge #8 AF & AM, Scottish Rite, The Osiris Shrine, F.O. Eagles #499, and K of P Little Prince Lodge #79.

Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Vernetta J. Kuhn Auten; a son, P. Douglas (Kimberly) Auten of Moundsville; and three grandchildren, Stacey M. (Tanner) Yuhase of Morgantown, WV, Steven R. Auten of Rockledge, FL, and Daniel C. Auten of Charlottesville, VA; two great-granddaughters, Evelyn and Claire Yuhase; and several nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends on Sunday from 12-3 and 6-8pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 400 Jefferson Ave., Moundsville.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 11am at First Christian Church Disciples of Christ, 1200 Third St., Moundsville with Rev. Wesley Howsare officiating.

Interment in Halcyon Hills Memorial Park, Sherrard, WV.

Memorial contributions may be made to First Christian Church, Moundsville.

Cemetery Details

Halcyon Hills Memorial Park

Sherrard, WV 26003

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 18. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - Moundsville
400 Jefferson Ave
Moundsville, WV 26041
(304) 845-0400
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

Visitation

FEB 18. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

FEB **19**. 11:00 AM (ET)

First Christian Church
3rd St. & Grant Avenue
Moundsville, WV

Tribute Wall

EM

“*Doug and family: Sorry to hear of your father's recent passing. May you be comforted by God's loving words of comfort and by your lifetime memories of him. Evelyn E. McNabb*

Evelyn E McNabb - February 22, 2018 at 04:17 PM

SB

“*Sue Bane lit a candle in memory of Philip H. Auten*



Sue Bane - February 18, 2018 at 02:42 PM

SB

“*So very very sorry for your loss. Phil was a wonderful friend to me and surely will be missed by ALL who knew and loved him... may his soul rest in God's hands*

Sue Bane - February 18, 2018 at 02:39 PM

PR

“*So sorry for your loss, Phil was a really good man and he will be truly missed by many. Peggy Ray*

Peggy Ray - February 18, 2018 at 12:02 PM

RB

“ All of us are so sorry to hear of Phil's passing. He was a very special man and will be greatly missed. Phil made a difference for the good with his years on this earth. He cared, served, loved and bestowed the grace of God with all he met. Vernetta - we especially keep you in our prayers - we know how close the two of you were. Phil looked at you like you were both teenagers who had just fallen in love.

We pray God's blessing on all of his family, his church in Moundsville, and all of us who were his friends throughout this region and even throughout the United States and Canada. Phil - we look forward to the day we meet you again on that other side. Have that beautiful welcoming smile and warm hand of fellowship ready for us!

Rev. Kevin L. Bowers - Weirton, West Virginia

Rev. Kevin L. Bowers - February 17, 2018 at 08:01 PM

HF

“ We are so so sorry for your loss, and our loss also..we will always appreciate Phil's support, and also your support. He was a wonderful man, and will surely be missed. Harold and Jean Francis

Harold & Jean Francis - February 16, 2018 at 10:53 PM