



## Robert "Bob" Elson

September 25, 1934 - June 27, 2014

Elson, Robert "Bob" age 79, of 12th Street, Moundsville, WV died Friday, June 27, 2014 in Wheeling Hospital, Wheeling WV.

He was born September 25, 1934 in Hannibal, Ohio the son of the late Lester and Florence Haught Elson.

Bob was a retired boilermaker with Local #667, a lifetime member of the Moundsville Eagles #499, and a US Army Veteran.

In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by his son, Robert Lee Elson, Jr.; nine brothers and one sister.

Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Joan Powell Elson; two daughters, Debbie (Greg) Hummel of TX and Becky (Ernie) Tomblin of Moundsville; a son, James Elson of FL; a sister, Eileen Gibson of KY; six grandchildren, Tracy, Chad, Eric, Amy, James and Tanner; seven great grandchildren, James Allen, Haley, William, Kendal, Caroline, Owen, and Lilah; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends on Monday from 6-8pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 400 Jefferson Avenue, Moundsville where funeral services will be held on Tuesday at 11am with Pastor Rodney Hubbs officiating.

Interment in Halcyon Hills Memorial Park, Wheeling, WV.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Heart Assoc., 162 Court St., Charleston, WV 25302 or American Diabetes Assoc., Attn: Memorial Donations, PO Box 11454, Alexandria, VA 22342.



# Cemetery Details

**Halcyons Hills Memorial Park**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

**JUN 30.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

### Funeral Service

**JUL 1.** 11:00 AM (ET)

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400 Jefferson Ave  
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# Tribute Wall

CD

“ I am sorry that Bob has been taken from us, but I realize he is in a better place now. He is resting peacefully, no pain, no regrets .I should have tried a computer search muchvearlier for his address and phone nunber.Had I done so, perhaps I would still have contact information for you, Bobbie Kay. I remember your visit to our house in Shenandoah, but not where you were living or married name. Such valuable information to have lost over time. Take care and enjoy much love from your family.  
Your second cousin, Carol  
( Keltner ) Ditmars

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**Carol Ditmars** - July 13, 2021 at 10:37 AM

TF

“ We are sorry to read of the passing of your loved one. Words don't always ease the pain when you are grieving the death of a loved one, but we hope you will find comfort in Jesus' promise of the resurrection hope(Acts 24:15)when he will raise up those who are now sleeping in death(John 11:11) restoring them back to life, on the renewed Paradise earth(John 5:28,29; Luke 23:43) what a wonderful blessing to look forward too. Until then, may Jehovah God (Psalms 83:18) grant you peace and comfort during this grievous time.-Matthew 5:4.

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**The Vasquez Family** - July 29, 2014 at 12:34 PM

BC

“ Our sincere sympathy.

*Barbara & Chester Cuichta*

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**Barbara Cuichta** - June 30, 2014 at 08:12 PM

BS

“ Moundsville Eagles Aux. 499 sends our sincere sympathy.

Barbara Cuichta, Secretary - June 30, 2014 at 08:10 PM

DM

“ Joan, so sorry to hear about Bob, I'm the one that sat with your Aunt Jo..

*Diana Magers*

Diana Magers - June 30, 2014 at 05:20 PM

RS

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. Robert and Iolene Sawyers

Robert Sawyers - June 30, 2014 at 10:45 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Elson.



June 30, 2014 at 08:33 AM

SA

“ Joan: you are in my thoughts and prayers.

Sara Jo Anderson - June 30, 2014 at 05:03 AM



“ *With Distinction* was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Elson.



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June 29, 2014 at 08:11 PM



“ *James David Elson* purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Robert "Bob" Elson.



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**James David Elson** - June 29, 2014 at 08:34 AM



“ *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 Robert Elson, give you peace, comfort and strength...*

*Rest now in the arms of our Lord your work on earth is complete.*

*I thank you for your service to our Country and for my Freedom*

*You will not be forgotten. My thoughts and prayers are with the family of.....*

*US Army Veteran Robert Elson, “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 †*

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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum** - June 29, 2014 at 06:43 AM