



Robert M. Harler

June 24, 1927 - November 2, 2019

Robert M. Harler, 92, of Glen Dale, WV, died Saturday, November 2, 2019 at home.

He was born June 24, 1927 in Moundsville; the son of the late Lawrence Alexander and Jesse Sophia Lutz Harler.

He was a US Navy Veteran of WWII; retired maintenance worker from Solvay Chemical Plant; member of Glen Dale United Methodist Church; an avid sports fan, especially WVU football and basketball; and dearly loved his family.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary "Jodi" Harler; one grandson, Troy Anthony Reinhardt; five brothers, Arthur, Lynn, Paul, Donald, and Dale Harler; and one sister, Edna Harler.

Survivors include one son, D. Mark (Sheree) Harler of Glen Dale; two daughters, Barbara Jo (Johnny) Cowan of Wheeling, Jean (Dennis) Gorby of Moundsville; five grandchildren, Josh (Angela) Harler of Wilmington, NC, Nate (Marcy) Harler of Wheeling, Ashley (Justin) Steed, Victoria Myers, and Joshua Cowan all of Moundsville; 11 great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends Tuesday from 3-8pm at Grisell Funeral Home and Crematory, 400 Jefferson Ave., Moundsville, where services will be held on Wednesday at 10am.

Interment in Riverview Cemetery, Moundsville; where the Moundsville Honor Guard will conduct Military graveside services.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Wounded Warriors Project, woundedwarriorproject.org or the Marshall County Animal Shelter, 37 Animal Shelter Dr., Moundsville, WV 26041.

Cemetery Details

Riverview Cemetery

Round Bottom Hill Rd.
Moundsville, WV

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 5. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

NOV 6. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CK

“ *Mark, Barbara & Jean Ann,
Deepest sympathy and love from the McCracken family.
Your parents were so kind, so fun, such great neighbors through the
years.
You were blessed to have the best.*

Carolyn Kaufman - November 28, 2019 at 07:24 AM

DB

“ *1 file added to the album Tribute Wall*



DAVID BURLEY - November 04, 2019 at 10:10 PM

MH

*Thank you for the pic. Mark Harler. If you have more i would like to see
them. Thanks*

Mark Harler - November 09, 2019 at 05:04 PM



“ Dear Mark, Barbra Jo and Jean Ann,
My deepest sympathies to all of you.
Your parents and my parents were the closest of friends, clear back to their childhood years.
I remember many summers when my family returned from Florida to WV to visit family and friends. We as children of our parents had many summers to get to know each other. Such fun to think of those summers. I am hoping you are comforted by those special memories.
Please feel in your hearts the love and caring of others and the special healing of the power of time.
Blessings, Lynda Ruckman

Lynda Ruckman - November 04, 2019 at 07:51 PM

MH

Thankyou Lynda

Mark Harler - November 06, 2019 at 06:18 PM

BE

“ What a loss of another of the Greatest Generation. I remember my mother getting together with Jodie and the girls for a game of bridge and the men sitting around talking of all the games of basketball they so loved and enjoyed and their input about WVU football. Of course they used all those old high school nicknames. As children we thought they were so funny.
May God grant you peace and love as you remember those special moments. My prayers go out to you and your family.
Love, Betsy Ruckman Hill

Betsy - November 04, 2019 at 07:22 PM

BB

“ So sorry for the loss of your father. He was a wonderful man.

Beth Bumgardner

Beth Bumgardner - November 04, 2019 at 05:27 PM

JV

“ Jean, I am so sorry to read this. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.



Jennifer Valko - November 04, 2019 at 04:00 PM

DB

“ Fond memories of playing ball in the back yard or the streets around Fourth and Grant. I still picture him with brother Bill and Buddy Couch another neighbor of long ago. Condolences to all his family and descendants. Thanks Bob for all the memories. Rest In Peace.

David Burley

David K. Burley - November 04, 2019 at 02:10 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 Robert M. Harler, 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, Robert M. Harler, 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 - November 04, 2019 at 08:13 AM

JR

“ *Bob was very special to me. He was exceptionally kind and a good neighbor to everyone. I always took him pieces of cake and any goodies I had baked. He especially loved my peanut butter fudge. I would go to his house thinking I was doing him a favor and I would come home feeling like I was the one receiving because he would fill my heart by what he said to me. He was a good example of a devoted Christian. I will miss him SO much but it is a great blessing knowing he's in heaven where he's free of pain and suffering ❤️*

Janet Rhodes - November 03, 2019 at 03:37 PM



Thankyou very much Janet, dad appreciated all you did.

Mark Harler - November 06, 2019 at 03:23 PM