



Ronald E. Helms

March 8, 1942 - January 17, 2024

Ronald E. Helms, 81, peacefully departed this world on Wednesday, January 17, 2024, at Central Ohio Hospice in Columbus, Ohio.

Born to Robert E. and Elizabeth Richmond Helms of Moundsville, WV, Ronald was preceded in death by his parents and two siblings, Robert and James “Jim” Helms. He is survived by his loving wife of 60 years, Isolde Helms, two sisters, Phyllis Woods, and Joan Young, and three cherished daughters: Maria Clyde and her husband Mike, Gina Moran and her husband Bill, and Michele Helms. Ronald leaves behind five adored grandchildren: Anthony Montes and his wife Lauren Montes, Andrew Montes and girlfriend Maria “M” Kahan, Alexis Pierro and her husband Anthony, and Seth and Kira Nardo.

Ronald was born on March 8, 1942. He proudly served in the United States Army and was stationed in Germany, where he met the love of his life, Isolde. Upon returning home to Moundsville, WV, he dedicated years of service as a conductor/brakeman with the B&O/CSX Railroad, retiring in 2002.

An avid and locally renowned golfer in the Ohio Valley, Ronald spent countless days at Bec-Wood Hills Golf Course with his beloved golf buddies. One of his most significant achievements was being inducted into the Ohio Valley Legends of Golf Hall of Fame. If you knew Ronald, you knew he was always at the Golf Course!

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, January 23rd from 2pm until the time of the funeral service to honor Ronald's life at 4pm at Grisell's Funeral Home, 400 Jefferson Ave., Moundsville, with the Moundsville Honor Guard providing military services. A celebration of life will be held in Summer of 2024 by his family.

Memorial contributions may be made in Ronald's memory to the V Foundation for Cancer Research.

Arrangements by Grisell Funeral Homes, Moundsville, WV.

May Ronald's soul rest in eternal peace, and may his memory continue to shine brightly in the hearts of those who knew and loved him.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **23**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

JAN **23**. 4:00 PM (ET)

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400 Jefferson Ave
Moundsville, WV 26041
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Tribute Wall

LG

“ Love, Sonny & Rachel Ghany purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Ronald E. Helms.



Love, Sonny & Rachel Ghany - January 23, 2024 at 07:15 AM

TG

“ The Bec-wood Boys Golf Group purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Ronald E. Helms.



The Bec-wood Boys Golf Group - January 23, 2024 at 12:33 AM

TG

“ The Bec-wood Boys Golf Group planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ronald E. Helms.

The Bec-wood Boys Golf Group - January 23, 2024 at 12:33 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Ronald E. Helms.



January 22, 2024 at 05:51 PM

BG

“ Brenda Glaspell purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of Ronald E. Helms.



Brenda Glaspell - January 22, 2024 at 01:27 PM

BG

“ Brenda Glaspell planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ronald E. Helms.

Brenda Glaspell - January 22, 2024 at 01:27 PM

JM

“ Jeff and Mary Mandell planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ronald E. Helms.

Jeff and Mary Mandell - January 22, 2024 at 10:53 AM



“ Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ronald E. Helms.



January 22, 2024 at 10:26 AM

YF

“ Your People Driven Technology Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ronald E. Helms.

Your People Driven Technology Family - January 22, 2024 at 10:26 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ronald E. Helms.*



January 21, 2024 at 03:52 PM



“ *Andi Lamb purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Ronald E. Helms.*



Andi Lamb - January 21, 2024 at 02:54 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 Ronald E. Helms, 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 Army Veteran, Ronald E. Helms, 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 20, 2024 at 10:00 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ronald E. Helms.*



January 20, 2024 at 03:33 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ronald E. Helms.*



January 19, 2024 at 09:28 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ronald E. Helms.*



January 19, 2024 at 08:10 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Ronald E. Helms.*



January 19, 2024 at 03:00 PM