



Roy A. Hendershot

September 23, 1930 - January 28, 2019

HENDERSHOT, Roy A., age 88, of Centerville and formerly of Winchester, TN, passed away Mon. Jan. 28, 2019 at Otterbein-Springboro.

Roy received a bachelor's degree from Ohio University and was a Korean Conflict Air Force veteran. He retired from Steel Manufacturing after 26 years of accounting service.

Somewhat quiet with a dry sense of humor, Roy was often described as a gentleman. He liked to dance, listen to big band music, and play poker. Especially in his younger days, he was an avid bowler and played in a softball league.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Tillie, his parents George and Elsie Hendershot, and his brother Neal Hendershot. He is survived by his son and daughter-in-law Jeffrey and Terry Hendershot, daughter and son-in-law Linda and Paul Curran, five grandchildren, and five great grandchildren.

A memorial service with military honors will be 12:30 PM Tues. Feb. 26, 2019 in Ohio Western Reserve National Cemetery in Rittman. Stubbs-Conner Funeral Home in Waynesville is serving the family. In lieu of flowers in Roy's memory, please donate to the charity of your choice. Condolences at www.stubbsconner.com.

Cemetery

Ohio Western Reserve National Cemetery

10175 Rawiga Rd

Rittman, OH, 44273

Comments



“ An external video has been added.



Stubbs-Conner Funeral Home - February 20, 2019 at 07:42 PM



“ A gentle man, a gentleman and a scholar. Roy, what a great guy. Always a smile. He played poker with Jim till a week or so ago winning 2 or 3. Won bingo every time he played and gave his winnings away. He was a silent buddy to us all. The song Old Rugged Cross was his favorite at service time. He and I would cry at the power of those words. Every Week! On a hill... .

Now my brother you sit on hill far away with her. I remember the days you looked for her early on. I am so glad for your heart you can sit there now on a hill far away holding her hand smiling now... forever more... crying happy tears for you right now..

Pastor Dan



Dan Renfro - January 31, 2019 at 03:39 PM



“ Well old Friend,

I guess we all get to this time in our lives, sooner or later. You have been my brother in law for over 60 years. I know you have been looking for her for quit awhile now. And on Monday you found her. You two can now be together forever more.

I remember week ends out at Turkey Foot, and you and Bob harassing me, and tying me up to a tree so you guys could use my row boat. Those were all very special days. The clan was complete. Holidays in the basement on W. 20th. Those were all special days.

Time has a way of taking those special days from us. And in the end, all we have is a lot of good memories.

Now it is time for the next generations to build their own memories.

God speed Old Friend. Enjoy your time together with Tillie, please give her a hug for me.

You left us with love, knowledge, and understanding.

You will be missed,God Bless. We will see ya down the road someday.

Paul Krieger,

Your brother in law

Paul Krieger - January 30, 2019 at 03:04 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roy A. Hendershot.



January 30, 2019 at 02:50 PM



“ This is Jeffrey, one of his beloved Grandsons. Roy was a very caring person that always took care of his family & friends. I'd like to think my love of Math came from him, since he was an accounting wizard. Our family traveled to Ft. Lauderdale every year from birth up until I was about 14. We were the crazy Ohioans swimming when it was only 70 degrees. Chasing lizards and spending 24 hours in a van staring out the window with nothing to do, well worth the trip to spend quality time with my grandparents. Roy did a wonderful job raising my Dad, teaching me that work and family come first. The Hendershot name will live on through my kids and we all loved you and Grandma very much. Rest Easy.

Jeff Hendershot - January 29, 2019 at 11:38 PM



“ I never met Mr. Hendershot, but I've been friends with his son, Jeff, for nearly 20 years now, he speaks of his dad often, with respect, which comes from a son who was clearly raised in a true, "family " atmosphere, with love, comfort, and morals, that are seemingly slipping away, from generation, to generation nowadays . I didn't have to meet Roy, to know him, his legacy is written within his family, which shows, every single time I speak with Jeff, or Jeff's sons, the legacy goes on, and will for all of time. God bless you Mr. Hendershot.

P. Metzel, Medina, OH

Patrick D. Metzel - January 29, 2019 at 10:00 PM



“ I was one of Roy caretakers I miss his smile it would brighten up a whole room I am missing him like crazy he was a wonderful man there will never be another Roy Hendershot

Lashawna - January 30, 2019 at 05:42 PM