



William E. Eckley

February 13, 1929 - July 15, 2018

William Edward Eckley, 89, passed away Sunday afternoon, July 15, 2018.

Born February 13, 1929 in Carrollton, he was the son of the late Lee and Ethel Deck Eckley.

Bill was a veteran of the Korean War, serving from 1950-1952. After returning from the service he drove a milk truck for the Minerva Dairy, worked at Kohler's Service Station and finally retired from the Carroll County Highway Department.

He was a founding member of the Carroll County Historical Society, assisting with the opening of the McCook House Museum and starting the Algonquin Mill Festival. He was a lifetime member of the American Legion, receiving his 50 year pin in 2017.

Bill is survived by his wife, Roberta, with whom he celebrated his 60th wedding anniversary on May 18, 2018; a daughter, Dr. Karen Eckley of Massillon; brother, Robert; and sister Shirley.

Funeral services will be Thursday, July 19, 2018 at 11:00 a.m. in Dodds Funeral Home of Carrollton. Burial will follow in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery with full military honors provided by the American Legion, VFW and DAV. Visitation

will be Wednesday from 5-7 p.m. and Thursday one hour prior to services in the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made in Bill's name to Community Hospice, 716 Commercial Ave SW, New Philadelphia, Ohio 44663.

"Old Soldiers never die, they simply fade away."

Cemetery Details

Mt. Pleasant Cemetery

89 Canyon Road SW
Carrollton, OH 44615

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 18. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Dodds Funeral Home-Carrollton
129 N Lisbon St
Carrollton, OH 44615
(330) 627-5505
<https://www.doddsfuneralhomes.com/>

Visitation

JUL 19. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Service

JUL 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Dear Roberta, you have my deepest condolences ...you are in my prayers....Such a handsome man in the picture....I passed the information on to my dad..(Jay Newbold).*



Rose Newbold-Dewitz - July 17, 2018 at 10:09 AM