



Cesilio Cecil Matias

January 30, 1926 - November 29, 2013

Cesilio "Cecil" Matias, 87, of Deshler, Ohio died Friday night, November 29, 2013 at Wood County Hospital, Bowling Green, Ohio.

He was born January 30, 1926 in Utuado, Puerto Rico to Luis Morales Gonzalez and Carmen Matias Colon. At the age of 4, Cecil was orphaned and when he turned 17 he made his own way to the United States and worked hard to become a self made man. Cecil worked at the former Metal Forge Company of Deshler, retiring in 1991. He had also previously worked at Libby's in Leipsic, Ohio.

On December 22, 1973 he married Sally (Rader) Blair in Deshler and now he had his family. He is survived by his wife of 39 years, Sally; stepsons, Richard "Jake" (Soni) Rader and Terry (Michele) Rader; grandchildren, Gary (Heather) Rader, Randall (Colleen) Rader, Christopher "Terry" (Lee Yong Mee) Rader, William "Billy" Rader, April Rader, Danielle Rader, great grandchildren, Devon, Jacob, Kaiden, Mason, Audrey, Tyler, Sophia, Julianna, Jayda, Nautica; and sister, Maria Rivera.

Cecil was an avid Cleveland Indians and Cleveland Browns fan. He enjoyed playing cards, especially the family poker games of "Dealers Choice".

He was preceded in death by brother, Antonio Matias and sister, Audrianna Matias.

Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday at Rodenberger Funeral Home, Deshler with Pastor James Erven officiating. Burial will follow in Woodlawn Cemetery, Deshler.

Visitation will be from 2-4 & 6-8 p.m. on Monday at the funeral home.

The family suggests memorials to Kidney Foundation or the Donor's Choice.

Online condolences can be made at www.rodenbergerfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

EM

“ Emanuel Morales lit a candle in memory of Cesilio Cecil Matias



Emanuel Morales - December 09, 2013 at 04:01 PM

CE

“ Aunt Sally,
Hold on to your loving memories and let them guide you during this very sad time.
Love, Connie

Carmen Eduardo - December 09, 2013 at 01:09 PM

CE

“ Carmen Eduardo lit a candle in memory of Cesilio Cecil Matias



Carmen Eduardo - December 09, 2013 at 01:05 PM

HR

“ Aunt Sally and family, Our deepest sympathy and prayers. Howard, Sharon and family

Howard Rader - December 03, 2013 at 08:02 AM

JK

“ Sally, thinking of you & your family at this time. So sorry to hear of Cecil,s passing Jim & Reba

Jim & Reba Kaetzel - December 03, 2013 at 08:02 AM

BN

“ Sally and family. I am so sorry for your loss. Cecil was a great and kind man. I will always remember our Thanksgivings at you house when I was growing up. Love you guys and prayers going out...

Bob Nickols - December 03, 2013 at 08:01 AM

CW

“ *There are no words that can be spoken that will take away the pain and sorrow of losing a loved one. My deepest sympathies and prayers for the family.* ”

Candy Weirauch - December 03, 2013 at 08:01 AM