



Harold "Bud" Ehlers

May 31, 1939 - December 9, 2022

Harold Emil "Bud" Ehlers, 83, of McClure, Ohio died peacefully on Tuesday, December 8th, 2022 at Bridge Hospice, Bowling Green, Ohio. He was born May 31st, 1939 in Hamler, Ohio to the late Emil and Meta (Seedorf) Ehlers. After the passing of his parents he was raised by his uncle and aunt, the late Adolf and Mary Ehlers. On March 5, 1960, he was married to Connie Spangler in Monroe, Michigan.

Bud was retired and worked at Jeep-Chrysler, Toledo for 25 years and Daybrook, Bowling Green for 16 years.

Bud was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church, McClure. He was a former little league and girls' softball coach in McClure. He enjoyed watching The Ohio State Buckeyes and the Cleveland Indians and listening to Classic Country music.

He is survived by his wife, Connie; children, Dennis (Norma) Ehlers, Beth (Norm) Junge, and Aaron (Melissa) Ehlers; grandchildren, Colby (Loretta) Ehlers, Desarae (Tony) Miller, Nathan (Chelsea) Junge, Chris (Kayla) Ehlers, Nicole Ehlers, Haden Ehlers, Zachary Ehlers, and Trenton Ehlers; great grandchildren, Riley & Hunter Ehlers, Landon & Brenna Massie, Ansley Ehlers, Preston, Alexa & Keaton Miller, Austin & Alyssa Junge; and another great grandson on the way; sister, Norma (Richard) Beck, and brother, Fred (Doris) Ehlers.

He was also preceded in death by a son, Michael Ehlers; and siblings, Emma Wachtman, Arnold Ehlers, Eldor Ehlers; and cousins that he was raised with:

Raymond Ehlers, Marian Allen, and Bernadine Rudolph.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Thursday, December 15th at Rodenberger-Gray Funeral Home, NAPOLEON. Interment will follow at Highland Memory Gardens, Waterville, Ohio.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday from 2-8 p.m. and Thursday from 9-10 a.m. at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions are suggested to St. Jude's Children Research Hospital or Bridge Hospice.

Online condolences may be left for the family at www.rodenbergergray.com

Cemetery Details

Highland Memory Gardens

8308 S River Rd
Waterville, OH 43566

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **14**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Rodenberger Funeral Home - Napoleon
1010 Westmoreland Avenue
Napoleon, OH 43545

Visitation

DEC **15**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Barb & Lonny Ekstrand purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Harold "Bud" Ehlers.*



Barb & Lonny Ekstrand - December 14, 2022 at 11:01 AM

FH

“ *I was saddened to hear of Bud's passing. I mainly knew Bud through you, Connie, via all the years you worked at Hoffman Eggs. But I do remember Bud playing basketball and baseball for the McClure Indians. He was always extremely nice to me whenever I had the pleasure of being in his company. Connie and family, you are in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless.*

Fred Hoffman - December 13, 2022 at 10:48 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Harold "Bud" Ehlers.*



December 13, 2022 at 10:20 AM



“ *My Soul Lives On Blanket was purchased for the family of Harold "Bud" Ehlers.*



December 12, 2022 at 10:03 AM



“ *My condolences to the Ehlers family. I remember Bud very well. Bud was the older brother of one of my great friends, Tootie when I grew up in McClure. I remember Bud helping coach Little League. I remember his smile and, even when I was a little boy, I used to like to make him laugh. May God bless and keep him and also give his family comfort and strength in this sad time. Frank (Fran) Pittman*

FRANK P PITTMAN - December 10, 2022 at 06:11 PM



Our sympathy to Bud's family. He was a classmate of mine and a friend of us both. We did a lot together. Hung out at Yarnell's restaurant, enjoyed whatever was going on at school, drove around town. Bud was a nice guy and a good friend. Blessings to his family.

Darrel and Sharon Rettig - December 13, 2022 at 08:30 AM



“ *Denny and family, so sorry for your loss. I'll keep you in my prayers.*

Ruth Kruse - December 10, 2022 at 08:56 AM

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“ *Connie and family, so very sorry to hear of Bud's passing. My condolences and prayers for you all.*



Pat Davis - December 09, 2022 at 06:54 PM