



## Marion "Butch" Reece

August 6, 1941 - October 1, 2017

Marion "Butch" Reece, 76, of Defiance, Ohio died Sunday, October 1, 2017 at University of Toledo Medical Center. He was born August 6, 1941 in Van Wert, Ohio to the late Harry and Margaret (Treece) Reece. On August 7, 1966 he married Shirley Klingler in Paulding, Ohio and she survives.

Butch was a route driver for Maumee Valley Vending of Defiance for over 40 years. He had previously worked in law enforcement for the Henry County Sheriff Department and Napoleon Police Department. He served in the United States Army stationed in Germany. He was a member of the Napoleon American Legion. Butch was an avid fan of The Ohio State Buckeyes, Cleveland Indians and Browns. He loved spending time with his family and bird watching by the river.

He is also survived by daughters, Angie (Tom) Fahy and Penny (Mike) Franz, both of Napoleon, grandchildren; Jessica (Tony) Martin, Danielle Fahy (Graham Prottengeier), Logan Franz, and Alexa Franz, great grandchildren; Kendalee and Lorelai Martin, and brothers; Gary "Dick" Reece of Austin, Texas and Larry Reece of Belleville, Michigan. He was also preceded in death by a brother, Terry Reece.

A memorial service will take place at 11 a.m. on Friday, Oct. 6th at First Presbyterian Church, Napoleon with Pastor Tom Polker officiating. A flag presentation service will be held by the Napoleon American Legion.

A memorial gathering will be held on Thursday from 2-8 p.m. at Rodenberger Funeral Home, Napoleon and Friday from 10-11 a.m. at the church.

Memorial contributions in honor of Butch are suggested to American Cancer Society, American Heart Association, American Alzheimer's Association, or Henry County Humane Society.

Online condolences may be made at [www.rodembergerfuneralhome.com](http://www.rodembergerfuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Memorial Gathering

OCT 5. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Napoleon Funeral Home  
1010 Westmoreland Avenue  
Napoleon, OH 43545  
(419) 592-2333  
help@rodenbergergray.com

## Memorial Gathering

OCT 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

First Presbyterian Church  
303 West Washington Street  
Napoleon, OH 43545

## Memorial Service

OCT 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

First Presbyterian Church  
303 West Washington Street  
Napoleon, OH 43545

# Tribute Wall

SP

“ Scott And Jenny Plassman lit a candle in memory of Marion "Butch" Reece



Scott and Jenny Plassman - October 05, 2017 at 08:18 PM

CR

“ We wish the family of Marion "Butch" Reece peace and solace within as you remember and cherish the memories of your loved one at this time. Our hearts and prayers are with you.

Love, Ceci and Christopher Reece

Ceci Reece - October 04, 2017 at 10:34 PM

DB

“ Dan & Letty Badenhop lit a candle in memory of Marion "Butch" Reece



Dan & Letty Badenhop - October 04, 2017 at 04:41 PM



“ Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marion "Butch" Reece.



October 04, 2017 at 10:21 AM

RW

“ Haven't seen you in years but I remember your dad as being passionate for the Indians. He used to throw objects at the TV. Did he ever mellow out? Roger and Sharon Weaver

Rog Weaver - October 03, 2017 at 08:08 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Marion "Butch" Reece.



October 03, 2017 at 11:06 AM

Dave  
Kilgus

“ My condolences to the family and friends of Marion! May God watch over you!

Dave Kilgus - October 03, 2017 at 10:27 AM

SH

“ I will always remember the fun times of golf and laughter we shared. Butch was not only a coworker, but he was my friend, so sorry I will not be able to attend the memorial services, as I am in Delaware.

Steve Hicksted - October 02, 2017 at 09:49 PM

TH

“ Tami Hartman lit a candle in memory of Marion "Butch" Reece



Tami Hartman - October 02, 2017 at 06:26 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Marion "Butch" Reece.



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October 02, 2017 at 03:48 PM