



Arthur Wearn Shelby Jr.

July 18, 1929 - May 10, 2022

Arthur Wearn Shelby, Jr., passed away peacefully on May 10, 2022, in Easton MD.

Arthur was born in Hopewell, Virginia, on July 17, 1929, to Arthur Wearn Shelby, Sr. and Rebecca Temple Shelby. After graduating high school, he attended and graduated from Virginia Tech, joined the Army, and then married his high school sweetheart, Louise Harrison Birchett.

After his service in the Army, he worked as a computer salesman supporting numerous US Government organizations.

He was a faithful member of the Methodist church in Virginia, Pennsylvania and Maryland and served on many church committees. He also sang with the choir along with Louise for many years.

Art and Louise traveled extensively and they both love spending time with family. They recently celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary.

Along with his parents, Arthur is predeceased by his sister Rebecca S. McCall.

He is survived by his wife Louise B. Shelby of Easton; son Mason T. Shelby and Kim D. Hawkins of Chester, MD; son David A. Shelby and Allison C.

Shelby of Vienna VA; grandchildren Austin T. Shelby, Jordan T. Shelby, Mason D. Shelby and Samuel H. Shelby; and several great-grandchildren.

A memorial gathering will be held on Friday, May 20 from 10:00 am to 10:30 am at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, 106 Shamrock Rd. Chester, MD 21619, with a service beginning at 10:30 am. A graveside service will be held at a later date in Hopewell Virginia.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to a charitable organization of your choice in Art's memory or to St. Marks Methodist Church in Easton, MD.

Online condolences can be made to www.fhnfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

MAY 20. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A.
106 Shamrock Road
Chester, MD 21619

Memorial Service

MAY 20. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Webcast will begin at 11:00 AM in memory of Arthur Wearn Shelby Jr.*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - May 20, 2022 at 10:26 AM



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Arthur Wearn Shelby Jr.*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - May 18, 2022 at 01:50 PM

NE

That was beautiful beyond words...

Nan Cheatham Edwards - May 19, 2022 at 12:21 AM

DS

My father was blessed with a long and very happy life. Our family continues to live on through him. Many thanks to all family and friends who have supported us during this time. Let us now remember him fondly and celebrate his time on God's earth. He is now in heaven in the arms of the Lord.

David Shelby - May 20, 2022 at 08:15 AM



“ Arthur Wearn Shelby Jr.

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Arthur Wearn Shelby Jr.

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Arthur Wearn Shelby Jr.

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ Brooks Transfer & Storage purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Arthur Wearn Shelby Jr..



Brooks Transfer & Storage - May 18, 2022 at 02:43 PM



“ What fond memories we have when you were our neighbors in Vienna, Virginia! 🙏
From Janet and Randy Keener and Family

Janet Keener - May 18, 2022 at 01:52 PM

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“ AND All our Families purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Arthur Wearn Shelby Jr..



AND All our Families - May 17, 2022 at 03:42 PM



“ Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Arthur Wearn Shelby Jr..



May 17, 2022 at 02:16 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Arthur Wearn Shelby Jr..



May 16, 2022 at 01:00 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Arthur Wearn Shelby Jr..



May 15, 2022 at 09:37 PM

MJ

“ We will see you again dear Art,
You are remembered fondly and with love by your Sunday School
Class at St. Mark's UMC.
May the road rise up to meet you,
May the wind be always at your back,
May the sunshine warm upon your face,
The rains fall soft upon your fields,
And until we meet again,
May God hold you in the palm of His hand.

*Wesley-Yater Sunday School, St. Mark's United Methodist Church,
Easton, Maryland*

Marion E. Jackson - May 15, 2022 at 12:22 PM

JB

“ June Billman lit a candle in memory of Arthur
Wearn Shelby Jr.



June Billman - May 12, 2022 at 02:31 PM