



George William Henry Sr.

April 30, 1941 - July 1, 2026

George “Bo Jack” Henry Sr. passed away peacefully at University of Maryland Shore Medical Center at Easton on July 1, 2026, at the age of 85.

He was born in Chestertown, MD on April 30, 1941, the son of the late James Isaac Henry Sr. and Mary Etta Henry of Chestertown, MD.

He attended local schools until he began working at local farms in the area. In 1962, he married Helen Henry (Dorsey) and not long after he found his forever career as a Farmer at Land’s End Farm in Cliff City, MD. They moved to Johnsontown Road and raised their family. There he dedicated 60+ years of his life before retiring in 2023.

Many weekends you would find him shucking oysters at The Black-Eyed Susan or Chester River Country Club. He was featured on the front of the Tidewater Trader as “The Oyster Man” in 1998. When he was not working or shucking oysters, he was spending time with family, friends, hunting, traveling to Dover, or cruising the town.

After retiring in his early 80’s, you could find him during the week relaxing at Aquafit, McDonald’s or Phat Daddy’s while enjoying life with a big smile on his face. On most weekends, he loved traveling to Dover or Middletown with his family. On Monday nights you could find him enjoying a meal in the company of friends at Washington College.

George is preceded in death by his parents, Mary Etta Graves and James Isaac Henry Sr.; his brothers, James Henry Jr., Owen Henry, Wallace Henry Sr.; his stepson, Alando Brown Sr.; his wife, Helen Henry; his sister, Mary Etta

“Rennie” Henry; his sister-in-law, Natalie Henry; his son, George “Chubby” Henry; & his stepson, Leo Hacket Sr.

He is survived by his daughter, Beverly Henry of Chestertown; brother, Norman Henry Sr. of Chestertown; 6 grandchildren Melissa “Missy” Hackett of Michigan, Charles Bridles Jr. of Chestertown, Quineta Henry of Chestertown, Leo “Dusty” Hackett Jr. of Chestertown, Kyle Hackett of District of Columbia, Alando Brown Jr. of Philadelphia; a host of great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and many, many friends.

A funeral service will be held Friday, July 17, 2026, at 12pm at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home in Chestertown, MD. Friends and family are encouraged to call two hours prior from 10am until 12pm. Burial will follow the service at Broadneck Cemetery.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 17. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
<http://www.fhnfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

JUL 17. 12:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
<http://www.fhnfuneralhome.com>

Burial

JUL 17 (ET)

Broadneck Cemetery
Chestertown, MD 21620

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of George William Henry Sr.*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - July 14 at 11:06 AM

TM

“ *he was one of the kindest people ive ever met*

tim monahan - August 06 at 10:00 AM

BM

“ *Bobbi and Corinne Marshall purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of George William Henry Sr..*



Bobbi and Corinne Marshall - July 15 at 12:32 PM

LF

“ *You were loved by my entire family over the years. Thank you Bo Jack for your friendship. ❤️❤️❤️*

Liz Fleetwood - July 12 at 11:46 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of George William Henry Sr..*



July 11 at 08:36 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of George William Henry Sr..

July 11 at 08:36 AM



“ *David&Stefanie Blyman lit a candle in memory of George William Henry Sr.*



David&Stefanie Blyman - July 08 at 11:55 PM



“ *Jennifer Cox lit a candle in memory of George William Henry Sr.*



Jennifer Cox - July 08 at 03:31 PM

GS

“ George Short lit a candle in memory of George William Henry Sr.



George Short - July 07 at 12:19 PM

SW

“ Shelley And Ted Williams lit a candle in memory of George William Henry Sr.



Shelley and Ted Williams - July 07 at 08:38 AM

DT

“ David Thompson lit a candle in memory of George William Henry Sr.



David Thompson - July 07 at 07:44 AM

JS

“ Jeanette Stubbs lit a candle in memory of George William Henry Sr.



Jeanette Stubbs - July 06 at 04:09 PM

BW

“ Barb And Jim Wyman lit a candle in memory of George William Henry Sr.



Barb and Jim Wyman - July 06 at 01:53 PM

AW

“ Amanda Webster lit a candle in memory of George William Henry Sr.



Amanda webster - July 06 at 09:12 AM

MT

“ Macey Morgan (& RAD nursing team) purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of George William Henry Sr..



Macey Morgan (& RAD nursing team) - July 05 at 07:20 PM

MA

“ May your sweet soul rest in peace. It was an honor to have met you. I will cherish our time and laughs together. Thoughts and prayers to your family.

macey - July 05 at 07:01 PM

BH

“ *Miss you Dad Love You Dad . You are at peace now loving daughter Beverly 🥰*

Beverly Henry - July 05 at 08:23 AM

LW

“ *Louis And Betty Wheat lit a candle in memory of George William Henry Sr.*



Louis and Betty Wheat - July 03 at 12:06 PM