



Nelson Herman 'Dickie' Clough

August 23, 1924 - December 24, 2009

The Eastern shore, today is mourning the passing of a beloved, unique and generous soul who passed from this life during the early evening hours on Christmas Eve, December 24, 2009. A loving, caring husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle (and Gumshoe), Nelson H. "Dickie" Clough will be sorely missed by all of his family and friends and those that knew him.

Mr. Clough was born near Sudlersville, MD. the son of the late, Elmer and Anna Lowman Clough. He was 85.

Mr. Clough worked for the Delmarva Power Company for 30 years serving as a lineman, troubleshooter and serviceman in his career. He retired in 1983. During World War II, Mr. Clough served his country proudly in the D Company 83rd Armored Reconnaissance Battalion, 3rd Armored Division, of the United States Army. He fought in the Battle of the Bulge and many battles in and across Europe.

Mr. Clough was a Life member of the VFW Post 652 Millington, MD where he served as Post Commander 5 different times. He was also a member of the American Legion Post 14, Smyrna, DE. and a former member of the Millington Moose lodge. He was a member of the Hunters of Hounds club and for many years enjoyed hunting his fox hounds and most recently his rabbit dogs. Mr. Clough also enjoyed racing horses and ponies, he loved to garden and share his produce with family and friends. Mr. Clough also could be found for many

years crabbing and selling them through out the town and county. The love of his family was evident and enjoyed spending time with all his family, especially his grandchildren and great grandchildren. He had a great sense of humor and didn't meet a person that did not become his friend. He loved to communicate with anyone that would spend a few moments talking. He had a special place in his heart for the times that he and his nephew Charles "Buck" Clough Jr. spent together hunting. Buck died this past April. Mr. Clough enjoyed attending meetings and especially conventions in Ocean City.

Mr. Clough is survived by his wife of 62 years, Helen Walla Clough; two daughters, Victoria A. "Vickie" Garrett and her husband, Earl of Millington, MD and Cheryl F. "Cheri" Clough of Sudlersville, MD; four brothers, Charles F. "Buck" Clough Sr. of Sudlersville, MD, Louis E. "Lou" Clough of Barclay, MD, Marion W. "Tootsie" Clough of Millington, MD and Cecil E. "Palsy" Clough of Camden DE' grandchildren, Daniel E. Garrett and his wife, Dianne of Sudlersville, MD, David N. Garrett and his fiancée, Cathy Downey of Clayton DE and Wade P. Garrett of Millington, MD; great grandchildren, Julian T. Garrett of Sudlersville, MD, David N. Garrett and Rylee N. Garrett both of Clayton, DE and Ashley Smith also of Clayton DE.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, December 30, 2009 at 2pm in the Fellows Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, 370 W. Cypress St., Millington, MD where friends and family may call after 1pm. Friends and family may also call Tuesday evening from 6-8pm at the funeral home.

Interment will be in the Sudlersville Cemetery, Sudlersville, MD.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions in his memory to the Disabled American Veterans, P.O. Box 14301, Cincinnati, OH 45250-0301 or to the Sudlersville Volunteer Fire Company, PO Box 61, Sudlersville, MD 21668

Cemetery Details

Sudlersville Cemetery

Sudlersville, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Nelson Herman 'Dickie' Clough*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - December 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Nelson Herman 'Dickie' Clough*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Nelson Herman 'Dickie' Clough*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Nelson Herman 'Dickie' Clough*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Candle lit by*



Anita Price - January 06, 2010 at 10:52 PM

JY

“ *Candle lit by*



June Yeager - January 05, 2010 at 09:01 PM

JC

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Jenny Clough - January 04, 2010 at 03:12 PM

JC

“ *Candle lit by*



Jenny Clough - January 04, 2010 at 03:07 PM

CC

“ *Candle lit by*



Cherie Clough - January 01, 2010 at 01:04 AM



“ *Candle lit by*



JoAnn Cook - December 28, 2009 at 01:21 PM



“ *To all the Clough family-I'm so very sorry to hear of the passing of Dickie. He was a kind, wonderful man who always was there for his family, he was truly a special person. I will always remember him for how much he obviously loved all of you, and for how he was just such a kind person. I know my parents (Earl & Kitty Bottomley) both thought a lot of him, now he is with my Mom up in heaven and I'm sure they are sharing a lot of laughter.*

Sherri (Teat) Szczechura

Sherri Szczechura (Teat) - December 26, 2009 at 10:03 PM