



## Robert Kirwan Towers

January 31, 1924 - April 30, 2013

Robert Kirwan Towers of Centreville, MD, died at the Memorial Hospital, Easton, MD, surrounded by his loving family on Tuesday, April 30, 2013. He was 89 .

Born January 31, 1924, in Centreville, MD, he was the son of the late, Harry Burkett and Maude Agnes Walston Towers. A lifelong resident of Centreville, he graduated from Centreville High School, Class of 1943. In 1943 he served with the U.S. Army, he trained at Ft. Devens, MA, and later he had engineering training in Elkins, WV, and then was deployed from Ft. Dix, NJ. He served in the European Theatre and was discharged in 1946 and returned to Centreville. He began working with the weight division of the Maryland State Police and later worked for AT & T as a longliner, installing telecommunications wiring up and down the East Coast. In 1987, he retired as a cable splicer from C & P.

During his retirement, he enjoyed traveling and history of the areas. He loved telling stories, especially about his lifetime in Centreville and spending time with his grandchildren. He was a member of the Centreville United Methodist Church, the Telephone Pioneers and the American Legion Jeff Davis Post for 62 years.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Sara Whaley Towers; two sons, James

Carvel Towers (Diane) of Seneca County, NY, and Robert C. Towers (Deborah) of Queen Anne, MD; daughter, Jennifer Ann Winters (Mark) of Centreville, MD; sister, Marilyn A. Towers of Centreville, MD; four grandchildren, Sara Alexa Deeney, Elizabeth M. Towers, Andrew C. Towers and Megan R.M. Towers. He was pre-deceased by a brother, Philip M. Towers.

Funeral services will be at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, Centreville, MD, on Saturday, May 4, 2013, at 11 a.m. where friends may call one hour prior to the service from 10- 11 a.m.

Burial will be at Chesterfield Cemetery in Centreville, MD

Memorial donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 2002 Clipper Park Road, Suite 110, Baltimore, MD 21211 or the Wounded Warrior Project, 4899 Belfort Road, Suite 300, Jacksonville, FL 32256.

# Cemetery Details

## Chesterfield Cemetery

406 South Liberty Street  
Centreville, MD

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 4. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Centreville Location  
408 South Liberty Street  
Centreville, MD 21617  
(410) 758-1151  
info@fhfuneralhome.com

## Service

MAY 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert Kirwan Towers*



**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - January 17, 2023 at 09:48 PM



“ *Robert Kirwan Towers*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Robert Kirwan Towers*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Robert Kirwan Towers*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Ronald Wolfe lit a candle in memory of Robert Kirwan Towers*



**Ronald Wolfe** - May 14, 2013 at 04:55 PM

RW

*Our thoughts and prayers to the Towers family. With Deepest Sympathy, The Wolfe Family, Ron, Paulina, Ron Jr, Kim, JP & Heather.*

**Ronald Wolfe** - May 14, 2013 at 04:58 PM

JE

“ *To the Towers family, Our thoughts and condolences to you in the loss of one so dear to each of you. Bob was a wonderful person and I know he will be missed by all who knew him. Deepest Sympathy- Jim and Mary Ann Edwards*

**Jim and Mary Ann Edwards** - May 09, 2013 at 09:42 AM

JE

“ *Jim And Mary Ann Edwards lit a candle in memory of Robert Kirwan Towers*



**Jim and Mary Ann Edwards** - May 09, 2013 at 09:38 AM

GP

“ *Gordon and I were sorry to hear of Bob's passing. We hope the coming days and weeks will ease your sorrow and let the good memories of your lives together become more important every day. Evelyn & Gordon Pearson*

**Gordon and Evelyn Pearson** - May 05, 2013 at 09:34 AM

TR

“ Mrs. Towers, Carvel, Robbie and Jenny, I was sorry to hear about the loss of your husband and father. May your memories bring smiles to your face and ease your pain in the upcoming days. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

*Frank and Terri Russum*

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**Terri Russum** - May 03, 2013 at 04:06 PM

CW

“ Centreville United Methodist Women lit a candle in memory of Robert Kirwan Towers



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**Centreville United Methodist Women** - May 02, 2013 at 06:49 AM

CW

*Our prayers and sympathy are with the Towers Family. Another good member of our church. C.U.M.W.*

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**Centreville United Methodist Women** - May 02, 2013 at 06:50 AM

LP

“ Lynda And Gene Palmatary lit a candle in memory of Robert Kirwan Towers



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**Lynda and Gene Palmatary** - May 01, 2013 at 07:49 PM

RJ

“ *Ronnie & Rhonda Jewell lit a candle in memory of Robert Kirwan Towers*



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**Ronnie & Rhonda Jewell** - May 01, 2013 at 07:27 PM

AW

“ *Alicia Shortall Wharton lit a candle in memory of Robert Kirwan Towers*



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**Alicia Shortall Wharton** - May 01, 2013 at 04:46 PM

 Mark Winters

“ *It breaks my heart to lose a good friend, a family member and a valuable member of the community. He will surely be missed. Mark Winters, Son-In-Law*

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**Mark Winters** - May 01, 2013 at 02:49 PM

SA

“ *Sewardie, Mary, Annie lit a candle in memory of Robert Kirwan Towers*



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**Sewardie, Mary, Annie** - May 01, 2013 at 01:22 PM

LF

“ *Lisa Fleetwood lit a candle in memory of Robert Kirwan Towers*



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**Lisa Fleetwood** - May 01, 2013 at 12:50 PM

VI

“ *aunt elinor and family,  
i am sorry to hear of uncle bob's passing. he lived a long and happy  
and loved life. i know you all will miss him terribly. he was always a  
sweet and loving soul. you'll be in my prayers.*

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**valerie whaley ivins** - May 01, 2013 at 10:37 AM

EL

“ *1 file added to the album New Album Name*



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**Elizabeth** - May 01, 2013 at 07:43 AM