



## Roland L. Ruskell

September 1, 2003

Roland Lee Ruskell died on Monday, September 01, 2003 at Memorial Hospital in Easton, MD. He was 65.

Born on September 12, 1937 in Baltimore, MD, he was the son of the late Harry and Gertrude Black Ruskell. After graduating from school in Baltimore, he enlisted in the United States Air Force, stationed in Korea. He was honorably discharged and when he returned home, he began working at his parents' restaurant, Ruskell's Restaurant. After a total of 20 years working at the restaurant, he opened A.A. Taxi Company in Odenton, MD.

In 1963 Mr. Ruskell married Mary Louise Prestianni of Baltimore, MD, where they resided. In 1980 he and his wife moved to the Eastern Shore of Maryland, residing in Grasonville. Mrs. Ruskell predeceased him in 1990.

He was a member of the VFW Post # 7464 and the Bay Country Moose Lodge #831. In addition to his memberships, he enjoyed fishing, crabbing, watching football, and spending time with his family and grandchildren.

Mr. Ruskell is survived by two daughters, Michelle R. Smith of Grasonville, MD and Janice L. McGowan of Annapolis, MD; one step daughter, Colleen Keirle of Westminster, MD; one step son, William F. Graham of Brookline, NH; one sister, Gertrude "Trudy" Meehan of Stevensville, MD, two grandchildren,

Kayla Smith and Tyler Smith; four step grandchildren, Katie Keirle, Seth Keirle, Eric Graham, and Adam Graham; and one special friend, Betty Brown of Grasonville, MD.

Funeral Services will be held at the Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P. A. in Chester, MD on Thursday, September 4, 2003 at 11 AM.

Family and friends may call at the funeral home on Wednesday, September 3, 2003 between the hours of 6pm and 8pm.

Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery.

# Tribute Wall



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January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



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