



VERNON B. SHACKELFORD

August 27, 1921 - July 27, 2014

OBITUARY FOR VERNAL B. SHACKELFORD

SHACKELFORD, Vernon B., age 92 of Middletown, Ohio, passed away Sunday July 27, 2014 at his residence. He was born August 27, 1921 in Middletown and lived here all his life. Vernon was a graduate of Middletown High School class of 1939. He served in the U.S. Navy for four years during W.W. II, in the Asiatic Pacific Theater. He was employed as a salesman for L & S Paint Store. His passion was listening to music from the Big Band Era and he was an avid fan of Bing Crosby. Preceding him in death were his parents, Benham and Iva (Flack) Shackelford; and one brother, James Shackelford. He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Lorraine (Rickard) Shackelford; two sons, Douglas Shackelford and wife Nancy, and David Shackelford and fiancée Donna Beltz; three grandchildren, Darren Shackelford, Darci Parsley, and Tiara Shackelford; five great grandchildren; and three nieces. Services will be Friday, August 1, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. at the Dayton National Cemetery Chapel, 4100 West Third St., Dayton, Ohio 45428, with Chaplain Barbara Wulsin officiating. Interment will follow with Military Honors by Middletown Combined Honor Guard. Memorial contributions may be made to Crossroads Hospice, 4380 Glendale-Milford Rd., Cincinnati, Ohio 45242. Arrangements by Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.herr-riggs.com

Tribute Wall



“ *VERNON B. SHACKELFORD*

September 13, 2022 at 09:07 PM



“ *So many fond memories of Vernon's wonderful smile and his laugh! I'm so sorry to hear of his passing! My family and I send our condolences. Love to his family!! Melissa Malcolm*

Melissa Malcolm - July 30, 2014 at 10:33 AM



“ *Tiara and the Shackelford family. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. May His peace and strength be a comfort to you in your loss.*

*Love and hugs,
Your Great-Aunt,
Marsha Johnston*

Marsha Johnston - July 29, 2014 at 08:00 AM