



## Charles Harry Keefer

May 28, 1927 - January 30, 2021

Charles Harry Keefer, 93, of Winfield, passed away Saturday, January 30, 2021 at Hubbard Hospice House West.

He was born May 28, 1927 in Charleston, WV, the son of Harry and Victoria Rollins Keefer, both deceased. He was the youngest of nine children and the last surviving child.

Charlie served in the US Navy during World War 2, earning the WW2 Victory Medal, American Theatre Medal, and Good Conduct Medal.

After a few years working with his father building houses, Charlie went to work for Union Carbide in Institute, spending most of his time there as a carpenter. He retired from Rhone Poulenc, also at Institute, in 1988. He served for 10 years as councilman for the town of Winfield, and further served his community for many years as a member of the Winfield Volunteer Fire Department. He attended Bible Center Church faithfully.

He was predeceased by first wife Mamie Carpenter and stepson Dana Spence.

Charlie is survived by his wife of 46 years, Doris Minnich Spence Keefer; sons Thomas Keefer (Rose) and Charles "Chuck" Keefer (Ellen) of Winfield;

stepsons John Spence (Kathy) of Nitro and Steve Spence of Winfield; grandchildren Christy Keefer (Jereomy) of Charlotte, NC; Charles Keefer (Elizabeth) of Memphis, TN, Matthew Keefer of Winfield; step grandson Christopher Ferris (Scarlett) of Cross Lanes; and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral service is scheduled for 1:00pm Thursday, February 4, 2021 at Chapman Funeral Home, Winfield, with Pastor Matt Friend officiating. Livestream link is <https://youtu.be/ySct4LPGkhY>. Interment will follow at Tyler Mountain Cemetery in Cross Lanes. Family and friends may gather for visitation one hour prior to the service. Please make sure to wear a mask and stay socially distanced.

You may share memories of Charlie by visiting his tribute page at [ChapmanFuneralHomes.com](http://ChapmanFuneralHomes.com)

Chapman Funeral Home, family-owned and located at 12848 Winfield Road, Winfield is honored to serve the Keefer family.

# Cemetery Details

## Tyler Mountain Memory Gardens

5233 Rocky Fork Road  
Cross Lanes, WV 25313

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 4. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Chapman Funeral Home, Winfield  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Chapman Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Charles Harry Keefer



Chapman Funeral Homes - February 01, 2021 at 02:11 PM

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*I am so sorry to hear of Mr. Keefer's passing. He was always so kind and friendly when he came to the Credit Union. Always ask how I was and how the Credit Union was doing. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

Debbie Stamper - February 09, 2021 at 04:01 PM



“ Charles Harry Keefer

October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM

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“ Herb & Delorse Cohen lit a candle in memory of Charles Harry Keefer



Herb & Delorse Cohen - February 07, 2021 at 07:07 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charles Harry Keefer.*



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February 03, 2021 at 02:52 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Charles Harry Keefer.*



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February 03, 2021 at 11:58 AM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,  
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,*

*May your memories of Charles Harry Keefer, give you peace, comfort and strength...*

*Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.*

*My thoughts  
and prayers to the family of ....*

*US Navy Veteran, Charles Harry Keefer, is “A True American Hero”  
God Bless†*

*† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †*

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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum** - February 02, 2021 at 09:47 AM

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*Rest in Peace Uncle Charles*

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**Mary Elizabeth Keefer Kerns** - February 03, 2021 at 02:00 PM



“ *Mary Payne lit a candle in memory of Charles Harry Keefer*



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**Mary Payne** - February 01, 2021 at 02:17 PM