



Denvil Lee Handley

September 17, 1931 - February 26, 2025

Denvil Lee Handley 93, of Nitro, WV passed away on February 26, 2025.

He was born on September 17, 1931 to the late Harry and Virginia (McCallister) Handley. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his loving wife of 65 years, Mary Handley; son, Randy Handley; great-grandson, Wesley Craig; brothers: Jack and Dick Handley.

Denvil was a proud Army Veteran having received many medals, including a Bronze Star for his service. He was also a member of the Appalachian Fiddlers.

He is survived by his grandchildren: Heather Patton (Matt Hall), Jamie Harper (Joey), Kristen Thornton (Justin Shelton) and Amber Bird (Justin); great grandchildren: Caleb Shamblin, Jaidyn Patton, Jordon Patton, Chelsey Craig, Charles "Bub" Craig Jr., Chloe Craig, Caden Craig, Emily Call, Hayley Call, Logan Call, Olivia Call, Coltin Johnson, Aubreigh Bird, Hunter Bird; great-great grandchildren: Paisley Shamblin, Kenzie Taylor, and Draven Holt, nephew, Richie Handley (Beth), sisters: Sue Cassidy and Joyce Hayes.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to John, Inky, Kim, and Eric for all their help during this time.

Funeral Service for Denvil will be 1:00 pm Wednesday March 5, 2025 at Chapman Funeral Home Hurricane, WV with Chaplain Pete Thompson officiating. Burial with Military Honors will follow at Mt. Vernon Cemetery Hurricane, WV.

Friends may visit with family one hour prior to the service.

Anyone wishing to leave an online memory may do so by visiting his tribute page at: www.chapmanfuneralhomes.com.

Chapman Funeral Home 3941 Teays Valley Road Hurricane, WV 25526 is honored to serve the Handley family again.

Cemetery Details

Mount Vernon Cemetery

2150 Mount Vernon Road
Hurricane, WV 25526

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 5. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Chapman Funeral Home
3941 Teays Valley Road
Hurricane, WV 25526

Funeral Service

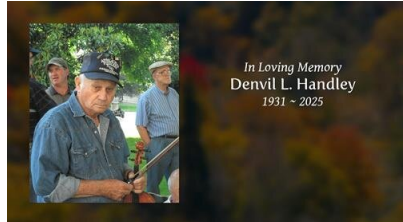
MAR 5. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Chapman Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Denvil Lee Handley



Chapman Funeral Homes - March 05, 2025 at 02:34 PM



“ 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 Denvil Lee Handley, 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 Army Veteran, Denvil Lee Handley, 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 †

Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - March 01, 2025 at 06:37 AM

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I will Love&Miss you GrandPaPa Handley You Always Kind To Your Grandkids James&Katie Knowles Proud being a Auntie Lori to Handley Family Girls Heather,Jamie,Kristen&Amber Always Got your Back ❤️

Lori D Knowles - March 02, 2025 at 09:06 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Denvil Lee Handley.

February 27, 2025 at 04:09 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Denvil Lee Handley.



February 27, 2025 at 04:09 PM

JB

“ Judy Lee Braden lit a candle in memory of Denvil Handley



Judy Lee Braden - February 27, 2025 at 12:48 PM

PC

“ Always looked up to you . Will always remember the times when we came down to visit. By the way unc , I won our last arm wrestling match lol. Very strong man , and strong willed . Rip til we all meet again . PATRICK Timothy CASSITY .

Patrick Cassity - February 27, 2025 at 12:06 PM