



Clyde O. Welch Jr.

July 26, 1927 - May 1, 2020

Princeton, WV- Clyde O. Welch Jr., 92, formerly of Bluefield, W.Va., passed into the arms of his Savior on Friday, May 1, 2020 at Loving Hands Adult Care.

Born of July 26, 1927, Clyde was the son of Clyde O. Welch, Sr. and Anna King Welch from Kimball, W.Va. He was a Corporal in the U.S. Army serving as a medic in the Korean War, an Army Reservist, Head T and D Clerk for AEP in Welch and Bluefield, W.Va. for 35 years, a master gardener, an avid bowler for 60 years, self-taught keyboard player, and also played ukulele and harmonica.

He was preceded in death by his loving wife of 57 years Peggy Ann Warner Welch in 2010 and was the last living member of his immediate family.

Survivors include daughter Penny Welch Belcher and husband John of Princeton, W.Va., son Brian Welch and wife Vickie of Bluefield, W.Va., grandsons Justin Belcher and wife Cassie of San Francisco, CA and Derek Belcher and wife Phuong Le of San Bruno, CA and was great grandfather to Mai Phuong Belcher of San Bruno, CA. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews.

A private family funeral service will be conducted at the Roselawn Mausoleum at a future date.

Memorial contributions in lieu of flowers may be made to Willowbrook Baptist Church, 118 Willowbrook Road, Princeton, W.Va. 24739.

Mercer Funeral Home in Bluefield is serving the Welch Family and online

condolences may be made at www.MercerFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens Mausoleum

Princeton, WV

Tribute Wall



“ *Clyde O. Welch Jr.*

October 05, 2023 at 06:08 PM



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PENNY W. BELCHER - May 12, 2020 at 05:23 PM



“ *Penny and Brian, we are so sorry to hear this, please know that you and your families are in our thoughts and prayers. Love Danny and Melissa Quizenbeury*



Danny and Melissa Quizenbeury - May 07, 2020 at 07:45 AM



“ *Brian, I am sorry for the loss of your Dad. Your parents were such a sweet couple. I will keep you close in my thoughts and prayers in the days ahead.*

❤️ *Elaine (Robinette) Hincer*

Elaine - May 05, 2020 at 07:17 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 Clyde O. Welch, Jr., 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, Clyde O. Welch, Jr., 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 - May 05, 2020 at 10:56 AM

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“ *I'm so sorry to hear about Clyde. My dad is at Loving Hands and Clyde and Dad always sat at the same table to eat. He was a precious man. I will miss talking to him at Loving Hands. Praying for your family.*

Virginia Steele - May 05, 2020 at 10:31 AM

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“ *Clyde was such a kind person. I enjoyed working with him at AEP. Thoughts and prayers to his family.*

Joan Leftwich - May 04, 2020 at 12:19 PM