



Donald E. Busche

December 7, 1934 - November 18, 2020

Donald E. Busche, 85, of Humbolt, TN formerly of Hampshire, passed away Wednesday, November 18, 2020, at Vanderbilt University Hospital in Nashville from injuries sustained in a motor vehicle accident.

He was born December 7, 1934, in Elgin the son of Erwin and Mabel (Rudsinski) Busche. He was a graduate of Burlington Central High School and a Navy veteran. Don had worked at Hampshire Specialty Corp., Rockford Rubber, and at Elgin Sweeper where he was Union Steward. He had been a former member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in North Plato.

Surviving is his brother, Elroy "Al" Busche; and 12 nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his parents; and brother, Edwin Busche; and sisters, Lorna DeRosa, Delores Loefer, and Bernice DeRosa.

Visitation will be from 9 to 10 AM Saturday, November 28 at Fredrick Funeral Home, 284 Park St, Hampshire.

Graveside services will be held at the Bluff City Cemetery in Elgin.

Please omit flowers, memorial contributions in Don's memory may be directed to the charity of your choice.

Cemetery Details

Bluff City Cemetery

945 Bluff City Blvd
Elgin, IL 60120

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 28. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Fredrick Funeral Home
284 Park St.
Hampshire, IL 60140
(847) 683-2711
<https://www.fredrickfuneralhome.com/>

Tribute Wall

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“ I was in the navy with Donald . On board the USS Shadwell in 1955 and 1956.

I remember him as a nice guy and good shipmate. I always recall that I admired

The fact he was all ready a petty officer 2nd class in less than 3 years of duty. He

Had a very good chance of making first class before his 4 year hitch was up.

That was a rare accomplishment.. I got off the ship before him but would have bet he made it. Thought of him often in all the years since. God bless to his family.

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Crown Point , Indiana

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