



## Everett "Ev" Edward DeHart

September 25, 1949 - March 16, 2023

"Ev" (Everett E.) DeHart, age 73, of Jackson OH went ahead on Thursday, March 16, 2023, following a valiant two-year battle with esophageal cancer. Everett was born in Mingo County, WV and moved with his parents to Jackson, OH in the early 1950s. He was preceded in death by his parents: George Elmer DeHart "Junior" & Dorothy Jean Cox Litteral DeHart. He is survived by: his brother David (Sandra Fulton) DeHart & their daughters Sarah, grandniece Bella, & Hannah DeHart; his sister Sue DeHart Koehler and her daughters (Everett's nieces) Patricia Koehler, grandniece Sophia, & Pamela Dare (Glenn) Petri; his wife Patricia Cieslarski Patka DeHart, stepson Robert R. (Mary Kate) Patka of Glenview IL, & stepdaughter Andrea Patka (CJ) Siwik of Kalamazoo, MI; as well as his former spouse Josephine "Jo" Varrica DeHart of NJ; and many Jackson area friends.

Everett was very proud to have served two consecutive tours of duty as a high explosives' expert with the 1st Marine Division Guadalcanal in the Vietnam War. Decades later, he and his wife, Pat, met while playing trivial pursuit on the internet. Ev was a master of the "FNWK" (facts not worth knowing) - a term he coined. They married and shared a wonderful life for 22 years.

A private burial will be held at the convince of the family at a later date.

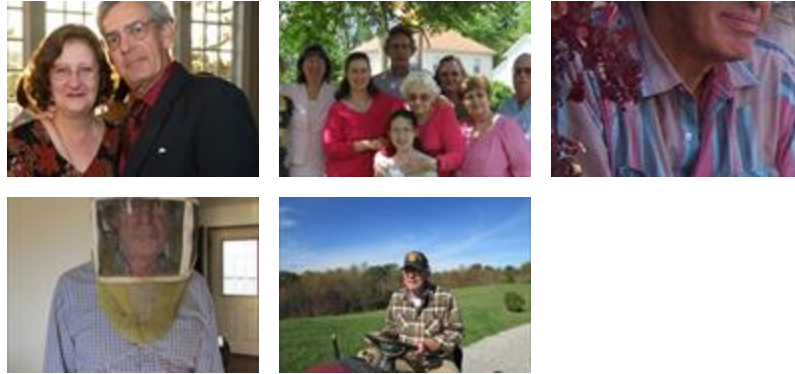
Arrangements are under the direction of the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home of Jackson, Ohio. Condolences may be sent to the family at: [www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com](http://www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com)



# Tribute Wall

Pat  
Patka-  
DeHart

“ 5 files added to the tribute wall



Pat Patka-DeHart - March 20, 2023 at 07:41 AM

AC

“ Eternal rest Ev. Our thoughts, prayers, and shared memories Pat, family and friends.  
Andy & Monica Cieslarski

Andy Cieslarski - March 19, 2023 at 12:08 PM

RP

“ When Vietnam veterans meet anywhere, we say "Welcome home brother." I'll simply now wish Ev welcome to your eternal home brother. Rest in peace, your tour of duty is done and done well.

Randy Patka - March 19, 2023 at 09:05 AM

PD

Thanks, Randy. Your remarks brought tears to my eyes. ~p

PATRICIA A DEHART - March 19, 2023 at 10:20 AM

MC

*Love and prayers, it's hard to say anything at a time like this. Mark & Joy Cieslarski*

**Mark & Joy Cieslarski** - March 19, 2023 at 03:25 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 Everett Edward DeHart, 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 Marine Veteran, Everett Edward DeHart, 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 19, 2023 at 04:33 AM

RV

*My big brother and mentor will be missed. The advice, the ribbing, and the memories will be with me for the the rest of my life. If he even thought ,you were in need he was there. My wife Jean was going to have knee surgery. Shortly after hearing the news he sent a device for her to kneel on in her flower gardens. Just one example. Rest in peace Farmboy.*

**Robert Varrica** - March 19, 2023 at 04:34 PM

PD

*Bobby, know that he loved you with an everlasting love because I know it, and there is no end to everlasting. Funny, isn't it? The word begins with "ev."*

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**PATRICIA A DEHART** - March 19, 2023 at 06:03 PM