



## Leeford "George" Eugene Hayth

February 25, 1933 - March 19, 2026

L.E. (George) Hayth, 93, passed away peacefully on Thursday, March 19, 2026, surrounded by his family at Holzer Hospital in Gallipolis, Ohio. He was born in Jackson, Ohio. He was preceded in death by his father, Eugene Hayth and mother, Ida Masel Woods Hayth and an infant brother. George and his sister, Patricia were raised by his great aunt Eliza Woods Honness. He attended Coalton schools and enlisted in 1950 in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS Massey 778 Destroyer and received an honorable discharge in 1953. He is survived by his beloved wife, Marilyn Eubanks Hayth and they were happily married for 72 years. One sister, Patricia Hayth Riffle of Londonderry, Ohio, they raised one daughter, Ava Hayth Mowery (Mick) of Logan, Ohio. He will be greatly missed by his grandson, Justin Garrett (friend Colleen) of Logan, Ohio and 2 great grandchildren Jase Garrett and Jovie Garrett.

George believed in a strong work ethic and he worked at the Atomic Plant in Piketon, as a welder for 5 years, worked for the DT&I Railroad for 20 years as a machinist and retired from the City of Jackson as a mechanic in 1995 after 15 years of service. He ran a fix-it shop in prior years and enjoyed his family, hunting, being a gunsmith, he restored a VW and built a dune buggy.

By his request, there will be no calling hours only a private burial in Fairmount Cemetery with military honors provided by the Disabled American Veterans Chapter #45. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Calvary Church in

Jackson and the Senior Citizens of Jackson. Our family would like to thank the girls from Nuclear Care Partners that helped in his care at home and the staff at Holzer Hospital. Services are under the direction of the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Fairmount Cemetery

12 Fairmount St.  
JACKSON, OH 45640

# Tribute Wall

PA

“ going to miss him and her bringing them in from the parking lot rest in peace sir

paul - April 03 at 08:16 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 Leeford Eugene Hayth, 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, Leeford Eugene Hayth, 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 22 at 06:46 AM

BQ

“ Marilyn you and George were a very large part of my growing years. I am sorry for your lose! My love to you! Bonnie Q.

Bonnie Querin - March 21 at 05:11 PM

DB

“ George and my dad Dave butts worked together at the city of Jackson and dad talked very highly of George rest in piece

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**David Butts** - March 21 at 11:53 AM

DM

“ Thoughts and prayers for you Ava and rest of family. Love and hugs



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**Debbie Mowery** - March 20 at 05:37 PM