



Howard L Bonewitz

May 27, 1921 - April 29, 2009

Howard L. Bonewitz, age 87, of Wooster, entered into rest, Wednesday evening, April 29th, 2009 at Wooster Community Hospital.

Services will be Saturday, 2:00 p.m. at Custer-Glenn Funeral Home, 2284 Benden Dr., Wooster with Pastor Jeff Franks officiating followed by interment at Sherwood Memorial Gardens Cemetery where military rites will take place.

Visitation will be one hour prior to services (1-2 p.m.)Saturday.

Memorial contributions may be made in lieu of flowers to: The Salvation Army Wooster Corps, 437 S. Market St. Wooster, Ohio 44691.

Words of comfort may be shared with the family at: www.custerglenn.com.

He was born on May 27, 1921 in Orrville to Charles and Nellie (Briggs) Bonewitz and has been a life long resident of Wayne County.

He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps during WWII from September 12, 1942 - October 26, 1945.

He married Angeline A. Nolletti in Wooster on June 15, 1946. She survives.

He previously worked for the former Regal Ware in Wooster; North End Garage and most recently retired from Astro Metallurgical Co. after many years of service.

He attended First Church Of God in Wooster for many years; enjoyed golfing and playing cards; loved nature in the woods.

In addition to his beloved wife, he is survived by 2 sons, Gary M. Bonewitz of Wooster and Robert E. (Angela) Bonewitz of Rittman; a daughter, Shirley A. (Gary) Smetzer of Pataskala, Ohio; 3 grandchildren, Renee (Neil) Britton of

Pataskala, Ohio, Christa (John) Salidie of Wooster and Justin Nieger of Florida; 4 great-grandsons, Carson, Logan, Adrian and Preston.
In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by 5 brothers and 4 sisters.

Previous Events

Service

MAY 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

Custer-Glenn Funeral Home, Inc.
2284 Benden Dr.
Wooster, OH

Tribute Wall



“ Shirley and family, So sorry to hear about the passing of your father. We have fond memories of good times at your house. Our blessing to all of you.##imported-begin##Charlie and Joan Kiper##imported-end##

May 05, 2009 at 09:03 PM



“ With deepest sympathay for the loss of a great man, I will keep all the Bonewitz family in my prayers during this time of grivance. God Bless everyone, regards, Phil Kasper##imported-begin##Phillip Kasper##imported-end##

May 03, 2009 at 02:45 AM



“ Shirley, Gary, Renee and family

I am so sorry for your loss. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers.

Tiffany##imported-begin##Tiffany Geog ##imported-end##

May 02, 2009 at 06:47 PM



“ Dear Aunt Angie, Shirley, Gary, Robbie and Families, we are so sorry to hear that Uncle Howdy has passed. We have such wonderful memories of growing up through our young lives into adulthood and being able to share it with your family. Uncle Howdy was always a bright spot on our visits to your house. He always made us feel welcome and like we were one of his own kids. He had a good sense of humor, a wonderful smile and if you needed travel directions he was the one to go to. We are so lucky to have known Uncle Howdy during our lifetime. We are keeping you in our prayers and hope you find comfort in God our Father. Love you all.##imported-begin##Franie & Mike Miller & Family##imported-end##

May 01, 2009 at 07:20 PM



“ Gary - I was sorry to hear about your father's passing. Know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Jill##imported-begin##Jill Parker##imported-end##

May 01, 2009 at 05:00 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear the news of Uncle Howdy's passing ...Aunt Angie, Gary, Shirley Ann, Robbie and entire Bonewitz & Nolletti family ...Please know my heart, thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. As having been recently reunited with my family... I was only blessed & honored to know him just a few years. His happy, go lucky attitude and great smile, will always be with me. He was a wonderful man with a wonderful family. I know he will be missed but remember he is now in heaven and will be watching over all of us. May peace be with you all.##imported-begin##Lenley Marie Noletti Farmer ##imported-end##

May 01, 2009 at 03:43 PM



“ I am very sorry to hear about your lost. My family and I have you in our prayers. Always Ruth Snyder###imported-begin###Ruth Feltner Snyder (Lloyd Jr)###imported-end##

May 01, 2009 at 12:57 PM



“ Gary, Sorry to hear about your father's passing. I have lost both my parents and know what you are going through. I will be praying for peace as all the memories come to mind to remind you all that your dad meant to you and your family. He is at rest now, no more pain or sorrow. Blessings as you celebrate his live.###imported-begin###Denise (Gerber) Gilbert###imported-end##

May 01, 2009 at 12:55 PM



“ Roger and I want to express our sympathy to the family. We belong to First Church of God. I also grew up in Millbrook and know your family from there. We pray for comfort at this time of grieving and peace in the knowledge that one day, because of Christ, you will be reunited again.

Roger and Jolene Rehm###imported-begin###Jolene Rehm###imported-end##

May 01, 2009 at 11:20 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with all of Howards' family. I worked many years with him @ Astro and considered him a good friend. He willingly shared his knowledge and wisdom with anyone wanting to learn. To Robbie, (a part time co-worker in the spooling room, who often livened things up a bit), remember the good times with your Dad and hang on to those memories, they will bring you comfort in your grief.##imported-begin##Lucille Raper##imported-end##

May 01, 2009 at 10:48 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with you. May the Holy Spirit give you peace and comfort. You will miss Howard, but you know he is now resting peacefully. I will never forget playing golf with him at Round Lake. A wonderful man!##imported-begin##Lorin Weaver##imported-end##

May 01, 2009 at 10:24 AM



“ I am saddened to hear of Howdy's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with all of the family. I regret that I cannot make the funeral.##imported-begin##Kevin Kasper##imported-end##

April 30, 2009 at 08:51 PM



“ Thank you for all your help.##imported-begin##Gary Bonewitz##imported-end##

April 30, 2009 at 05:38 PM