



Stanley Martin Levers

April 5, 1923 - November 12, 2013

World War II Navy Seabee veteran, Stanley M. Levers, age 90, of Wooster, passed away Tuesday, November 12, 2013 at Wayne Manor, of Smithville Western Care Center in Wooster, Ohio.

Friends may call 2 - 4 & 6 - 8 p.m. Friday at Custer-Glenn Funeral Home, 2284 Benden Dr., Wooster.

Memorial contributions may be made in lieu of flowers to: Hospice Life Care, 2525 Back Orrville Rd., Wooster, Ohio 44691.

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

A private family interment will take place at Wooster Cemetery.

Stan was born April 5, 1923 in Wayne County and lived most of his life in Wooster. He was the son of John Sherman and Mary A.(Martin) Levers. He was married to Nancy Jane Taylor on January 24, 1945 while on leave from the Navy.

Stan graduated from Wooster High School in 1941. He enlisted in the Navy in September 1942 in the Seabees 60th NCB & PAD #1. He served in the South Pacific. After active service, Stan was in the Navy Reserves for 4 years as BU 1/C.

Stan was honorably discharged Gunners Mate 1/C in November 1945 and continued his studies at Tri State College (Trine University) Angola, Indiana, in civil engineering. He was a member of Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity. He graduated in 1948. Stan continued his education becoming certified as a Professional Engineer.

Stan worked with his father at J.S.Levers and Son building various homes and buildings in Wooster and Wayne County. He was also employed by the State of Ohio, Division Factory & Building in Columbus, OH, City of Rittman and City of Wooster. He retired in 1986.

Stan was active in Church of the Cross (Madisonburg), Masonic Lodge - Ebenezer #33, Valley of Canton Scottish Rite, VFW #1081, Ohio Amphibs, Retired Public Employees, BOCA Code Committee and was a senior Kiwanis member.

Stan is survived by a sister, Marjean (widow of Henry) Ebsen of Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin, a son, Brian (Anne) Levers of Lima, OH, 3 daughters, Natalie (widow of Jeffrey Nye, wife of Robert) Nye Pearsall of Castle Hayne, NC, Margaret "Peggy"(widow of David) Hibbs of Grand Rapids, MI and Stephanie (Michael) Fisher of Columbus, OH; 9 grandchildren; and 9 great - grandchildren.

Stan was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Nancy; two sons in law, Jeffrey Nye and David Hibbs; and a great granddaughter Aubrey Rose Hampp.

Tribute Wall



“ *Brian and Levers family ,*

I am sorry to her of the passing of your father . May God bless and comfort you during this time .

Best regards

Joe & Peggy Scono##imported-begin##Joe Scono##imported-end##

November 19, 2013 at 01:44 PM



“ *Dear Peg and family,*

Please accept our sincere condolences for the loss of your father. Life has a way of working in mysterious ways. What a blessing that you were able to be with him for his last few weeks. No words can express how very sorry we are for your loss. May the angels wrap their wings around you as you travel this road and help you as you journey into the future. We love you. Jean and Jim Hanna and Aunt Dorothy Hibbs.##imported-begin##Jean Hanna##imported-end##

November 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *I just adored Stanley so much. He always told me the story of how he used to build houses with my Uncle Don Gamertsfelder. He was a very sweet man with a heart of gold. I am so grateful that I was able to help take care of him, especially during his last days. God bless.##imported-begin##Jessica Gillman (STNA at Wayne Manor)##imported-end##*

November 15, 2013 at 12:07 PM



“ Stanley was a true gentleman, and it was a pleasure to learn to know him not only as a cousin but also as someone who brought great joy to my mom, Nellie Dilworth.

I know that he will be deeply missed by family and friends.

Jean Gosney##imported-begin##Jean Gosney##imported-end##

November 14, 2013 at 06:53 PM



“ Our deepest sympathies in the loss of your father, grandfather, and great grandfather. It is difficult to lose someone who has been with us for so long. It saddens us that the distance between us all has kept us from visiting more often. We have fond memories of Stan's visit to Wisconsin with Brian and Tim a few summers ago and our visits to Wooster. Stan had always been in touch throughout the years, and we always enjoyed hearing about everyone and how you were doing.

Love from Aunt Marjean and all of your Wisconsin cousins: Mary Anne, Patti, Debbie, Sally, Jennifer, Becky and families.##imported-begin##Aunt Marjean and Family##imported-end##

November 14, 2013 at 06:35 PM



“ To the Family of Stanley Levers: We noted in the obituary that Stanley served in the U.S. Navy. We want you to know that we appreciate his service to our country. Our most heartfelt sympathy goes out to you for your loss. Sincerely, The Daughters of the American Revolution, Wooster-Wayne Chapter##imported-begin##Wooster-Wayne D.A.R.##imported-end##

November 14, 2013 at 12:33 PM



“ *What a positive inspiration he was to all who knew him. His recollections of Church of the Cross were valuable.##imported-begin##Erma Dilyard##imported-end##*

November 14, 2013 at 11:04 AM



“ *To Stephanie & Family,*

Our hearts and prayers go out to you and your family during this time. Here is prayer/poem we wanted to share with you:

SAFELY HOME

*I am home in heaven, dear ones;
Oh, so happy and so bright!
There is perfect joy and beauty
In this everlasting light.
All the pain and grief is over,
Every restless tossing passed;
I am now at peace forever,
Safely home in heaven at last.
There is still work waiting for you,
So you must not idly stand;
Do it now, while life remaineth-
You shall rest in God's own land.
When that work is all completed,
He will gently call you Home;
Ah, the rapture of that meeting,
Oh, the joy to see you come!*

May Stanley rest in the loving and gentle arms of God, and may you be comforted by family, friends, and God's grace.##imported-begin##Austin & Jennifer Schafer##imported-end##

November 14, 2013 at 10:30 AM



“ Phil and I are deeply sadden upon hearing of Stanley's death. We will always think of him lovingly as a very special friend who brought much joy to my mother Nellie Dilworth.

It was wonderful to get to know Stanley as a cousin and learn about our Levers family. My sister and I can't thank him enough for sharing photographs and stories of the Shamp/Levers family that we never knew.

We will miss him.

Phil, Nancy, and Doug Airulla##imported-begin##Nancy Airulla##imported-end##

November 13, 2013 at 09:51 PM



“ My condolences to the family. Stan was a great friend of Dad's since high school.##imported-begin##Paul Brown##imported-end##

November 13, 2013 at 09:16 PM