



Chester Bishop

February 9, 1921 - December 15, 2019

Chester Bishop, 98, of Cincinnati, OH, formerly of Falmouth, KY, passed away on Sunday, December 15, 2019 at the Wellspring Health Center in Cincinnati. Born on February 9, 1921 in Pendleton County, KY, he was a son of the late Mager and Mattie Mae Cummins Bishop. For 25 years, he worked in the A & P Factory in Cincinnati, while spending many weekends tending to the family farm in Falmouth, KY. He was an active member of the Whitewater Valley Railroad for 25 years. Chester served in the U.S. Army during World War II. Quite the character, he loved his family, friends and made any gathering fun and memorable with his stories and quick wit.

He is survived by one son, Ed Bishop(Vie); two daughters: Terry Hurley (the late Mike Hurley) and Julie Bishop; six grandchildren: Dawn DiVita (Francis), Tom Bishop (Terra), Ken Bishop, Chris Bishop (Molly) Jill Cunningham, Andy Hurley (Sara); ten great grandchildren: Daisy, Dylan, Cassi, Kaitlyn, Allison, Jessica, Logan, Aedan, Abel, and Norah; his best friend, Patrick McCue; and a host of extended family and friends.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Mae Wykoff Bishop; a daughter, Carol Hartman; one sister, Cora Turner; and two brothers: Ernest Bishop and Stanley Bishop.

Visitations will be held from 5-7:00 pm on Tuesday, December 17, 2019, at the Clepper-Kelsch Funeral Home, 2961 Madison Road, Cincinnati, OH 45209 and from 11-1 pm on Wednesday, December 18, 2019 at the Woodhead Funeral Home, 310 W. Shelby Street, Falmouth, KY 41040 preceding the

funeral service at 1 pm, with Henry Bertram and Marvin Sullivan officiating. Interment will take place in the Riverside Cemetery, Falmouth, with full military honors by the Hardin-Browning Post #109.

In appreciation for the wonderful care given to Chester, memorials are suggested to Queen City Hospice: 4605 Duke Drive, Suite #220, Mason, OH 45040.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 17. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Clepper Kelsch Funeral Home
2961 Madison Road
Cincinnati, OH 45209

Visitation

DEC 18. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Woodhead Funeral Homes, Memorials & Cremation Service - Falmouth
310 W. Shelby Street
Falmouth, KY 41040
(859) 654-3306
office@woodheadfuneralhome.com

Funeral

DEC 18. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Woodhead Funeral Homes, Memorials, & Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Chester Bishop*



Woodhead Funeral Home - December 21, 2019 at 01:56 PM

KR

“ *Julie and family,
I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your dad. I would have loved to Have met him. He sounded like a kind sweet man with just enough vinegar to keep me awake! Oh the fun we would have had! Rest In Peace Chester Bishop.*

kathleen renaud - December 21, 2019 at 02:53 PM

SM

“ *My name is Stephen Mitchell. I was a member of Oakley Baptist church back in the sixties. I remember a Chester Bishop and his daughter Julie. Chester was so loving and kind and a great man. I was very young then and attended worship with my mother Helen Mitchell and my sister Glenna. Chester always made one feel good about themselves and life. I am hoping I am writing this about the right man. If Julie reads this please respond and let me know I recognized the right Chester Bishop. God Bless your family and so sorry for your loss. RIP Chester. smitchell54@aol.com*

Stephen Mitchell - December 19, 2019 at 03:18 PM

JB

Hi Stephen, First of all thank you for taking the time to send us a post. Dad did attend Oakley Baptist and was a Deacon for many of years. If he was with us today, he would remember you, your mom and sister! His memory was remarkable all the way to the end.

Our entire family thanks you for sending your condolences.

*Fondly,
Julie*

Julie Bishop - December 20, 2019 at 05:53 PM

SM

Thanks for getting back with me Julie. Your dad was such a wonderful man with great character. I have great memories of him from Oakley Baptist. So sorry to hear of his passing. May he rest in peace. Hope you and your family are doing well. God Bless.

Stephen Mitchell - December 23, 2019 at 08:40 AM

JU

“ To the family of Chester Bishop: Very sorry for your loss. Chester will be missed by many. We so enjoyed listening to his stories and he had a wealth of historical information. Prayers to you and your family. Bob Bishop Jr. family & Donna Bishop Huffman

JudyB - December 18, 2019 at 09:31 AM

JB

Judy, thank you for taking the time to send your condolences. Dad always talked a lot about his family in Bellfontaine. I am glad Bob was able to let the entire family know of his passing.

Again, thank you for your thoughtfulness.

Julie

Julie Bishop - December 20, 2019 at 05:56 PM

WC

“ *Wellspring Health Care Center purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Chester Bishop.*



Wellspring Health Care Center - December 17, 2019 at 04:06 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Chester Bishop.*



December 17, 2019 at 03:05 PM



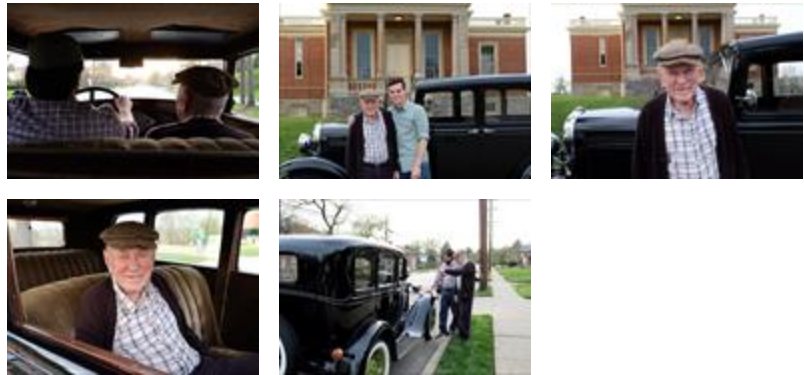
“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Chester Bishop.*



December 17, 2019 at 12:17 PM

JW

“ 12 files added to the album *Memories Album*



Jarrod Williams - December 17, 2019 at 09:17 AM

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“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Chester Bishop.



December 16, 2019 at 08:51 PM

SC

“ *Shawn Clements* purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Chester Bishop.



Shawn Clements - December 16, 2019 at 07:21 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Chester Bishop.



December 16, 2019 at 07:13 PM



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chris bishop - December 16, 2019 at 05:36 PM