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Irvin Washington Bloom, age 80, of Guernsey County, Ohio passed away peacefully at home on Wednesday, June 5. He was born in Fairfield County, Ohio on August 18, 1943 to the late Irving W. Bloom and Esther W. (Still) Palmer. Irvin was affectionately known as “Tuffy,” a childhood nickname he received after he fell down a flight of stairs and didn’t cry. After graduating high school in Port Washington, Ohio in 1962, Irvin enlisted in the U.S. Army and served as a communications specialist. Four years later, while at a local Tacoma roller skating rink, he was blessed to meet the love of his life, Connie L. Bloom of Sumner, Washington. Within months, on February 17, 1967, they married at the Nazarene Church of Puyallup, Washington. From that day on, they were inseparable.

Irvin had a successful career with Pacific Northwest Bell as a foreman leading a telephone line crew. His strong work ethic and ingenuity was instrumental in later building a thriving handmade ceramic business with Connie. Their ceramics were sold across the country, even at an exclusive retailer in Beverly Hills, California. A devoted father, Irvin enjoyed spending time outdoors with his family, especially camping, fishing, gardening, and traveling around country, all the while teaching them important life skills. These adventures inspired him to also become a Boy Scout Troop Leader, serving as a mentor for young boys in his community. His generosity and compassion toward

others was at the heart of his core values, always lending a helping hand to support those less fortunate.

Irvin was preceded in death by his wife, Connie, of 52 years. He is survived by his four children, Kimberly, Shawn, Daniel, and Heather, as well as his grandchildren and great grandchildren. A man of integrity, warmth, and humor, Irvin touched the lives of all who knew him. He will be deeply missed, even by his faithful little companion, a Chihuahua named Princess, who was at his side to the very end. Calling hours will be on Saturday, June 15th at noon at Bundy-Law Funeral Home in Cambridge, Ohio. A Celebration of Life service will begin at 1:00 p.m. Irvin's online tribute page/guestbook wall may be viewed and signed at www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

At a later date

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JUN **15**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Bundy-Law Funeral Home
120 North 11th Street
Cambridge, OH 43725
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Tribute Wall

AN

“ *Irvin was an amazing human being. He was kind, thoughtful and generous. He was always ready to give a helping hand when needed. We will all miss him greatly. May he Rest In Peace and we will see him again someday. God be with him and his loving wife. Sincerely, Ann Nelson*

Ann Nelson - June 18, 2024 at 10:23 PM

TN

“ *I will miss Irv. He was a man with a kind heart. He was always calling to check in on my mom. I wish he could have made it out to Washington one last time. Sending prayers to my cousins, love you guys.*



tina nelson - June 17, 2024 at 12:53 AM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Bundy-Law Funeral Home - June 15, 2024 at 02:00 PM

AN

Irv was loved by everyone he met.

Ann Nelson - June 18, 2024 at 10:26 PM

KJ

“ God created you from the best ingredients he had—a masterpiece of integrity, generosity, and love, then blessed us to call you Dad. — I will love you always and forever. Kim



Kimberly Jackson - June 15, 2024 at 09:50 AM

TN

Thank you for sharing these wonderful pictures, your dad will be missed.

tina nelson - June 17, 2024 at 12:50 AM

BS

“ Bastrop County Historical Society purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Irvin Washington Bloom.



Bastrop County Historical Society - June 13, 2024 at 08:34 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 Irvin Washington Bloom, 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 Army Veteran, Irvin Washington Bloom, 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 †

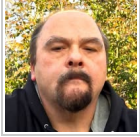
Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - June 13, 2024 at 08:44 AM

MB

“ *Marilyn, Diana, Trish, and Billy Bloom purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Irvin Washington Bloom.*



Marilyn, Diana, Trish, and Billy Bloom - June 12, 2024 at 08:57 PM



“ *My heartfelt condolences to Irv's children, grandchildren, and great grand children.He is in a better place now alongside his beloved wife, Connie. ~G. Allen Leicht*

Gary Leicht - June 12, 2024 at 01:22 PM

GA

“ *Gary, Pat, Dale, Alice and Glenn Amore purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Irvin Washington Bloom.*



Gary, Pat, Dale, Alice and Glenn Amore - June 11, 2024 at 08:27 PM

CA

“ *My deepest sympathy to Irv's family. We rode the bus to school together and I remember him well. Quiet and caring. May your many happy memories keep him alive in your heart. Carol Casteel Gibson*

Carol - June 11, 2024 at 07:49 PM

MF

“ *Mark and Christy Amore and family purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Irvin Washington Bloom.*



Mark and Christy Amore and family - June 11, 2024 at 03:33 PM

KR

“ Karen (Amore), Shawn, Tony & Josh Rogan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Irvin Washington Bloom.

Karen (Amore), Shawn, Tony & Josh Rogan - June 11, 2024 at 02:28 PM

KR

“ Karen (Amore), Shawn, Tony & Josh Rogan purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Irvin Washington Bloom.



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