



## Thomas L. Gooden

March 19, 1932 - October 25, 2016

Thomas L. Gooden age 84 of Cambridge, Ohio passed away October 25, 2016 at his residence. He was born on March 19, 1932 in Akron, Ohio to the late Morris and Beulah (Taylor) Gooden. Also preceding him in death was 2 brothers Morris and Frank Gooden, a sister Nina Chambers and a grandson Christopher Sears. He was a graduate of Ellet High School, a Marine veteran serving during the Korean War, he then worked for Goodyear Aerospace as a pipe fitter, supervisor, and the fire department. He was a 32nd degree Mason, a avid outdoorsman, and loved his Ohio State Buckeyes, and was a loving and kind husband, father, and grandfather. Thomas is survived by his bride of 64 years Helen E. (Keddie) Gooden of Cambridge and whom he married on April 3, 1952, 3 daughters Terrie (Hany) Gooden Meikhaail and Connie (Linda) Gooden Ciarlillo both of Akron, and Tammy Day of Wadsworth, a son Thomas D. (Denise) Gooden of Dinosaur, Colorado, 5 grandchildren Brandi, Angela, Jeff, Jessie and Josh, 9 great grandchildren Taylor, Tyler, Brandon, Jocelynn, Josh, A'Keyra. Siena, Kevin and Ryder, 2 great great grandchildren Daylen and Harmony, and a sister Patty Thompkins of Nevada. No calling hours or funeral services at this time. Memorial contributions can be made to Stewarts Caring Place 2955 West Market Street Suite R Fairlawn, Ohio 44333 or to Genesis Hospice & Palliative 713 Forest Ave. Zanesville, Ohio 43701. On-line condolences can be sent to the famly at [www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com](http://www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com).

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**connie gooden** - October 27, 2016 at 06:47 PM

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*Tom was a kind, man and a good neighbor. He will be missed greatly by our family. Praying for comfort for Helen and his family!*  
*Don & JoAnn Spruil*  
*Terry & Sunda Papp*

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**Sunda Papp** - October 31, 2016 at 11:49 AM

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“ *What a great man and a friend of 20 plus years ,we will miss you ,no more pain ,Randy&Glenda*



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**Glenda Cecil** - October 27, 2016 at 04:35 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 Thomas L. Gooden, give you peace, comfort and strength...*

*Rest now in the arms of our Lord your work on earth is complete. I thank you for your service and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.*

*My thoughts and prayers are with the family of.....*

*US Marine Veteran, Thomas L. Gooden, “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 †*

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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum** - October 26, 2016 at 12:09 PM