RONALD W. SHIPMAN, SR.

"PAPA SMURF"



Age 85, of Reserve Township, passed away Thursday, September 28. 2023.

Former husband of Dolly Shipman; beloved father of Dee Stampahar (Andrew). Ronald W. Shipman, Jr. (Wendy), Ed Shipman, and Bill Shipman (Melissa); brother of Jim Shipman and the late Doris Pavlis. Also survived by 13 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was an avid fisherman and a charter captain for 40 years in Port Clinton, OH. He was also a member at Spring Garden Sportsmen's Club and a life member of Reserve Township Volunteer Fire Department. He loved spending time with family and friends where he shared his gift of gab. In lieu of flowers, please donate to Reserve Township Fire Department.

Family will welcome friends on Monday from 2-4pm and 6-8pm AT SCHELLHAAS FUNERAL HOME, INC., 388 Center Avenue, West View, PA 15229, where family will welcome friends again on Tuesday from 10-11am before a Blessing Service at 11am.

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