

# DeHAVEN THOMPSON



DeHaven Thompson, age 84, of Pittsburgh, passed away on Thursday, May 9, 2024 at his residence. Dee was born on August 22, 1939, in Oil City, Pennsylvania, he was the son of the late Leslie Thompson and Ruby (Roane) Collins. Dee was a loving father and grandfather, working tirelessly to provide for his family. He was a longtime television reporter/anchor for WPXI in Pittsburgh. He was an avid

Pittsburgh sports fan, never missing a home Steelers game. DeHaven had the privilege of personally interviewing the great Roberto Clemente, as well as many other prominent Pittsburgh sports athletes.

He is survived by two daughters, Shannon Thompson and Tara (Brandon) Arthur; and two grandchildren, Bree Arthur and Braxton Arthur.

In addition to his parents and his stepfather, John Collins, he was preceded in death by a sister, Geraldine Denson.

A memorial visitation will be held on Saturday, May 18, 2024 from noon til 2pm at the **SAUL-GABAUER FUNERAL HOME, INC.**, 273 Route 68, Rochester (adjacent to the Sylvania Hills Memorial Park Mausoleum).



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