## **CECIL H. JOHNSON**



Age 92, of Verona, passed away peacefully Sunday, June 30, 2024, in his home. He was born in New Kensington on May 1, 1932, to the late Cecil Hector and Hazel Fonda (Salisbury) Johnson and had previously resided in Washington Twp. and Fawn Twp.

Mr. Johnson was an Army Veteran of the Korean War and worked for ALCOA in New Kensington for many years. He was a Leader for

many years at the AWANA program at Maranatha Bible Church and First Baptist Church, both in New Kensington. He had a love for camping and spent many weeks with his family in PA State Parks, especially Cook Forest. He also helped organize the Johnson Family Reunion at Northmoreland Park for many years. He loved musicals, deer watching, jigsaw puzzles, playing board and card games, the outdoors and birdwatching. His latest hobbies were painting birdhouses and performing with the Seneca Hills Village Singers. He always had a smile for everyone.

Beloved father of Cindy Murray, Debby (Steve) Hansen, Cathy (Tim) Chlebina and Diane Wissner; beloved grandfather of Rachel Murray; Nevin Wissner; Timothy, Christopher, Daniel (April) and Matthew Chlebina; Philip, Nathanael and Luke Hansen; great-grandfather of Murphy and Landon Chlebina; many nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his first wife, Shirley L. (Mikesell) Johnson; his second wife, Rita M. (Rossi) Johnson; his brothers, Larry L. Johnson, Bob (Jessie) and Jim Baldrick.

Friends will be received Saturday, July 13, 2024, from 11 AM until time of Celebration of Life Service at Noon at the Natrona Heights Church of the Brethren, 1007 Davis St., Natrona Heights 15065. Arrangements by the **RUSIEWICZ FAMILY OF FUNERAL DIRECTORS**, Arnold & Lower Burrell. www.RusiewiczFH.com

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