

## LEON F. ELKINS



Age 75, of Cheswick, passed away surrounded by his loving family on December 28, 2024. He was the husband of the late Jean Elkins; loving father of James (Deborah) Elkins and Chrissy N. (John) Elkins-Celesti; loving pap of H. Celesti; brother of Patricia Lopinto, Ann Barnett and the late Brenda O'Brien; son of the late Freda Elkins. He also leaves behind extended family and friends. He had a long career with the

VA Health System serving as a warehouse manager. He served in the U.S. Army during Vietnam.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, January 1, 2025, from 2:00 pm to 5:30 pm, at the **THOMAS M. SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CREMATORY LTD.**, 930 Center Avenue, Blawnox, PA 15238. Interment will be handled privately.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or Light of Life Rescue Mission.

"See ya later if the good Lord is willing  
and the creek don't rise."

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