



Edward "Ed" Neal Marshall Sr.

October 16, 1946 - January 28, 2024

Edward "Ed" Neal Marshall, Sr., 77, of Gretna, VA, passed away on Sunday, January 28, 2024 surrounded by his family at his residence.

Born in Danville on October 16, 1946, he was the son of the late Harry Edward Marshall and Elizabeth Arendall Marshall.

Ed was a 1965 graduate of Dan River High School. He was a skilled brick mason who worked for a few different companies before operating his own business before he retired. He enjoyed his work and was known for his masonry skills, even being called in to help others with more difficult projects. Ed loved gardening and listening to good country music. In retirement, when he could relax, he would only watch Fox News. He was of the Baptist faith.

Ed married Brenda Adkins Marshall on January 13, 2004, who survives.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by his sons, Edward Neal Marshall, Jr., and wife, Sheila, of Gretna and Jon A. Marshall, and wife, Ashley, of Danville and five grandchildren, Justin, Chris, Zackery, Jacob and Kasey Marshall.

A graveside service will be held on Thursday, February 1, 2024 at 1:00 p.m. in Floral Hills Memory Gardens with Pastor Barry Cundiff officiating.

A place that held very special meaning to Ed was St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. He always had a tender heart towards the suffering of the children. Ed asked that memorial contributions be made to St, Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Home, North Main Chapel is respectfully serving the Marshall family.

Tribute Wall



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Edward "Ed" Neal Marshall Sr..*



February 01, 2024 at 07:20 AM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Edward "Ed" Neal Marshall Sr..*



January 31, 2024 at 09:02 AM



“ *The Moore's Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Edward "Ed" Neal Marshall Sr..*

The Moore's Team - January 31, 2024 at 09:02 AM



“ *My Pops was a real man. Talented mason and even built our home by hand. He instilled the ethics and values that I would need serving 5 tours in the 82nd Airborne. Dad was always a pillar of strength and on the other spectrum a regular comedian. Will miss his wisdom and guidance. Others have lost a friend, but my brother and I lost a great Father.*

Neal Marshall - January 30, 2024 at 08:28 PM

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So sorry to hear about Edward. 🙏 Neal Dodson DRHS

Dodson T. Neal - January 31, 2024 at 10:02 AM

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“ I grew up in church with the Marshall family at Riverview Baptist Church. They were very nice people. Tricia Lunsford McGuire

Tricia McGuire - January 29, 2024 at 09:18 PM