



Edward J. Halmes

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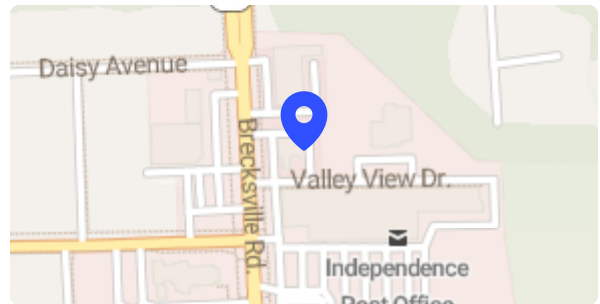
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Edward J. Halmes, age 96, passed away Wednesday, August 26, 2020. Beloved husband of the late Lillian (nee Rusniaczyk). Loving father of Rich (Judy) Halmes. Cherished grandfather of Amanda. Dear brother of Dorothy Holmes of Coral, PA, Mildred Dechman of Josephine, PA, William (Margaret) Holmes of Coral, PA, brother-in-law of Patricia Halmes of Blairsville, PA, and the late Joseph Holmes, Teresa Yancy, Agnes Vresilovic and John (Jack) Halmes. Edward was a W.W.II Veteran of the US Army. Family will receive friends at THE VODRAZKA FUNERAL HOME OF INDEPENDENCE, 6505 BRECKSVILLE RD., (RT. 21, S. OF ROCKSIDE), SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, 2020 FROM 3-6 P.M. Funeral Mass Monday, August 31, 2020 at St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church, 6750 State Rd., Parma, at 9:30 a.m. (PLEASE MEET AT CHURCH). Interment to follow with Military Honors at All Saints Cemetery, Northfield, Oh. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to The American Cancer Society.






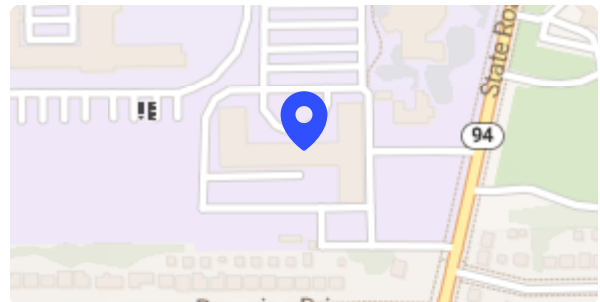
Visitation

-  **Sunday**, August 30, 2020
-  3:00 PM - 6:00 PM ET
-  **Vodrazka Funeral Home**
6505 Brecksville Rd, Independence OH 44131






Funeral Mass

-  **Monday**, August 31, 2020
-  9:30 AM - 10:30 AM ET
-  **St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church**
6750 State Rd., Parma OH 44134



Cemetery

-  **Monday**, August 31, 2020
-  11:00 AM - 11:30 AM ET
-  **All Saints Cemetery**
480 W. Highland Rd., Northfield OH





Tribute Wall

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Linda Skoczen posted:

Ed was a wonderful neighbor to my parents, Ted and Helen. I remember both Ed and Lilian fondly. God bless! Linda Noga Skoczen

September 20 at 2:02 PM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Halmes family.



August 28 at 12:31 PM



Lesley Gill posted:

I sure got a chuckle out of David B's memories of Mr Ed. Somethings never change! My family moved in on the other side of the Halmes family in 1963. Mr. Ed put up with the 4 kids in my family hitting balls into his perfect yard for years. He never seemed to mind. What a wonderful neighbor! We marveled at his stories of the war. Mr Ed had such a sharp mind till the end and he was truly a part of the greatest generation. He will be greatly missed.

August 28 at 8:31 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Halmes family.



August 28 at 7:43 AM



Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Halmes family.



August 28 at 5:04 AM



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Mark Betlejewski posted:

When neighbors become friends and those friends become your extend family you are blessed. God blessed us with Ed and Lil. Our prayers are with all of you. Love Mark and Laurie

August 27 at 4:13 PM



Rich Jance August 28 at 9:44 AM

Ed was a kind and gentle man. we were next-door neighbors for more than 50 years Our children and grandchildren called him "Mr. Ed'. we will never be blessed with a nicer neighbor. rest in peace, Ed. Rich and Rita



David Betlejewski posted:

Ed was the nicest, kindest neighbor anyone could ever ask for. I can honestly say as a young, annoying kid, i cannot remember a single moment where Ed ever seemed to be bothered by my million persistent questions. He always had a smile and an answer ready to go. He truly seemed to get a kick out of someone showing interest in his "obsessive" knack for a perfect cut lawn, or perfectly trimmed shrubs, or even the perfect car wash he performed what seemed like every other day. Ed you could never know how much your impassioned kindness you showed to a young neighbor kid has helped shape me into the person I am today. And Ed if you are listening, I grew up to be just like you, I got my own neighbor kid with a zillion questions, and I will never ignore him, because you taught me better. Next time I see you, we will have to listen to an Indians game on the old radio.

August 27 at 3:14 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Edward by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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