



Ted Elmore

March 8, 1931 - December 23, 2024

Ted Elmore, a lifelong resident of Willow Springs, passed away Monday, December 23, 2024, at his home surrounded by family. Ted was born March 8, 1931, to Dallas Delmar and Edna (Hanson) Elmore in Waterloo, Iowa and was 93 years old.

Ted proudly served in the United States Navy during the Korean War. He served as an engineer on the USS Saipan until he was hospitalized from tuberculosis for one and a half years. Ted enjoyed fishing and hunting, especially for turkey and deer, as well as spending time with his family. Ted was married to Mona Kay Wheeler and through their union 3 daughters were born.

Ted was preceded in death by his parents, and brothers, Ed and Donnie Elmore.

He is survived by his daughters, Pamela Lynn Boyle (Mike), Debra Jo Simon (Larry) and Cindy Kay Bryan (Pat); his grandchildren: Candace Bunce, Heather Cunningham, Amanda Boser, Ashley Simon, Drew Simon, Jodie Bryan, and Brett Bryan; and multiple great-grandchildren. He is further survived by his significant other, Beverly (B.J.) Shock and Cindy and Gary Barton, Jessica Banning, and Jeremy Barton.

A graveside funeral service for Ted will be held at 1:00p.m. Friday, January 3, 2025, at the Willow Springs City Cemetery with Father Nick Newton officiating. Ted will be greatly missed by all who loved and knew him. Arrangements are under the direction of Willow Funeral Home, LLC. Online condolences may be left at www.willowspringsfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Graveside Funeral Service

JAN 3. 1:00 PM (CT)

Willow Springs City Cemetery
State Rte DD
Willow Springs, MO 65793

Tribute Wall

DN

“ *Dave and Pat Nanneman purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Ted Elmore.*



Dave and Pat Nanneman - December 31, 2024 at 01:49 PM

SB

“ *Thoughts & Prayers for your family at this time of loss*

Sharon and John Bacon - December 27, 2024 at 07:38 PM

DN

Heather and family sorry for loss of your grandpa. Donna and Noble Newberry

Donna Newberry - December 27, 2024 at 08:31 PM

EP

Cindy and family sorry for your loss. I will always remember the happy and joking person that Ted was.

Edward H Petrus - December 28, 2024 at 01:38 PM

ML

Yes was a man with a hearty laugh and kind words for everyone. He passed his love of hunting to his grandchildren. Debbie, you are so fortunate to have your Dad for so long.

Martha Lawler - December 28, 2024 at 06:08 PM

JH

Ted was a memorable individual who nobody could forget if they met him. He taught me a lot about life and work ethics. Glad to have known him.

J. Paul Hicks - December 28, 2024 at 10:00 PM