



Edwin Donald Whitcomb Sr.

March 8, 1935 - December 31, 2017

Edwin Donald Whitcomb Sr., 82, of Greenview, IL passed away Sunday, December 31, 2017. He was born in Lancaster, NH to Amos and Ester Whitcomb of Whitefield, NH.

He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Darlene (Aden) Whitcomb; his five sons and two daughters: Edwin Jr. (Coni), Karen, Scott (Cleo), Daniel (Patricia), Matthew (Tammy), Melissa (Raymond) Walters, Mark (Jennifer); 6 grandsons and 17 granddaughters; two great-grandchildren; and his siblings Martha Porfido, Frank Whitcomb and Jim Whitcomb. He was preceded in death by his parents, sister Mary Jane Sheridan and two brothers Earnest and Amos Whitcomb.

Ed was a Veteran of the Vietnam and Korean Wars where he was an Army parachute jumper with the 101st Airborne Division. He made over 241 jumps. Funeral Services for Ed will be held Monday, January 8, 2018 at 12:30 pm at Hurley Funeral Home in Greenview, IL. Visitation will begin one-hour prior at 11:30 am. Mark Estrop will officiate. Burial will take place at Camp Butler National Cemetery in Springfield, IL, following the funeral service at 2 pm. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Greenview AM Vets, Department of Veterans Affairs or the charity of donor's choice. Condolences can be left for the family at www.hurleyfh.com. Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg is assisting the family with arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Camp Butler National Cemetery

5063 Camp Butler Road
Springfield, IL 62707
(217) 492-4070

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 8. 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

Hurley Funeral Home - Greenview
123 West Adams Street
Greenview, IL 62642
(217) 968-5504
<https://www.hurleyfh.com/>

Funeral

JAN 8. 12:30 PM (CT)

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Burial

JAN 8. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Edwin Donald Whitcomb Sr.

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ So sorry for your loss, I will always remember Ed from the time I met your family when I was just a kid, growing up in the neighborhood nearly 50 years ago.

Prayers

Tony Mantovani

Tony Mantovani - January 23, 2018 at 10:40 AM



“ Darlene, So sorry to hear of Ed's passing, So many memories of Ed @ my parents home. Later in Greenview. Mary Ann Young

Mary Ann Young - January 05, 2018 at 10:54 AM



“ Lois Hoffman lit a candle in memory of Edwin Donald Whitcomb Sr.



Lois Hoffman - January 04, 2018 at 12:51 PM



Thank you Lois. Hope you are staying warm.

Mark Whitcomb - January 04, 2018 at 08:35 PM

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“ Courtney and family, we're so sorry for your loss, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Love, Grandma and Grandpa Yates

Betty Yates - January 04, 2018 at 12:39 PM

MB

“ For Courtney and family, so very sorry for your loss.
Much love to you,
Aunt Martha and Uncle Kenny.

Martha Bostick - January 03, 2018 at 11:01 PM