



## Thomas A Walker

July 21, 1922 - December 6, 2013

THOMAS ALFRED WALKER, 91 of Burlington, Ohio passed away Friday, December 6, 2013, following a long illness at the Emogene Dolin Jones Hospice House of Huntington, WV. Funeral services will be 1 PM Wednesday, December 11, 2013, at Schneider-Griffin Funeral Home with Dr. Scott Mann officiating. Burial with military honors by Veterans Honor Guard Post 16 will follow in Greenlawn Cemetery, Burlington. He was born July 21, 1922, and was preceded in death by his mother, Miranda Dolly Hicks Walker; his father, Alfred Walker; six brothers; and two sisters. He is survived by his wife of 71 years, Wanda L. Carter Walker; his son, Thomas L. Walker, both of Burlington, OH; one granddaughter, Amanda (Raymond) Walker Pumilia of New Orleans, LA; one grandson, Nathaniel (Ona) P. Walker of Houston, TX; and one great granddaughter, Francesca Maria Pumilia of New Orleans, LA. He is a highly decorated World War II U.S. Navy veteran, (Boatswain Mate Second Class - BM2 USNR) and a Kamikaze survivor while serving aboard the USS Aulick, DD-569 during the battle of Leyte Gulf, Philippines Islands, a Master Mason of the South Point Lodge 497 F&AM of Ohio, a lifelong member of the Burlington Wesleyan Independent Church, a member of the American Legion Post 0443 of Ironton, OH, and an Eagle Scout of Boy Scouts of America. Visitation will be 6 to 8 PM Tuesday at Schneider-Griffin Funeral Home, Chesapeake, OH. In lieu of flowers, please send all gifts and donations to the Emogene Dolin Jones Hospice House, 3100 Staunton Road, Huntington, West Virginia 25702, phone 1-800-788-5480. Condolences may be expressed to the family at [www](http://www).

[schneidergriffin.com](http://schneidergriffin.com). To send flowers or a memorial gift to the family of Thomas A Walker please visit our Sympathy Store. Cemetery Details Greenlawn Cemetery County Road 120 South Point, OH 45680 Visitation DEC 10. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (EST) Schneider-Hall Funeral Home 313 Big Branch RoadChesapeake, OH 45619emailprotected (<http://Schneiderhallfuneralhome.com>) Service DEC 11. 1:00 PM (EST) Schneider-Hall Funeral Home 313 BIG BRANCH RDCHESAPEAKE, OH 45619emailprotected (<https://www.schneiderhallfuneralhome.com>)

# Tribute Wall



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Schneider-Hall Funeral Home - November 20, 2024 at 06:31 PM

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“ Schneider-Hall Funeral Home lit a candle in memory of Thomas A Walker



Schneider-Hall Funeral Home - July 28, 2021 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ Tom, I watched the video tribute to your father's life. It was very moving and reminded me of my dad, who was also a WWII Navy Veteran who served in the South Pacific. I pray that God will grant you peace during this difficult time. I am proud of the way you took such good care of him during his final days. Please know that my thoughts are with your family and may you be comforted by knowing that his life was a life well lived. Candace Duty



Dr. Candace Duty - January 27, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ Wanda & Tom, Having grown up with Tommy Lee, your family feels more like our second family than merely friends. We will always remember and cherish the many wonderful times we had when our two families got together. Whether it be at Christmas time, playing Monopoly on the kitchen table, summer days at the lake, or just killing toy soldiers over the river bank with Tommy's BB gun, they were all memories that we will fondly remember. Time has a habit of moving on, and now it is time to say farewell to a man who we loved as a father. The thing that we hold onto is that we will all be together again one day soon. God promises it, and we believe it. Our prayers go up to God for you both, that He will give you His comfort and peace at this difficult time. Just open your hearts and accept it. We wish that we could be there with you, but for health reasons (Robert), we just can't at this time. We will be thinking of you and praying for you. Our love to you in Jesus, Karen Strong Cooper and Robert Strong PS I wonder what Tom and our dad are doing right now.



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**Robert Strong** - December 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ I loved Uncle Tommy stories of him, my dad and his brothers, that he told me on my last visit with him a couple of years ago At the river bank Tommy was on a tree limb, thinking he had gotten away from Marshall, but Marshall decided to cut the tree limb down, making Tommy fall about 15 feet. He passed out and a woman that was doing her wash by the river, threw her wash water on him to wake him up. Another one was he and my dad got into a fight and my dad went flying, making a large hole in the wall of their home. Hard to hide that one from mom. Tommy laughed, and so did I. It was so great to hear stories about my dad.He was the closest brother to my dad, Ellis Walker. My dad and Tommy were the kindest of the Walker boys in my opinion. How did Dolly do it She raised wonderful, kind, and great children on a shoe-string budget.I'm praying for the living family, and his soul and the family in heaven!



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**Marcia** - December 10, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ As I was preparing to marry into the Walker clan, I only really knew Two Walker men. My future father-in-law Ellis (Red) Walker and his brother and future Uncle Tom . I knew they had 6 brothers and one lived in Crown City but Uncle Tom and Aunt Wanda and our troop would always attend the Walker Family Reunion and we became great friends.He was a Good Man and I know that as all of us taken to the Great Beyond, we will meet with pleasure and enjoy our family and friends that have past before us. May God take and care for Uncle Tom until we meet again.



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**Charles & Patricia Matasich** - December 07, 2013 at 12:00 AM