



Jennings "JR" Nelson

October 17, 1937 - May 22, 2025

Jennings "JR" Nelson, 87, of South Point, OH, passed away on Thursday, May 22, 2025. Born on October 17, 1937, in Gil, WV, he was the son of the late Wilferd and Inez Johnson Nelson. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Linda Ann Nelson; daughter, Teresia Nelson Williamson; 3 brothers, and 2 sisters. JR retired from CSX and proudly served his country in the U.S. Marines. He is survived by his daughters, Jennifer Nelson and Aimee (Bobby) Lawson; son, Ray Nelson; grandchildren, Ashley, Emilee, Shelby, Brody, and Levi; sisters, Ada Guinn, Iris Sias, Sharon Trout, Wylene Weather, and Andrea Smith; brothers, Haskell Nelson and Dwight Nelson, and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held at 1:00 P.M. on Wednesday, May 28, 2025, at Schneider-Hall Funeral Home in Chesapeake, OH. Visitation will be one hour prior to services at 12:00 P.M. Burial will follow at Maple Hill Cemetery in Kenova, WV. Condolences may be expressed to the family at schneiderhallfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **28**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Schneider-Hall Funeral Home
313 Big Branch Road
Chesapeake
Chesapeake, OH 45619
schneiderhallfuneralhome@gmail.com

Funeral Service

MAY **28**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

WJ

“ Wes, Tammy and Jackson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jennings "JR" Nelson.

Wes, Tammy and Jackson - May 25, 2025 at 07:33 PM

WJ

“ Wes, Tammy and Jackson purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Jennings "JR" Nelson.



Wes, Tammy and Jackson - May 25, 2025 at 07:33 PM

MI

“ Mandy, Brian, Brianna, and Isaac planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jennings "JR" Nelson.

Mandy, Brian, Brianna, and Isaac - May 25, 2025 at 04:54 PM

MI

“ Mandy, Brian, Brianna, and Isaac purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Jennings "JR" Nelson.



Mandy, Brian, Brianna, and Isaac - May 25, 2025 at 04:54 PM



“ May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,

May your memories of Jennings Nelson, give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten...
My thoughts
and prayers to the family of

US Marine Veteran, Jennings Nelson, is “A True American Hero”
God Bless†

† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †

Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - May 25, 2025 at 08:25 AM

AJ

“ Angie, Ron, Derek, and Jamey planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jennings "JR" Nelson.

Angie, Ron, Derek, and Jamey - May 24, 2025 at 10:23 PM

AJ

“ Angie, Ron, Derek, and Jamey purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Jennings "JR" Nelson.



Angie, Ron, Derek, and Jamey - May 24, 2025 at 10:23 PM