



Elmer L. Truskey

April 18, 1931 - August 19, 2025

Elmer L. Truskey, 94, of Long Branch, passed away on Tuesday, August 19, 2025. A son of the late John and Elizabeth (Wisianski) Truskey, he was born in Monessen on April 18, 1931.

A lifelong resident of Coal Center, Elmer was an active member of the Mon Valley Shipmates and a member and legionier of the Roscoe American Legion Post # 801. He was a proud United States Navy Veteran, serving from 1951 to 1955. Elmer had been employed at the Monessen BOF in the steel industry where he worked as a lab technician for many years before retiring.

He is survived by a daughter, Colleen Haftman of Charleroi, a daughter-in-law, Lisa Truskey (Gary) of Coal Center, two grandchildren, Dr. Lauren (Nick) Truskey-Longo of Philadelphia and Daniel Truskey Jr. (Charhea) of Coal Center, two sisters, Yolanda Jarouse of Perryopolis and Elizabeth Pfrogner of California, PA, and numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Patricia Ann Truskey on December 9, 2024, his son, Daniel Truskey on January 27, 2021, and a son-in-law, Tim Haftman, and three siblings, Laura Rowten, Robert Truskey, and George Truskey.

Family and friends are invited to attend a graveside service will be held on

Saturday, September 6, 2025 at 1 P.M. in Mount Calvary Cemetery (Coal Center) with Rev. Gerald Mikonis officiating. Arrangements have been entrusted to the Ferguson Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc., 700 Broad Avenue, Belle Vernon. www.FergusonFuneralHomeandCrematory.com.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Calvary Cemetery

Coal Center, PA

Previous Events

Graveside

SEP 6. 1:00 PM (ET)

Mt. Calvary Cemetery
Coal Center, PA

Tribute Wall

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KS

Kathie Kenneally (sydlowski)

8 days ago

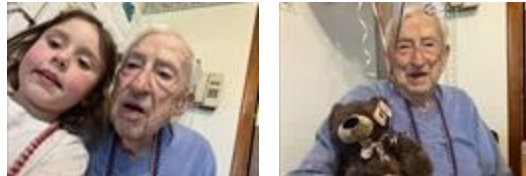
I'm so heartbroken to hear of aunt Pat passing and now uncle Elmer. I'm so sorry I didn't get one more visit in. I loved to surprise them when I was in PA. Aunt Pat was my God Mother. I loved them both so very much. So many wonderful memories growing up.

Kathie Kenneally (aunt Pats God child) - December 30, 2025 at 05:45 AM

DP

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Elmer was one of the kindest, sweetest persons I've ever known. Palmer and I were privileged to know him and spend time together. One of our favorite memories is when we were playing "school" and he asked for a hall pass to go to the restroom. He really wasn't going there, he went to get a music box as a surprise for Palmer. Such a sweetheart! We will miss him dearly and always have him in our hearts!



Denise and Palmer - September 06, 2025 at 07:46 AM

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Kathie Kenneally (sydlowski) - December 22, 2025 at 05:15 AM

SB

“ *Sister, Betty lit a candle in memory of Elmer Truskey*



Sister, Betty - August 28, 2025 at 07:44 PM

LB

“ *So sorry to hear of my brother in law has passed away.. I am sure my sister Patty will be waiting. My thoughts and prayers to Colleen and his grandchildren that he loved very much.*

Linda Bove - August 28, 2025 at 02:19 PM

GM

“ *With our deepest sympathy,
Paul, Gina Martin and family*



Gina Martin - August 28, 2025 at 02:07 PM

LT

“ *Lisa Truskey sent a virtual gift in memory of Elmer Truskey*



Lisa Truskey - August 27, 2025 at 04:12 AM