



# Raymond Herbert Bechtold

January 12, 1942 - September 6, 2024

Raymond Herbert Bechtold made it to his Eternal Home on the morning of September 6, 2024. He resided in Springville, AL. He was finally joined with his parents, Raymond and Doris Bechtold. His wife of 20 plus years Sarah Bechtold, and his daughter Debra Schefano.

He was born in Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania on January 12, 1942. At the age of 18 he joined the US Navy and then spent 24 years, finally retiring as a senior chief. He also did 3 tours in the Vietnam War. Then he spent another 20 years in the construction industry before finally retiring for good.

He was preceded in death by his brother George Bechtold, and sister Bonnie Smith. He is survived by his son, Raymond and Ashlee Bechtold. Grandchildren Emilee, Harlee and Nigel Bechtold. His granddaughter Mandy and Mark Payne. Grandchildren Bubba Poe (Paula), Lisa Neal (Brian). Greatgrandchildren Skyler, Tayler, and Averi.

Greatgrandchildren Drew, Jacob, Elliot, Will and Austin. Also his son Michael and Irene Potts. His son Bruce and Dena Spinks. Grandchildren Jennifer, Payton Kim Wilson, Laura-Beth, and Catherine Spinks. And a host of other friends and family. Also many great- great grandchildren.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 11. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (cst)

Deerfoot Memorial Funeral Home  
5360 Deerfoot Parkway PO Box 118  
Trussville, AL 35173

## Funeral Service

SEP 11. 1:00 PM (cst)

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