



Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr.

January 31, 1947 - January 11, 2025

Warren "Ed" Edward Phillips Jr., 77, of Toledo, Ohio passed away peacefully surrounded by family on January 11, 2025, due to complications from Parkinsons Disease. A beloved, husband, father, and grandfather, Ed will always be remembered for his humor and love of family and friends.

Ed was born in January of 1947, in Fort Wayne, Indiana to Warren Sr. and Madonna (Mack) Phillips of Hicksville, Ohio. He was the oldest of 3 brothers, Greg and Harry Joe. Ed grew up in Defiance, Ohio and graduated from Defiance High School in 1965.

A proud United States Navy veteran, Ed served honorably in the Vietnam War. He married Jane Adams in 1970, and they shared 54 years of marriage. Ed continued to serve others as a Toledo Police Officer for almost 30 years. He helped implement and led TPD's first Directed Patrol unit, received several honors as a police officer, trained with the Secret Service, and retired as a Lieutenant. Ed cherished his time with family and friends, including his close bond with the "Rangers", where he held place as #3. He enjoyed annual Florida vacations with Jane and spent some of his most memorable moments with loved ones at Hamilton Lake, Indiana. An avid hunter and fisherman, Ed shared a hunting cabin in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan with friends. He also enjoyed woodworking, card games - especially poker, and board games with the family. A fan of country music, Ed also loved watching a good western on TV.

Ed's legacy and purpose in life were his daughters, who attest to what a great

father he was. Most notably Ed was a fighter, he had Parkinson's Disease and suffered daily for over 30 years due to his exposure to Agent Orange in Vietnam.

Ed is survived by his wife, Jane Phillips, and daughters, Nicole Phillips, Natalie Darby (John), and Abby Ferguson (Richard). As well as his five grandchildren, Cicilia, Sabrina, Louis, Aidan, and Marisa. Warren was preceded in death by his father, Warren Sr. "Bud"; mother, Madonna; and stepfather, Harry Hahn.

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd., Toledo, OH 43614, on Thursday, January 16th from 2:00-7:00 p.m. Funeral services will be held on Friday, January 17th, in the mortuary, at 11:00 a.m., where the family will begin greeting guests at 10:00 a.m. Interment will be private.

The family would like to thank Veterans Affairs Clinic of Toledo, Ohio Veterans Home of Sandusky, Hospice of Northwest Ohio, and family and friends for all their support over the years.

Donations can be made in Ed's name to the Parkinson Foundation of Northwest Ohio. www.pfnwo.org <<http://www.pfnwo.org>> Please view and sign our online "guest registry" at CoyleFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery Defiance

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 16. 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Coyle Funeral Home
1770 S. Reynolds Road
Toledo, OH 43614

Visitation

JAN 17. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Ceremony

JAN 17. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

TF

“ *The Page Family purchased the Serenity Prayer 30" Sonnet for the family of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..*



The Page Family - January 16, 2025 at 08:04 PM

EC

“ *Eric Whitman & Bill Consolo purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..*



Eric Whitman & Bill Consolo - January 16, 2025 at 03:33 PM

DW

“ *David W. purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..*



David W. - January 16, 2025 at 10:57 AM

DW

“ *David W. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..*

David W. - January 16, 2025 at 10:57 AM

KK

“ Ken and Vi Koenig purchased the Forever Our Angel Bouquet for the family of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..



Ken and Vi Koenig - January 16, 2025 at 10:47 AM

WF

“ Will Corbin and Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..



Will Corbin and Family - January 15, 2025 at 04:53 PM

DF

“ Dimos Family purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..



Dimos Family - January 15, 2025 at 03:08 PM

DF

“ Dimos Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..

Dimos Family - January 15, 2025 at 03:08 PM

JG

“ ED, DID A GREAT JOB OF HELPING ME GET THE DIRECTED PATROL UNIT UP AND RUNNING. SEEMED HE WAS ALWAYS THERE AT THE RIGHT PLACE AT THE RIGHT TIME. R.I.P. CAPT. GREENWOOD, RETIRED.

JAMES E GREENWOOD - January 15, 2025 at 12:23 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..



January 15, 2025 at 11:33 AM

HB

“ *There was one person who reminded me of my late father & that was Ed. I remember walking into Louis's graduation party & had to look twice because I thought it was my dad from across the room. Ed had such a fun personality and will be missed by all who were lucky enough to know him. Ed called my husband "Holyfield" for as long as I can remember. When we married he started calling me Mrs. Holyfield! Thank you for your service Mr. Phillips!*

Heather Butterfield - January 14, 2025 at 04:46 PM

LB

“ *My memories of Ed go back to our elementary school days at St. John's Catholic School. Ed's younger brother, Greg, was in my class so we always looked up to the upperclassmen so Ed will always have an honored place in my heart. Sincere sympathy to the Phillips family.* ❤️

Linda Brugler - January 14, 2025 at 04:29 PM

NH

“ Nick, Tabatha, Nick Jr, and Kevin Harris purchased the Forever Our Angel Bouquet for the family of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..



Nick, Tabatha, Nick Jr, and Kevin Harris - January 14, 2025 at 03:44 PM

GF

“ Sending condolences to Jane and family



Gramling family - January 14, 2025 at 02:23 PM

F3

“ From all of us on 3-South. purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..



From all of us on 3-South. - January 14, 2025 at 01:23 PM

F3

“ From all of us on 3-South. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..

From all of us on 3-South. - January 14, 2025 at 01:23 PM

BW

“ *Bill and Toni Watson purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..*



Bill and Toni Watson - January 14, 2025 at 01:21 PM

AP

“ *So sorry to hear of Ed's passing. Prayers for you all!! Love Bradley and Angela Phillips Peffley. My dad John always talked so highly of him!!*

angela phillips peffley - January 14, 2025 at 12:11 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..*



January 14, 2025 at 11:49 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..*

January 14, 2025 at 11:49 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..*



January 14, 2025 at 11:07 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..

January 14, 2025 at 11:07 AM



“ *The Schwaberow Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Warren "Ed" Phillips, Jr..*



The Schwaberow Family - January 14, 2025 at 10:26 AM