



## CHARLES DEAN STOVER

April 29, 1934 - July 12, 2023

Charles Dean Stover, 89, of Parkersburg (formerly of Welch, WV) passed away July 12, 2023 at WVU Camden Clark Medical Center.

He was born April 29, 1934 in Kingston, WV, a son of the late Sherman French Stover and Carrie Stiltner Stover Weaver. Dean graduated from Gary High School in 1953 and served honorably in the US Army. In 1958, Dean wed Nancy Lee Mullins and they enjoyed 63 years of married life before her passing in May 2022. He also began working for Appalachian Power Co. in 1958 and retired after 38 years of service. Dean made many dear friends during his time with Appalachian.

Dean accepted Christ as his Savior during his teen years and was a faithful servant throughout the remainder of his life. He indicated to his family that when he died, he wanted everyone to know he loved God more than anything. Dean loved attending worship services and especially loved to sing praises to his Lord. He had faithfully attended the Harvest Center Ministries while living in Welch.

Those left to cherish his memory include his beloved daughter Rhonda Stover (formerly of Welch) and son Gary Stover (Lisa), both of Parkersburg, WV; his two grandchildren, Nathan Stover (Selena) and Sara Work (Jake), both of Parkersburg; his great-grandson, Colt Work, of Parkersburg. Dean absolutely loved being Papaw and more recently great-Papaw. He also leaves behind step-sister Juanita Burcham of TX, sisters-in-laws Jane Stover of Wichita Falls, TX; Patty (Pat) Wyatt of Welch, WV; Brenda Sigmon and brother-in-law

Bud (Emily) Mullins both of Princeton, WV. He is also survived by many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, and cousins, all of whom he dearly loved.

In addition to his wife and parents, Dean was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, Charles "Fred" and Belle Stiltner; father and mother-in-law Roby and Mae Mullins of Welch, WV; sisters, Loretta Stover and June Murray, brother Douglas Stover, all of Wichita Falls, TX, and brother-in-law Ken Sigmon of Pineville, WV; Dean was also preceded in death by many special uncles, aunts, and cousins that he grew up with in WV and KY.

Dean's family would like to thank Dr. Hamirani and the staff at Davita Kidney Care for their kind and compassionate care, which allowed Dean to enjoy an additional 6 months of quality life.

Funeral services will be conducted Monday, July 17, 2023 in the Roselawn Memory Gardens Mausoleum in Princeton at 1 PM, with the Reverends Walter Muncy and Jim Hendricks officiating. Burial will follow in the cemetery. Friends may call from 12:00 Noon to 1:00 PM in the mausoleum.

The Douglas Mortuary in Welch is serving the family. Online condolences may be sent to the family at [www.douglamortuary.com](http://www.douglamortuary.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Roselawn Memorial Gardens

450 Courthouse Road  
Princeton, WV 24740

# Previous Events

## Funeral Services

JUL 17. 1:00 PM (ET)

Roselawn Memory Gardens Mausoleum in Princeton  
450 Courthouse Road  
Princetown, WV 24740

# Tribute Wall

BM

“ I remember what a kind man Mr. Stover was and how he loved the Lord. I remember first meeting his wife Nancy when she had a small shop at the end f McDowell Street in Welch. She was doing a cross stitch project and I thought that is was so unique, such small little x stitched turned a pattern into a beautiful picture. I was hooked, she said " I really can't explain how but it is so easy. Rhonda is the sweetest lady you could ever meet. I have missed them all as they moved away. I would pass that little white church and wonder how they were doing. Rhonda and I both got into the Cricut world and she made cards for people. Steve had such a deep love for his whole family, a devoted man of God. I can imagine him taking his last breath and seeing Jesus n the next breath. Heaven has another beautiful soul. My heart hurts but his healed. Rest Well kind man if you get time after meeting Jesus, then all the family and the saints. You and your wife will not be forgotten by me., Brenda Hall Mullins, Big Sandy. W.V.

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**Brenda Mullins** - July 24, 2023 at 01:23 AM

IB

“ Nathan I'm sorry about the loss of your grandfather. My thoughts and prayers are with you and Selena and family.



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**Ida Mae Blair** - July 16, 2023 at 10:53 PM

WM

“ We will never forget you Bro Stover, we had so many good times with all of you. You are now with Jesus and your precious wife and family. No more pain for you and the dialysis is no more. You have a perfect body now. Praying for comfort from God for Rhonda and Gary and all the rest of the family.



Walter & Faye Muncy - July 16, 2023 at 10:10 PM

MC

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with Rhonda.. Brother Stover was a good man, and one that we loved very much..

Mike, Peggy & Michael Cook

Michael Cook - July 16, 2023 at 04:34 PM

RP

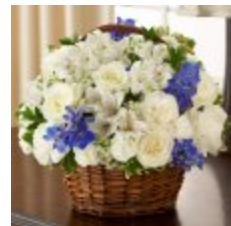
“ Rhonda my love and Prayers go out to you and your family. You and I were friends in education but we also shared our love of church. You parents represented those sacred values. My family lives in Parkersburg and you will always have our friendship.



Ray and Karen Perdue Powell - July 16, 2023 at 06:08 AM

BF

“ Bob and Susie Brooks Families purchased the Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White for the family of CHARLES DEAN STOVER.



Bob and Susie Brooks Families - July 15, 2023 at 09:18 AM

TA

“ *Condolences to the family*

Tammy - July 15, 2023 at 08:54 AM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of CHARLES DEAN STOVER.*



July 15, 2023 at 08:40 AM

KM

“ *Brother Stover was a shining example of one who loved the Lord.*



Katherine Sorah Mummert - July 14, 2023 at 09:57 PM

LG

*I loved to be around both Mr and mrs stover. They were such a joy. We attended the Nazarene church in Welch. Rhonda we pray for comfort for you and your family. Loretta and Sal godinez*

Loretta Godinez - July 15, 2023 at 08:00 AM

BM

“ *While living in Welch, when my husband Rex Sadler's dad died, Rex looked upon Dean as a father figure. He really thought a lot of him. I think of Dean every time we sing Victory in Jesus at church. I knew his wife and daughter for many years. Barbara Sadler Mullens*

Barbara Mullens - July 14, 2023 at 03:18 PM