



Hilton Durward "Dur" Masters

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A funeral service for Hilton Durward "Dur" Masters, 86 of Newark will be 10:30 a.m. Monday, July 10, 2017 in the Newark Chapel of Vensil & Chute Funeral Home with Deacon Patrick Wilson officiating. Burial will be in Cedar Hill Cemetery. The Licking County Veteran's Alliance will provide Military Funeral Honors.

Dur passed away unexpectedly Thursday, July 6, 2017 at his home. He was born February 14, 1931 in Newark to the late Hilton Masters and Dorothy (Corder) Masters-Zipperer. Dur was a 1949 graduate of Newark High School and a veteran of the U.S. Air Force where he served in occupied Germany following WWII. Dur worked in the railroad industry for 42 years. Starting out as a conductor/brakeman on the B&O Railroad and serving as local chairman of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. He later became International Vice-President of the United Transportation Union. He was an active member of many organizations including American Legion Post #85, VFW Post #1060, DAV, Crusader Lodge #720 F. & A. M., Scottish Rite, Licking Co. Shrine and F.O.E. #387. He was a Methodist by faith.

Dur was an avid sports fan, he loved the Ohio State Buckeyes, Cleveland Browns, Cleveland Indians and virtually any sporting activity, especially if it involved his grandsons. He will be remembered as a loving husband, father and granddad, as well as a generous man whose generosity was unsurpassed. He was a gentle giant, an animal lover and loved the company of his host of friends.

Survivors include his beloved daughter, Susan (Tim) Moore of Newark; his grandsons, Brian Moore, Tyler (Natasha) Moore; great grandson, Jackson Moore, all of Newark; a sister in-law, Nancy Masters; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Dur was preceded in death by his loving wife, Ruth Marie (Stough) Masters, whom he married May 9, 1954 and who died November 9, 2015; and brothers, William Dwayne Masters and Fred Zipperer; and several "furry friends".



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Friends and family may visit 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday, July 9, 2017 at VENSIL & CHUTE FUNERAL HOME, 1850 W. Main Street, Newark.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, Great Rivers Affiliate, P.O. Box 15120 Chicago, IL 60693; envelopes will be available at the funeral home or visit <https://donatenow.heart.org>



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Anonymous posted:

Family was always first with Your Dad, always a gentleman he'll be missed. Jon Passmore.

July 10 at 4:43 PM



Anonymous posted:

Susie and family, So sorry for your loss of your Dad. We loved talking to him. He was a great guy. Remember all the good times which was many. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. We were away at softball tournament so sorry we didnt get back in time for calling hours. Bert & Gail

July 10 at 8:28 AM



Jeff, Theresa, Mariah, Rhianna, & Layla Hunt posted:

Susie & family, We are sorry for your loss of your dad. Think of all the memories of him & cherish them at this difficult time. Your in our thoughts.

July 10 at 5:45 AM



Judi Dunlap posted:

Susan & family I'm so sorry for your loss. May all the happy memories comfort you at this difficult time.

July 8 at 7:50 PM



Kim Lamb-Hupp posted:

Sorry for your loss, Susan. I always liked your dad. He was a good person. God Bless all of your family. Kim-Lamb Hupp

July 8 at 7:53 AM



Gary/Penny Babcock posted:

Susan and family, our thoughts, love and prayers goes out to you at this time of great loss. We will forever treasure the memories of sharing a table with Ruth and Dur at Newlon's Restaurant.

July 8 at 4:28 AM



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DM

Doug Masters posted:

Susan may Durwood rest in peace he's with family now Ruth his dad Hilton and brother Duane he was a great uncle and he will be missed

July 7 at 6:40 PM

SR

Sue & Russ posted:

Dear Susan and Family...Your Dad was such a special, caring man, who will be missed by all who knew him. HUGSSS

July 7 at 4:47 PM

PS

Pam/Paula Holman/Stimel posted:

Fond memories from Newlons Restaurant. All the times that you and your beautiful wife, Ruth, came to our family place to eat and we became friends. You will be remembered fondly. Sorry to Susan and her family for your loss.

July 7 at 4:27 PM

AA

American Heart Association posted:

May your memories of the wonderful times you shared with your loved one comfort you and your family, today and always.

July 7 at 2:26 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Hilton by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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