



## Donald F. Shelton

February 7, 1930 - February 9, 2015

Donald F. Shelton (1930-2015)

CEDAR FALLS- Donald F. Shelton, 85, of Cedar Falls, died Monday, February 9, 2015 at his home.

He was born February 7, 1930 in Waterloo, son of Earl and Martha Bergman Shelton. He married Mabel Tomkins on August 1, 1953 in Preston, Minnesota. She died August 20, 1995. He married Verna Blair on April 4, 2002 in Waterloo.

He graduated from New Hartford High School in 1947 and served in the US Navy during the Korean War. He was a machine operator with Waterloo Corrugated Box, retiring in 1991.

Survived by: his wife, Verna; two daughters, Kathy (Dave) Ott of Waterloo and Joyce (Allen) Craft of Lamont; step daughter, Dayle (John) Hayes of Waterloo; seven grandchildren: Dan (Ashley) Craft, Laura Wolff, Chris (Anni) Craft, Katie (Brian) Burkhardt, Emily Bartekoske, Tanner (Megan) Cheeseman and Mia Cheeseman; seven great grandchildren; and a brother, Kenny (Brenda) Pollock of Denver.

Services: 1:30 p.m. Friday at Cedar Heights Presbyterian Church, Cedar Falls

with burial in Fairview Cemetery, Waterloo. Military honors will be conducted by the Cedar Falls AMVETS Post 49. Visitation from 4 to 7 p.m. Thursday at Richardson Funeral Service and also for one hour prior to the service Friday.

Memorials may be directed to Cedar Valley Hospice or St. Jude Children's Hospital.

# Cemetery Details

## Fairview Cemetery

Waterloo, IA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 12. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Richardson Funeral Service  
615 Main Street  
Cedar Falls, IA 50613  
(319) 266-3525  
richardsonfuneralservice@gmail.com  
<http://richardson.funeralplan2.com>

## Funeral Service

FEB 13. 1:30 PM (CT)

Cedar Heights Community Presbyterian Church  
2015 Rainbow Drive  
Cedar Falls, IA 50613  
(319) 268-0153  
<http://cedarheightspres.org>

# Tribute Wall

TH

“ Thank you for asking the Cedar Falls AMVETS Post #49--Honor Guard to conduct full military rites at Don's burial. It was our privilege to honor Don's service to our country in the US Navy.  
Thank You  
Cedar Falls AMVETS Honor Guard

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**Tom Hagarty** - February 15, 2015 at 08:50 AM

JT

“ To the greatest uncle a guy could ask for. You and Mabel will live on in our memories forever. Thank you for all the great times that I had growing up at "the cabin"!!!! You will be missed very much.  
To the family, we wish and pray that you find comfort in the knowledge that you had two great parents that love all of you very much.  
Keeping you in our thoughts,  
~ John and Julie Tomkins

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**John & Julie Tomkins** - February 12, 2015 at 09:20 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald F. Shelton.



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February 12, 2015 at 07:12 PM

Mark  
Wieland

“ Sorry for you loss Shelton Family. You are in our thoughts and prayers!!

*Heartland Leathernecks MC*

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**Mark Wieland** - February 12, 2015 at 11:11 AM



“ Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Donald F. Shelton.



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February 11, 2015 at 03:28 PM

CD

“ SO SORRY TO HEAR OF THE GREAT LOSS IN YOUR FAMILY..MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU....

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**CHAD VAN DYKE** - February 11, 2015 at 11:48 AM

SM

“ What wonderful memories the Ham family has of your dad! He was a great man - with a wonderful sense of humor. I will always remember him, as I do your mom, laughing and smiling! Sending hugs and prayers to Joyce, Cathy, Verna, and to all of his family that loved him so much.

*Sue & Tom Martin  
Paddy & Craig Ham*

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**Sue Martin** - February 11, 2015 at 10:32 AM

LB

“ *Linda Bassett purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Donald F. Shelton.*



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**Linda Bassett** - February 11, 2015 at 07:31 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donald F. Shelton.*



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February 10, 2015 at 09:54 PM

RL

“ *So very sorry to hear of the death of your father. Praying for you and your family as you move through the grieving process. The Psalmist writes in Psalm 116: 15, "Precious in the sight of the Lord are the death of His godly ones." I pray you experience God's strength and comfort both now and in the days ahead. In His mighty grip,*

*Rick (Pappy) Lewis*

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**Rick Lewis** - February 10, 2015 at 05:15 PM

DS

“ *Wilbert Stacy was a close friend and neighbor of Don, he will be missed!*

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**Don Stacy** - February 10, 2015 at 04:03 PM