



Howard D. Hansel

March 25, 1934 - February 7, 2023

Howard D. Hansel, age 88, of Bel Air, MD, went home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, February 7, 2023. Howard was a man of deep faith and was very involved in the outreach ministries of the church. Over the years he served as deacon in the churches where he belonged. Howard was a faithful Bible reader and was always known for giving a word of encouragement. He was a valued employee of Dupont at Chestnut Run and also worked for the Department of Elections.

Howard cherished his family and was a loving husband, wonderful father, and the best PopPop. His family will treasure the memories they made together as a family and will continue to value the wisdom Howard imparted. His godly influence will live on for generations.

Howard is survived by his devoted wife of 64 years, Rebecca Hansel; sons, Phil Hansel and Dave Hansel (Marni); grandchildren: JD, Brian, Jimmy, Grayson, and Annelise; brother, Stuart Hansel (Loretta); sister, Sharon Hepker (Richard); close friend, Debi Kieper; and a host of nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, Allen Dale and Dorothy Hansel; and brother and sister-in-law, Leonard and Charlotte Hansel.

A visitation will be held Tuesday, February 21, 2023, from 10-11 AM at Bible Fellowship Church, 808 Old Baltimore Pike, Newark, DE 19702 followed by a

service in celebration of Howard's life at 11 AM. Burial will be private
Gracelawn Memorial Park. For directions or to send an online condolence visit
www.stranofeeley.com. To view webcast please go to <https://www.bfcnewarkde.org/>

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Viewing

FEB 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Bible Fellowship
808 Old Baltimore Pike
Newark, DE

Service

FEB 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Sending prayers and many hugs to family and friends. I have many fond memories of uncle Howard and he will truly be missed.



Melissa Carmona - February 23, 2023 at 09:33 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Howard D. Hansel.

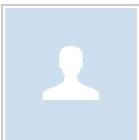


February 19, 2023 at 02:31 PM



“ While I didn't meet Howard personally, he sounds like a wonderful, encouraging, godly man. May the family receive every comfort during this time of loss.

Ruth Brittain - February 16, 2023 at 08:00 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray* was purchased for the family of Howard D. Hansel.



February 16, 2023 at 07:17 AM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Howard D. Hansel.*



February 13, 2023 at 12:00 PM



“ *We send prayers for Rebecca, Phil and Dave & family. Howard loved and prayed for each one. He was a very dear friend to us for over 65 years. We often met at a mall, but Howard had to eat first, then Becky & I could shop. He was a great example of Christian friendship! We love you all! May we all follow Howard's example.*

Dorsey & Naomi Reynolds - February 10, 2023 at 11:36 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Howard D. Hansel.*



February 09, 2023 at 07:18 PM



“ *So very sorry to hear of Howard's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

mary ann durante - February 08, 2023 at 06:00 PM

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“ *Stu & Loretta purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Howard D. Hansel.*



Stu & Loretta - February 08, 2023 at 02:05 PM