



## Thomas R. Mize Jr.

February 9, 1947 - April 6, 2012

Thomas R. Mize, Jr., age 65, of Newark DE, went home to be with the Lord on Friday, April 6, 2012. Thomas worked at Chrysler and retired after 42 years. He was the founder of Mize General Contracting Company. Thomas served our country in the US Navy and the Navy Reserves retiring after many years of service. He continued serving his community by frequently donating blood to the Delaware Blood Bank. He was a member of Aetna Hose & Ladder Station 8. Thomas enjoyed working outside, but most of all he enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren.

Thomas is survived by his wife, Trudy Mize; sons, Thomas R. Mize III, David C. Mize & wife Valerie; brother, Michael Mize; 2 sisters, Linda Glenn and Juanita Pflieger; 3 grandchildren, David J., Matthew C., and Elena M. He was preceded in death by his parents, Thomas R. Mize Sr. and Catherine (Irvin) Mize; and sister, June Bennett.

A service in celebration of Thomas's life will be held on Tuesday, April 24, 2012 at Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery, 2465 Chesapeake City Road, Bear, DE 19701 at 11am. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions to Blood Bank of Delmarva, 100 Hygeia Drive, Newark, DE 19713 or Disabled American Veterans of Delaware, P.O. Box 407, Camden-Wyoming, DE 19934. To express an online condolence, visit [www.strano-feeley.com](http://www.strano-feeley.com).



# Cemetery Details

## Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery - Bear

2465 Chesapeake City Rd.  
Bear, DE 19701

# Previous Events

## Service

APR 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Bear, DE 19701

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Bill Ewing lit a candle in memory of Thomas R. Mize Jr.*



Bill Ewing - May 06, 2012 at 09:12 AM

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“ *Brenda Plazio lit a candle in memory of Thomas R. Mize Jr.*



Brenda Plazio - April 22, 2012 at 05:02 PM

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*I will always remember my uncle Tommy as the truly kind, loving and giving spirit he was. He held concern for those he loved and showed kindness for everyone. He was most generous and giving and always wanted the best for us all. He deserved the very best life had to offer. The memory of his beautiful smile and his great sense of humor will stay with me forever.*

Brenda Plazio - April 22, 2012 at 05:14 PM



“ *Trudy... May the many embracing memories, along with our Lord's Grace, comfort you and your family in this time.*

Bill Dewberry - April 22, 2012 at 10:35 AM

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“ *Bill Dewberry lit a candle in memory of  
Thomas R. Mize Jr.*



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**Bill Dewberry** - April 22, 2012 at 10:31 AM