



## Edward Kilts McElwain, Sr.

November 14, 1941 - September 15, 2023

Edward Kilts McElwain, Sr., 81, of Mooresville, NC, passed away on Friday, September 15, 2023, at his home.

He was born November 14, 1941, in Kane, PA, to the late Wilbert Darrell McElwain and Gladys Finniefrock McElwain. In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by his wife, Beverly Mustane McElwain.

Ed attended St. Therese Catholic Church. He enjoyed golfing, wood carving, traveling, hunting, fishing, and anything to do with American history. His greatest joy was being with his family and friends. Ed was an accountant with The National Fuel Gas Company for over 30 years before his retirement.

He is survived by his sons, Edward K. McElwain, Jr., Robert D. McElwain and wife, Lisa, and Brian M. McElwain and wife, Megan; grandchildren, Kaylee, Aiden, and Eli McElwain.

In keeping with Ed's wishes, no funeral services are planned. Memorial donations may be made in his name to the donor's choice.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home and Crematory, Mooresville, is serving the McElwain family.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.cavin-cook.com](http://www.cavin-cook.com).

# Tribute Wall

DA

“ I am so sorry to hear about Ed's passing. I enjoyed working with him on some family genealogy work and our connections to Kane, PA. My Mom, Ruth McElwain Anderson (Ed's first cousin )thought the world of him and so did I. My deepest condolences.

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**Dave Anderson** - March 28, 2025 at 10:28 AM

JS

“ We are so sorry to hear of the loss of your dad, and most recently, your mom. We knew both of them for many years after we moved to Mooresville. John knew your dad through Golden Boys, and I knew your mom through Newcomers. John enjoyed golfing with your dad, also. Please accept our sincere sympathies for the loss of both of your parents. John and Peggy Spitzer

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**John Spitzer** - September 22, 2023 at 09:25 PM

CB

“ Eddie Brian & Rob we would like to off our deforest sympathies to you & your families didn't know how to reach any of you to reach any of you earlier, so I'm hoping you'll get this. We were such good friends with her and Bev. I don't think a day went by that Bev and I didn't talk to each other on the phone and visit each other. We painted made crafts regarding her. Just miss her so much I'm gonna pick up the phone and call her, I know you are grieving as well again we're so sorry and shocked anything you guys need feel free to let us know Cheryl and Bill Bitters 704-910-9030

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**cheryl Bitters** - September 22, 2023 at 12:54 PM

GV

“ I am sorry for your loss. I was was able to share meals and laughter with your dad the past few years. I shared this with Bev and Ed through my parents Vern and Donna Voss. I was glad to share stories of hunting and fishing with Ed. I am glad both Bev and Ed had the opportunity to share some of my fishing and crabbing adventures at the table along with other Golden Boys and their family. Again sorry for your loss my prayers are with your family.  
Jerry Voss

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**Gerald Voss** - September 19, 2023 at 03:35 PM

DH

“ I am so sorry for your loss, your Dad called regularly to see how I was doing and he would tell me how he was doing. He seemed to be doing ok and seemed to be getting his life back, with a new and different way . I loved both your parents and thought highly of them, we had a lot of good times and lots of laughs. They will both be sadly missed. ‘My deepest sympathy Denice Hollingshead

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**Denice Hollingshead** - September 18, 2023 at 09:31 PM

JS

“ Dear Ed, Rob and Brian,  
We all will miss your dad. I knew him only briefly at family gatherings but always enjoyed his company. We discussed politics and history which was invigorating. Both Melody and I are saddened by the loss of mom and dad, we send your our prayers and love to you all and the grandkids.  
Melody and Jim Sheehan

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**jim Sheehan** - September 18, 2023 at 06:34 PM

BS

“ We were so sorry to hear of the loss of Bev, and then her husband, Ed. Our deepest condolences to all of their family. (Canadian cousins of Bev's) Boyd & Lynne Shanks

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**Boyd & Lynne Shanks** - September 18, 2023 at 04:29 PM