



Bruce Leo Troxell

June 12, 1933 - April 27, 2026

Bruce Leo Troxell, 92, passed away on Monday, April 27, 2026, at his residence in Cleona, PA. He is survived by his loving wife Betty J. (Zimmerman) Troxell, with whom he would have celebrated 74 years of marriage this year on November 15th.

Born in Lebanon, PA, on June 12, 1933, his family later moved to Hershey, PA where he grew up and graduated from Hershey High School.

Bruce was the son of the late Paul and Rose (Plasterer) Troxell. He spoke fondly of them, proudly talking about their work ethic, a work ethic he would later instill in all of his children. He passed on his wisdom to each one of them and their families during his lifetime.

Bruce was a Veteran of the U.S. Navy, serving as a sonar operator on the USS Latimer. After his service, he began a long career working for the Federal government as an inspector as part of quality control.

Bruce loved watching Penn State football, second only to his love of traveling with family. One of his fondest memories he talked about often was meeting Milton Hershey at 12 years old while caddying at the Hershey Country Club. In addition to his wife, Bruce is survived by four children: Karen L. Lintner of Lebanon, wife of Guy Lintner; Steven A. Troxell of Lebanon, husband of Carla Troxell; Gary B Troxell of Lebanon, husband of Judy Troxell; and Carol L Troxell of Hershey, wife of Nick Loftus. He is also survived by seven grandchildren: Rebecca (wife of Phil), Daniel (husband of Jess), David (husband of Crystal), Jennifer (wife of Andy), Thomas (husband of Courtney),

Joshua (husband of Megan) and Jacob; as well as five great grandchildren: Hunter, Gracie, Blake, Samuel, and Shelby. Bruce was preceded in death by three siblings: Paul Troxell, Donald Troxell, and Joanne Williams.

A graveside service with military honors will begin at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, May 14, 2026 at the Fort Indiantown Gap National Cemetery. Kreamer Funeral Home, Annville, is handling the arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, please support your favorite charity by making a donation.

Cemetery Details

Indiantown Gap National Cemetery

Indiantown Gap Road
Anville, PA 17003

Upcoming Events

Graveside Service

MAY 14. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ A wonderful guy i met a long time ago that always had words of wisdom for me as a very young person working at KINGS department store in Cleona , often talked to him their at kings when he was their for Betty. I'm sure he will be missed. DENNIS

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