



Wilfred "Fred" H. Creech

May 25, 1929 - August 13, 2023

Wilfred (Fred) H. Creech, age 94, of Chickamauga, Georgia, passed away August 13, 2023 at Rosewood Assisted Living.

Fred was born in Harlan County, Kentucky, the youngest son of Robert and Robbie Creech. He enlisted in the Marine Corps, and was in boot camp at the end of World War II. He served in the police action following the War, and continued to proudly serve his country for 22 years, through the Korean War and the Vietnam War, retiring in 1969 as Master Gunnery Sergeant.

After retiring from the Marine Corps, Fred moved to Virginia, West Virginia, Chattanooga, Tennessee, and finally Northwest Georgia, where he made his home for many years. Fred was a machinist, and was a machine shop foreman for Eureka Foundaries. He and his wife, Nancy, later relocated to Byron, Georgia, where he remained until her death. Fred then returned to Northwest Georgia, to Chickamauga, to live near his son.

Fred was a talented woodworker, a hobby he enjoyed for many years. He also enjoyed hunting and fishing, and spent many hours at Lake Weiss camping. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Nancy Nance Creech, his parents, two brothers, Robert (Bud) and Clayton, and his sister, Ruth Creech Wilson.

Left to cherish his memory are daughters, Pamela Browning and Cynthia Creech; son, Steven (Jada); stepdaughter, Charlotte Bryant (Harold); 11 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren, and 2 great great grandchildren.

A celebration of life will be held at 11:00 am on Saturday, September 9, 2023

at the Chickamauga City Cemetery with Military Honors provided by the U.S. Marine Corps.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

SEP 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

Chickamauga City Cemetery
Lee Ave.
Chickamauga, GA 30707