



# William "Ace" J. Himes

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## **William "Ace" J. Himes**

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**W**illiam J. "Ace" Himes, Jr passed away peacefully at his home on Friday, August 25, 2023. He was born on June 12, 1932, son of the late William and Grace (Lofland) Himes. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Elizabeth A. Himes and his sister, Isabelle Himes.

Bill graduated from Seaford High School in 1950. He was drafted into the Yankees minor league and was headed for spring training when a serious car accident ended his very bright career. Bill worked for Causeway Motors, however, in April 1952 he started working at the Dupont plant where he retired in April 1985. After retirement Bill and his beloved wife Libby enjoyed some traveling, but mostly he relished watching old cowboy movies and the Yankees on tv.

He was a member of the Church of Christ in Laurel, Delaware. Bill was a terrific husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather, and a great friend to all.

Bill is survived by his daughters, Bobby Ann Fox (Dave) and Bonnie Griffith (Mike) of Seaford. His grandsons Tony Jewell (Melissa), Ty Mills, Matt Mills (Deena), Alex Jewell, Justin Jewell (Alex) all of Seaford. His great grandchildren Trey Jewell (Kaitlyn) of Seaford, Anthony Jefferson and Michael Jewell of Bridgeville, Alaina Mills, Jalynn Jewell, Alivia Mills, Addison Mills, Alyse Mills and Jaxon Jewell all of Seaford. And a great-great grandson, Tucker Jewell of Seaford; and his nephew Jack Barry (Elinor) of Seaford.

The family would like to extend a heartfelt "thank you" to his care givers: Gail Johnson, Barry Green, Brinda Bailey, all the ladies from Jan's Caring Hands and to Vitas Hospice.

A grave side service will be held at Odd Fellows cemetery in Seaford, DE on Friday, September 1st at 11:00AM.

In lieu of flowers, the family request contributions to Vitas Hospice, 30265 Commerce Dr., Unite 202 Millsboro, DE 19966.



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Please sign the virtual guestbook located on the tribute page.



# Events

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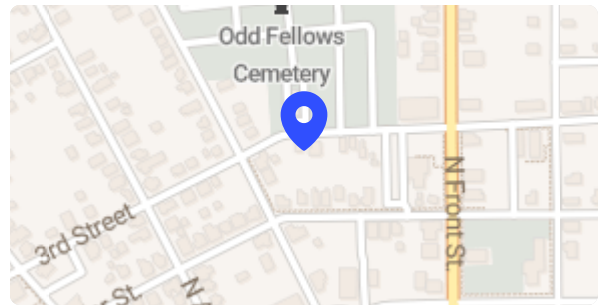
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## Graveside Service

 **Friday**, September 1, 2023

 11:00 AM ET

 **Odd Fellows Cemetery**  
513 3rd Street, Seaford DE 19973





## Tribute Wall

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BM

**Bill Mitchell** posted:

I was saddened to learn of Ace's passing! I enjoyed 25 years of working with Ace and the last 30+ years in retirement! Both he and Lib were my dear friends! I will never forget them and their passing will leave a void in my personal life! They will be missed! May they both rest in peace! To Bobby Ann and Bonnie my sincere condolences to both of you! Ace and Libby were great parents and you are truly blessed!

September 13 at 1:35 PM

CM

**Cheryl Macklin** lit a candle in honor of William "Ace".



September 8 at 6:08 AM

LJ

**Laura Jefferson** lit a candle in honor of William "Ace".



September 1 at 8:10 AM

BG

**Barry Green** lit a candle in honor of William "Ace".



August 29 at 4:29 PM

BB

**Brinda L Bailey** lit a candle in honor of William "Ace".



August 29 at 3:54 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring William "Ace" by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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