



## Patrick A. Shannahan

January 16, 1953 - August 28, 2025

Patrick Arthur Shannahan, age 72 of Cleveland, OH, passed away on Thursday August 28, 2025. He was born January 16, 1953 in Grand Forks, ND. Pat was preceded in death by his parents Charles and Shirley (née Strom) Shannahan, brother Scott Shannahan, and granddaughter Courtney Kovacs. He is survived by his brother Michael (Claudia) Shannahan, son Jay (Melissa) Shannahan, daughter Tracy (Todd Lycans) Kovacs, grandsons Christopher Kovacs and Austin Kovacs, and many cousins, nephews, nieces, grand-nephews, grand-nieces, and friends.

Pat previously served in the United States Navy aboard the USS Independence (CV-62) obtaining the rank of Petty Officer First Class, and earning the National Defense Service Medal. After serving his country he went on to become a journeyman repairman, a volunteer firefighter, and a certified emergency medical technician. He enjoyed spending time with his family, watching western TV shows and movies, riding motorcycles, walking his dog, and performing community service. He was always ready to help those in need, and will be missed by many.

A celebration of Pat's life will be announced at a later date and time. For any questions or messages for the family, please contact [Family.Shannahan@gmail.com](mailto:Family.Shannahan@gmail.com).

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in his memory to the Cleveland Animal Protective League in Cleveland, OH.

# Cemetery Details

## Ohio Western Reserve National Cemetery

10175 Rawiga Road  
Seville, OH 44273

# Events

**Details are pending.**

# Tribute Wall

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“ I'll never forget how he always took us kids, Jay, Tracy, Joe, Jerry, and me with him to the movies and chucky cheese! We always had fun with him! He was such an easy going and great guy!! He will be greatly missed!!



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**Valerie Mamick** - September 26, 2025 at 08:25 PM

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“ Karen Vetovitz lit a candle in memory of Patrick Shannahan



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**Karen Vetovitz** - September 18, 2025 at 07:22 PM