



## Victor Joseph Sharron, Jr.

July 15, 1935 - November 10, 2024

Victor (Bud) Sharron, 89, of Shawnee Hills passed away on November 10, 2024 at his home surrounded by his family who adored him and the wonderful staff at Capital City Hospice.

Bud was born on July 15, 1935 in Plattsburgh, NY to the late Victor Sr. and Pearl Sharron. He joined the United States Air Force when he turned 18 years old. He was sent to Korea just as the war ended in 1954. He was a medic and served the men who needed care in the aftermath. In 1955 he was assigned to Lockbourne AFB (Rickenbacker) near Columbus, OH to serve in the Emergency Room. At the same time and for the next few years he also spent time in Nelsonville, OH training pilots how to survive if the unthinkable occurred. There is a monument in Nelsonville today honoring him and others who dedicated their service to this training.

Bud met the love of his life, Joan Ellen Richards, and they were married in 1960 in Columbus, OH. In 1962 Bud was sent to continue his service at Ernest Harmon AFB in Stephenville, Newfoundland Canada in the ER. He was then transferred to the AFB in Plattsburgh, NY where he continued work in the ER and established the Allergy and Immunization clinic. After 20 years of service, he retired from the United States Air Force.

Retirement brought him back to Columbus where he worked for a local

allergist and then with Blue Cross/Blue Shield. He attended St. James the Less Catholic Church and St. Peter Catholic Church in Columbus.

Bud and “Joanie” as he called her, spent their retirement years together roller skating, taking day trips around Ohio (he loved to drive his cars), flying on his Flight Simulator and spending time with family and friends. He will forever be remembered as fun-loving, silly and easy to talk to. His grandkids and great grandkids called him “Cuteness” and “Muffy.” He was happy to talk about anything and to anyone. His last days were spent sitting on his front porch and affectionately yelling out to all his neighbors passing by. He will be greatly missed by all.

Bud is preceded in death by: daughters, Catherine Mary Sharron and Anne Marie Kennedy. Also, sisters, Bonnie Ledwith and Marilyn Hoffman.

He is survived by his wife, Joan; children, Judy (Joe) Davis, Barb (Brian) Catt and Mike (Megan) Sharron; grandchildren, Justin Riley and Kelli (Scott) Hall, Jamie (Matt) Chaffin, Joey (Nicole) Davis, Christopher (Kristen) Catt, Danielle (Justin) Catt, Eva and Landon Sharron. Also nine great grandchildren with a tenth on the way.

Family will receive relatives/friends and the “best neighbors ever” on Tuesday, November 19, 2024 from 2-4 and 6-8 pm at Rutherford Funeral Home at Powell, 450 West Olentangy Street, Powell, OH 43065. A Mass of Christian Burial will be Celebrated on Wednesday, November 20, 2024 at 10 am at St. Peter Catholic Church, 6899 Smokey Row Road, Columbus, OH 43235 with Fr, Victor Mendez Cano as Celebrant. Entombment will follow at Resurrection Cemetery, 9571 North High Street, Lewis Center, OH 43035.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to: Tunnel to Towers w [www.t2t.org](http://www.t2t.org). To send an online condolence, please visit: [www.rutherfordfuneral](http://www.rutherfordfuneral)

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# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

9571 North High Street  
Lewis Center, OH 43035

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 19. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Rutherford Funeral Home at Powell  
450 West Olentangy Street  
Powell, OH 43065  
(614) 792-1471  
info@rutherfordfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com/>

## Visitation

NOV 19. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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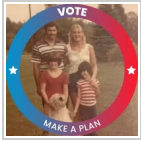
## Mass of Christian Burial

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NOV **20**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter Roman Catholic Church  
6899 Smoky Row Road  
Columbus, OH 43235  
<http://www.stpetercolumbus.com/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Uncle Bud laughed at All my jokes and was always Principled.... Easy to Love and Respect.....We will miss you Uncle Bud!!*

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**Tim Ledwith** - November 27, 2024 at 10:09 AM

SS

“ *SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOST I ALWAYS ENJOY TALKING WITH BUD SUE SHAFER*

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**SUE SHAFER** - November 19, 2024 at 03:06 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Victor Joseph Sharron, Jr..*



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November 19, 2024 at 08:47 AM

VM

“ *So sorry for your loss. He was a good guy. I know what you're going thru as I lost my husband on Nov. 1st. God bless you Virginia Miller*

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**Virginia Miller** - November 18, 2024 at 08:18 AM



*Good Bye My Uncle and Friend!!!*

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**Tim Ledwith** - November 27, 2024 at 10:11 AM

SB

“ *My deepest condolences, I am so sorry for your loss.*



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**Susie (Stack) Braskett** - November 17, 2024 at 07:15 PM

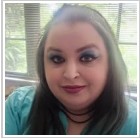
PW

*We were so sorry to hear of Buds passing. He was always smiling and happy, showing life is what you make it. He enjoyed it to the fullest. We will miss him, but never forget him.*

*Bob & Patty Weikert*

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**Patty Weikert** - November 18, 2024 at 07:43 PM



“ *I love you always Bud, you always made me laugh and smile on the worst of days. You were a light in a dim room. I will always cherish all the memories we had together as a family at family events. Sending all my love to Joanie my cousin and all the family. I love you all so so much. Love Christine Ramsey*

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**Christine Ramsey** - November 16, 2024 at 09:50 PM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,  
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,  
  
May your memories of Victor Joseph Sharron Jr., give you peace, comfort and strength...  
  
Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.  
My thoughts  
and prayers to the family of ....  
  
US Air Force Veteran, Victor Joseph Sharron Jr., is “A True American Hero” God Bless†  
  
† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †*

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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum** - November 16, 2024 at 07:27 AM

BM

“ *Bud’s neighbors are devastated but also feeling blessed that we got to know him. What a great person. So easy to talk to and after every conversation you always walked away with a smile on your face. All of our lives are enriched by having Bud and Joan in them. We love you.*

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**Brian Morgan** - November 15, 2024 at 08:33 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Victor Joseph Sharron, Jr..*



November 15, 2024 at 07:57 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Victor Joseph Sharron, Jr..

November 15, 2024 at 07:57 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Victor Joseph Sharron, Jr..*



November 15, 2024 at 08:53 AM



“ *Nicole Sobotka purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Victor Joseph Sharron, Jr..*



**Nicole Sobotka** - November 14, 2024 at 06:54 PM



“ *My condolences to my Ohio family. Love you all so much.*

**julie hoffmann** - November 14, 2024 at 06:45 PM

TB

“ Thank you for your service Mr. Victor Sharron.  
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Tracy Lynne Bonay - November 14, 2024 at 05:17 PM

TB

“ My sweet friend bARBARA, I'm so sorry about the loss of your father. There's no replacement for our daddies. My prayers are with you. He looks like a wonderful husband and father. Love you, dear.  
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Tracy lynne Bonay - November 14, 2024 at 04:52 PM

BC

Thank you Tracy. Your prayers are felt. I love you❤

Barbara Catt - November 19, 2024 at 10:30 AM

SC

“ Scott and Margarita Crow purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Victor Joseph Sharron, Jr..



Scott and Margarita Crow - November 14, 2024 at 02:25 PM

SC

“ Scott and Margarita Crow planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Victor Joseph Sharron Jr..

Scott and Margarita Crow - November 14, 2024 at 02:25 PM