

Billy Joe Ellison

April 4, 1928 – March 26, 2017

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Billy Joe Ellison, 88, of Ironton, passed away Sunday, March 26, 2017 at his residence.

The Bellepoint, West Virginia native was born April 4, 1928, a son of the late Erby D. and Muriel Brubaker Ellison. He was also preceded in death by his wife, Virginia Lee Thompson Ellison, who passed away January 8, 2017.

Mr. Ellison was a former machinist and teacher at the Ashland Community and Technical College and was a member of the Tri-State Baptist Church in South Point, Ohio.

In addition to his parents and wife, he was preceded in death by:
a son: Howard Ellison

He is survived by: a daughter: Susan Kerns of Ironton; a sister: Dorthea Capps of Florida; 6 grandchildren 15 great grandchildren and 4 great great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 1:00 PM Wednesday, March 29, 2017 at Phillips Funeral Home, 1004 South Seventh Street, Ironton, Ohio with Rev. Tim Jayne officiating. Burial will follow in Highland Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be Wednesday from 12:00 PM until the time of the service at the funeral home.

Donations may be made to the Community Hospice, 1480 Carter Ave. Ashland, KY 41101.