



## George Taylor Beckett

January 21, 1927 - April 21, 2020

George T. Beckett of Berkeley Square Retirement Community died April 21, 2020 at the age of 93. He was born January 21, 1927, in Hamilton, Ohio to G.K. and Dorothy Beckett. In 1948 he married Betty Melvin. Three sons were born to this marriage: Gary (Terri) Beckett, Steven (Laura), Beckett and Ronald Beckett. Betty preceded George in death in 1967. In 1968 he married Hazel DeCicco who brought to this marriage her daughter, Linda (Bob) Smith. Hazel preceded him in death in 1992. In 1993 George married Irene Matthews, who brought to this marriage Melissa Sedlis and Jeffrey (Martha) Matthews. George's grandchildren are Adam (Beth) Beckett, Geoffrey (Colleen) Beckett, Carley (Jose) Mercado, Travis Beckett, Ron (Jennifer) Beckett, Jonathan (Valerie) Beckett, Colin (Sarah) Beckett, Teagan (Yoshio Trinidad) Beckett, Evan (Mallory) Rossiter, and David Rossiter. Irene's grandchildren are Betsy (Jeb) Singer, Jennifer (Ben) Homrighausen, Julia Sedlis, Lisa (Jeremy) Collins and Amanda (Tim) Mecklem. Great grandchildren on include Thomas and Matthew Beckett, Leah and Stella Beckett, Noah, Joshua and Jennah Beckett, Marin, Gemma, and Camilla Mercado, Cohen Rossiter, Emma Trinidad-Beckett, Hannah and Matthew Mecklem and William and Zoe Singer. Preceding George in death were his sisters Jane Mohler and Barbara Welborn. He is survived by his brother Robert (Louise) Beckett of Orangeburg, SC. George was a graduate from Hamilton High School and the University of Cincinnati. He was traffic manager for Wright-Bernet Inc. for 37 years, retiring in 1990. Organizational

memberships included Hamilton Kiwanis, past President of the Hamilton Traffic Club, Benjamin Franklin Masonic Lodge #719, YMCA Indiana Guides Leader, Board Chairman for YMCA Camp Campbell Gard, Boy Scout-Youth and Adult Leader, The Greater Hamilton Civic Theater, and Board member of the Hamilton Fairfield Symphony Chorale. George was an elder in The Presbyterian Church and in the choir, Stephen Ministry, and a Fort Hamilton Hospital Volunteer for over 20 years. Memorials may be made to The Presbyterian Church, Berkeley Square, Queen City Hospice, or Fort Hamilton Hospital Foundation. A memorial service will be held at The Presbyterian Church at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 23, 2024. Online condolences are available at [www.weigelfuneralhome.com](http://www.weigelfuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

NOV **23**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

The Presbyterian Church  
23 S. Front Street  
Hamilton, OH 45013

# Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Irene,

*Your mutual love was so very obvious to all who knew you and George. The room would light up when you entered. He was an exceptional man and will be missed by all who knew him. God will give you the courage you need. Much love and respect, Jackie Parrish*

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**jackie parrish** - April 27, 2020 at 01:27 PM

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“ *I was so sorry to hear of George's passing. He was one of the good guys-kind, gentle, caring and a true gentleman in all of his dealings with people.*

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**Henry Cepluch** - April 27, 2020 at 12:59 PM

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“ *George a special person will be greatly missed. Condolences to the family*



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**Lois Jacobs** - April 26, 2020 at 11:24 AM