



Dean Bissinger

February 21, 1934 - September 18, 2025

Melvin "Dean" Bissinger, 91 years of age, of Hillsboro, Ohio, passed away on Thursday, September 18, 2025, at the Ohio Veterans Home, in Georgetown, Ohio.

Dean was born on February 21, 1934, in the Tranquility Community of Adams County, Ohio, the son of the late Glen and Sylvia (Hayslip) Bissinger. After serving in the United States Army during the Korean conflict, Dean worked as a machinist for more than twenty years at the National Cash Register company. Dean attended the St. Mary Catholic Church, in Hillsboro, Ohio. Dean is survived by his wife of sixty-seven years, Rita (Herceg) Bissinger, whom he married on August 2, 1958; his son, Brad (Michelle) Bissinger, of Marysville; and his daughter, Peggy (Richard) Neal, of Evendale. Dean will be deeply missed by his three grandchildren, Megan (Denny) Carlier, Kyle (Emily) Bissinger, and Garrett (Kaelynn) Bissinger, and six great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, Dean was preceded in death by his brother, Jerry Bissinger.

Family and friends may pay their respects during visitation on Tuesday, September 23, 2025, from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm, at the Lewis-Sullivan Chapel of the Wallace-Thompson Funeral Homes, in Seaman, Ohio.

Funeral services will be held following the visitation, on Tuesday, September 23, 2025, beginning at 1:00 pm, at the Lewis-Sullivan Chapel of the Wallace-Thompson Funeral Homes, in Seaman, Ohio. Rev. Terry Washburn will

officiate the service. Dean's burial will follow in the Cherry Fork Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial donations be made in Dean's name to the Ohio Veterans Home, 2003 Veterans Blvd., Georgetown, Ohio 45121, St. Jude Children's Research, the Shriners Children's Hospital, or the Presbyterian Church in Hillsboro, Ohio.

Funeral arrangements are being handled by the Lewis-Sullivan Chapel of the Wallace-Thompson Funeral Homes. Please visit us at www.wallacethompsonfuneralhomes.com to leave words of comfort for the family in our online guestbook.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **23**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Lewis-Sullivan Funeral Home
18029 State Route 247
Seaman, OH 45679

Funeral Service

SEP **23**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Lewis-Sullivan Funeral Home
18029 State Route 247
Seaman, OH 45679

Graveside Farewell

SEP **23**. 2:00 PM - 2:15 PM (ET)

Cherry Fork Cemetery
State Route 136
Winchester, OH 45697

Tribute Wall



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Dean Bissinger.* ”



September 22, 2025 at 06:37 AM



“ *Robert and Amy Lada purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Dean Bissinger.* ”



Robert and Amy Lada - September 21, 2025 at 11:33 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Dean Bissinger.* ”



September 20, 2025 at 04:11 PM



“ *Zeb and Ana Washburn purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Dean Bissinger.* ”



Zeb and Ana Washburn - September 20, 2025 at 10:56 AM