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Esteo "Wayne" Setty, age 85, of Peebles, Ohio, passed away peacefully on Saturday, November 1, 2025, at the Cincinnati VA Medical Center, surrounded by his family.

Wayne was born on September 4, 1940, in Peebles, Ohio, to the late Esteo and Bessie (Boldman) Setty. A proud graduate of Peebles High School, Class of 1958, he joined the U.S. Army shortly after graduation, where he honorably served four years and achieved the rank of sergeant.

After his military service, Wayne worked at McCall's Printing in Dayton, Ohio, before returning home to Adams County. He went on to build a long and dedicated career with the Adams County Water Company, where he worked faithfully until his retirement in 2002.

On September 16, 1961, Wayne married the love of his life, Sharon Lee (Johnson) Setty, and together they raised three children. He deeply loved his family and found his greatest joy in being a husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather.

Wayne enjoyed the simple things in life, spending time outdoors, gardening,

and visiting with friends and family. His favorite place was his cabin in Mineral Springs, where he could often be found surrounded by nature and the redbirds he loved to feed. Wayne was proud to serve his community. He served ten years on the Peebles Town Council and was mayor of Peebles, Ohio, from 2020 to 2024. He also served on the Board of Metropolitan Housing, where he worked to support and improve housing opportunities for local residents. Wayne enjoyed working alongside his fellow council members and took great pride in serving the community he loved.

Wayne is survived by his children, Terry (Roxanna) Setty, Timmie Setty, and Abbie (Brian) Neal; his sister, Karen (Tim) Williams; his nephew, Jordan Williams; his grandchildren, Trevor Setty, Treg (Clark) Setty, Haleigh (Andrew) Gosink, and Colin Neal; and his great grandchildren, Zander, Adria, Maddox, Carter, Rooney, and TJ. He is also survived by his special friend, Mary Samples.

He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Sharon; his parents, Esto and Bessie Setty; and his niece, Heather Shannon. Wayne will be remembered for his kind heart, steady presence, sense of humor, and the love he showed to his family and community. His legacy lives on in the lives of all who knew him.

Family and friends may pay their respects during visitation on Saturday, November 8, 2025, from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm, at the Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home, in Peebles.

Funeral services will be held immediately following visitation on Saturday, November 8, 2025, beginning at 1:00 pm, at Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home, in Peebles.

Burial will take place immediately afterward at Evergreen Cemetery, with Greg Couser officiating and a graveside service conducted by the Adams County

Military Honor Guard.

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

Previous Events

Family and Friends

NOV 8. 11:00 AM (ET)

Wallace-Thompson Funeral Homes
119 Rarden Road
Peebles, OH 45660

Funeral Service

NOV 8. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RS

“ So sorry to hear of the passing of Wayne, I only remember Wayne some as a kid and growing up. He was a nice guy and all I ever remember is that he married into the Johnson Family and that my family, the Shiveley's and Johnson's was and have been neighbors down in the springs for years. Prayers and comfort for the days ahead.



ReSheena Shiveley - November 10, 2025 at 11:34 AM

PC

“ Prayers and God's Blessings to Wayne's family. May the memories you shared be a comfort to you in the day s ahead.
Pat

Pat Copley - November 08, 2025 at 09:23 AM

SH

“ Sorry to hear of the loss of your loss in the passing of your Father. Prayers and Sympathy go out to all. Sorry I am out of town and won't be able to attend funeral services. Stephanie Harper

Stephanie Harper - November 08, 2025 at 09:18 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Esto "Wayne" Setty.



November 07, 2025 at 03:54 PM

PC

“ Peach Mountain Church planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Esto "Wayne" Setty.

Peach Mountain Church - November 07, 2025 at 03:54 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Esto "Wayne" Setty.



November 05, 2025 at 05:32 PM

RM

“ So sorry to hear of your dad, Abby. He was a hoot and I adored working for him cutting trees for the village. I will miss him telling me stories, especially the ones of he and my grandma when they were in school. Sending you lots of love and my deepest, most sincere condolences <3 Love you so much

Ryan Moehlman - November 04, 2025 at 03:41 PM