



Douglas McFarland

March 27, 2026

Douglas L. McFarland, 78, of Mountville, PA found peace on March 27, 2026. Born in Salunga, he was the son of the late George W. and Charlotte R. (Hiestand) McFarland. Doug was married to Sherry Lee (Hershberger) McFarland.

Doug graduated from Hempfield High School and served our country in the U.S. Navy as a member of the Seabees. He served active duty in the Vietnam War. Upon his return, he worked for Alcoa as a truck driver for 40 years. He was known as a human GPS.

In his free time, Doug enjoyed tinkering in his workshop, particularly with woodworking. He enjoyed hiking and wandering through the woods. His sons fondly remember a 3-week west coast road trip that was embarked upon. He was a Christian and lived a very healthy life.

In addition to his wife Sherry, Doug is survived by his sons from a previous marriage, Bret D. McFarland (Michelle) of Lancaster, Wade V. McFarland of East Petersburg and his son whom he shares with Sherry, Joshua M. McFarland of Columbia, PA. In addition, he is survived by his grandchildren, Lauren, Sean, Evan, Ryan, Adriana, Alexander and Nicholas as well as a brother, Dennis McFarland. He was preceded in death by his sister, Deborah Herbert.

A Graveside Service will take place at Conestoga Memorial Park, 95 Second Lock Road, Lancaster, PA on Friday, April 3, 2026 at 11:00 a.m. with Reverend Dale Parmer officiating. Red Rose Honor Guard will provide military honors.

Previous Events

Graveside

APR 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

Conestoga Memorial Park
95 2nd Lock Rd
Lancaster, PA 17603

Tribute Wall

DA

“ So sorry to hear of your loss Sherry. Doug was so kind & caring. I know you will miss him greatly. I pray for God to fill the emptiness in your heart.

Dawn - April 03 at 04:32 PM

SH

Thank you Dawn.
Yes.

Sherry - April 07 at 02:37 PM

SH

“ May we find comfort in the love we shared with Uncle Doug and strength in supporting one another. Keeping you all in my thoughts and sending love as we remember and honor him.

Stephanie (McFarland) Haus - April 01 at 06:24 PM

SH

Thank you Steph. Doug will be missed. Its been rough.

Sherry - April 02 at 04:27 PM

JM

“ Doug will be missed! A kind, soft spoken, and hard working man. I enjoyed our talks. Sincere condolences to his sons and their families and to his wife. Love, Judy, sister in law.

Judy McFarland - April 01 at 08:13 AM

SH

Love to you too Judy

Sherry - April 02 at 04:28 PM

CZ

“ Doug was a good friend and co-worker. Never one to sit around and do nothing. He kept the warehouse in great order. He was always a good friend to talk with. A little over two years ago after I changed churches, I connected with him at church and talked to him almost every chance that I saw him there.

Chuck Zuck - March 30 at 10:04 PM

SH

Thank you Chuck!

Sherry - April 02 at 04:29 PM

DB

“ So sorry to hear of Doug’s passing. I remember his nice retirement party thrown in honor of his years of service. Doug was always very soft spoken and kind. My sincere condolences to his family. Deb Bledsoe

Deb Bledsoe - March 30 at 04:07 PM

SH

Thank you Deb.

Sherry - April 02 at 06:06 PM