



Dean Nelson

April 2, 1941 - July 27, 2006

Francis Dean Nelson, 65, Topeka, died Thurs., July 27, 2006.

Mr. Nelson was born Apr. 2, 1941 in Topeka, the son of Dean and Betty Surbaugh Nelson. He attended Assumption Grade School. After graduating from Hayden High in 1959, Dean joined the US Navy where he served his country until retirement in 1989. Dean was a member of the American Legion.

Survivors include his mother, Betty Nelson, Topeka; his brother, James Nelson and his wife Sharon, Olathe; one niece and two nephews, six great-nieces and one great-nephew. He was preceded in death by his father.

Family will greet friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Monday at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd., Topeka KS 66614. A parish rosary will be prayed at 7:00 p.m. Monday at the funeral home. Mass of Christian Burial will be Tuesday at 10 a.m. at Assumption Catholic Church. Burial will follow at Mt. Calvary Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions are suggested to VA Hospital, Topeka, KS sent in care of the funeral home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Dean Nelson*

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“ *I am very sorry to hear about Dean passing away. I lived on the 400 block of E 8th and attended school with Dean. He was a year ahead of me but we did do a few things with each other. I did see him about 15 years ago when he was on leave in Topeka. I will keep him and the family in my prayers.*

Larry Leinacker - July 30, 2006 at 10:43 AM