



## Edwin H. Hanson Jr

May 26, 1924 - March 16, 2014

Edwin H. Hanson, Jr., 89, of Olathe, Kan., died Sunday, March 16, 2014, at Providence Hospital surrounded by his loving family. Edwin served his country in the U.S. Marines from 1942 to 1945 and was part of a demolition squad in the Gilbert and Marshall Islands and was in China when WWII ended. Later he became a member of the American Legion in Olathe, Kansas in which his name remains on a commemorative brick. After 40 years of service as a Switchman/Brakeman at the Union Pacific Railroad, he retired in 1986. Edwin was also a member of the Masonic Lodge #96 and of the Christian Science Church. He was preceded in death by his parents, Edwin H. and Hazel Hanson; brother, Robert Hanson and sister, Margaret Ann Hanson, and survived by his wife of 64 years, Verna Hanson; sisters, Wilma Neblock and Gretchen Richart; his three sons, Daniel Hanson, Mark Hanson, and Edwin H. Hanson III; six grandchildren and two great grandchildren, and many beloved nieces and nephews. Because of his warm and loving kindness for all, he will be truly missed. Memorial services will be 1 p.m. Thursday, at Maple Hill Funeral Home where the visitation will begin at 11:30 a.m. Inurnment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Maple Hill Cemetery

2301 S 34th St  
Kansas City, KS 66106  
(913) 262-6610  
info@maplehillfuneralhome.com

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAR 20.** 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Maple Hill Funeral Home  
3300 Shawnee Dr  
Kansas City, KS 66106  
(913) 831-3345  
info@maplehillfuneralhome.com  
<https://maplehillfuneralhome.com>

## Memorial Service

**MAR 20.** 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery created a Tribute Video in memory of Edwin H. Hanson Jr*



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**Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery** - March 16, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Edwin H. Hanson Jr*

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October 08, 2023 at 10:59 AM



“ *Edwin H. Hanson Jr*

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September 17, 2022 at 08:24 PM



“ *We wish to express our deepest sympathy to the Hanson family. Please know we are thinking of you during this difficult time.*

*Don and Angie Capps*

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**Angie Capps** - March 22, 2014 at 07:38 PM

Jl

“ I remember Ed lovingly as a member of our church. I didn't know him until the last few years but couldn't help but feel his love for family, church, and country when we would visit. I'm sorry I can't celebrate his life with you on Thursday as I will be out of town. Condolences to all his family  
Jackie Ives

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**Jackie Ives** - March 19, 2014 at 09:13 AM

JB

“ I love you Ed, you are so kind and sweet and dear to me, I loved sitting with you at church. I am thinking of you. Janna

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**Janna Bridges** - March 18, 2014 at 07:17 PM

BM

“ I am grateful for the life of Mr. Hanson. Thanks to his service and to the service of others in our armed forces, my family and I have been able to lead our lives in freedom and peace.

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**Bob in Grandview, Missouri** - March 18, 2014 at 05:19 PM

JG

“ I worked with eddie at the car wash he was a good honest kind man, we shared many good laughs together. I am sure he will be missed by a lot of people . JOHN GATES



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**john gates** - March 18, 2014 at 01:08 PM

ML

“ Always found Ed to be a gentleman, a fine man to do business with, one with a good sense of humor, & one very proud of family. Mike Logan

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**Mike Logan** - March 18, 2014 at 11:54 AM