



Gene B. Baldwin

November 8, 1944 - June 25, 2026

Gene B. Baldwin, 81, of Zanesville, passed away Thursday, June 25, 2026, at his son's home in Canal Winchester. He was born Wednesday, November 8, 1944, in Zanesville, the son of James H. Baldwin and Mabel M. (Menhorn) Baldwin. He married Carolyn S. (Farley) Baldwin on Sunday, July 26, 1970, and was a member of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Gene was employed with Big Bear South, retiring after many years of service. He was a Cleveland Indians Fan, Ohio State Buckeyes Fan, and enjoyed golfing, bowling, and really enjoyed his candy, and Conn's Potato Chips. Gene was a huge Zanesville Blue Devils supporter.

Gene is survived by two children, Kevin (Penny) Baldwin, and Jennifer (Ryan) McAuley; five grandchildren, Jo Baldwin, Abigail Baldwin, Jack Baldwin, Mitchell Coty, and Caroline Coty; one sister, Cheryl Grissett, and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Gene was preceded in death by his wife, Carolyn Baldwin; two siblings, Ron Baldwin and Jim Baldwin.

Friends may call 4:00 to 7:00 PM, Thursday, July 2, 2026, at the Hillis Combs Funeral Home, 935 Forest Avenue, Zanesville. Funeral Services will be held 11:00 AM, Friday, July 3, 2026, at Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, 128 South 7th Street, Zanesville, with Pastor Gary Richard officiating. Visitation will be held one hour prior to services from 10:00 AM till 11:00 AM. To sign the online register book or to send a personal condolence note please visit www.hilliscombsfh.com.

Upcoming Events

Visitation

JUL 2. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Hillis Combs Funeral Home
935 Forest Avenue
Zanesville, OH 43701
(740) 452-5494
directors@hilliscombsnestor.com
<https://www.hilliscombsnestor.com>

Visitation

JUL 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church
128 South Seventh Street
Zanesville, OH 43701

Funeral Service

JUL 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

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128 South Seventh Street
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Tribute Wall

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“ Gene was one of the nicest Guy I knew. We lived across the street from him and Carolyn and they was great people. Every year at Christmas time Gene was decorating and got me in the mood to do it. He will be greatly missed by those who knew him and family. Prayers Kevin and Jennifer.

Evelyn Smith - 1 hour ago

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“ Worked with Gene and Brother Ronnie at times recorder back in the early 1960's Both were really nice guys always called Gene Frog

Tom Davis - 1 hour ago