



## Gerald A. "Jerry" Nickeson

January 30, 1948 - January 21, 2017

Gerald A. "Jerry" Nickeson, 68, of Hornbrook, PA and Fort Lauderdale, FL passed away Saturday, January 21, 2017 at his home in Florida following a heart attack. "Jerry" as he was known by his family and friends was born in Elmira, NY on January 30, 1948 the son of Donald E. and Marian P. Hill Nickeson. He was a graduate of Athens Area High School class of 1966 and subsequently pursued his education in Horticulture with Penn State University. Jerry owned and operated Nickesons's Greenhouse in Hornbrook for many years until retirement. Jerry enjoyed spending his winter months in Florida and summer months at Hornbrook.

His family includes his sister and brother-in-law, Kay and Archie Needels of Chemung, NY, brothers, Kenneth Nickeson of Grand Island, FL, Lynn Nickeson of Hornbrook, niece, Kim Needels, nephew, Brian Needels, uncle, Chuck Rubert of Towanda and numerous cousins. The family will receive friends Saturday, January 28, 2017 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Maryott-Bowen Funeral Home 217 York Ave. Towanda, PA with funeral service following at 1 p.m. Interment will be in the Hornbrook Cemetery, Sheshequin Township, PA. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions may be directed to the American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 11454, Alexandria, VA 22312 in Gerald A. Nickeson's memory.

Memories and condolences may be expressed by visiting [www.bowenfuneralhomes.com](http://www.bowenfuneralhomes.com).



# Cemetery Details

## Hornbrook Cemetery

Towanda, PA 18848

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 28. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Maryott-Bowen Funeral Home  
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Towanda, PA 18848  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Gerald A. "Jerry" Nickeson

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ Gerald A. "Jerry" Nickeson

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ Gerald A. "Jerry" Nickeson

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ Gerald A. "Jerry" Nickeson

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ Gerald A. "Jerry" Nickeson

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM



“ A trip to Jerry's greenhouse was always a treat. He was so knowlegable, no matter which strange plant one asked about. For many springs he helped me with specimens for the Towanda Public Library flower sales. He gave my daughter a summer job and contributed to her love for gardening. He was always helpful with his suggestions. He was a very nice human being. Condolences to Jerry's family.

LaVaughn Chenot - February 12, 2017 at 10:47 AM

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“ Jerry was one of the kindest people in our AHS class of '66. Our 9th grade biology class had a wildflower project that spring, and Jerry's parents invited our class to spend the day collecting wildflower specimens from their fields. That day is one of my favorite school memories. I'm so glad that Jerry's life contained horticulture and Hornbrook.

*Carol Foster*

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**Carol Foster** - January 29, 2017 at 02:42 PM

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“ Prayers and peace to the Nickeson family.

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**Vicki Nickeson** - January 28, 2017 at 08:21 AM

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“ Nickeson Family, Our Family have great memories of going to Jerry's greenhouse to get our garden needs every summer. We will always cherish Jerry's smile and friendship. Our Love and Prayers to you all, Yale Family (Ramon & Patricia Yale & children)

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**Rebecca Ammerman** - January 27, 2017 at 07:50 AM