



Maurice Henshaw Heiskell

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Maurice Heiskell, born on May 25, 1931, passed away on January 28, 2026, leaving behind a legacy of service, dedication, and a life well lived.

Maurice was a proud graduate of McKinley Technical High School in Washington, D.C., Class of June 1949. After graduation, he began working for Gulf Oil Corporation as a gasoline service station attendant. In February 1951, during the Korean Conflict, he enlisted in the United States Navy. He completed boot camp at Great Lakes Naval Training Center in Illinois and volunteered for aviation duty.

He attended Aviation Fundamentals School at the Naval Air Technical Training Center (N.A.T.T.C.) in Jacksonville, Florida, followed by Aviation Machinist's Mate School at N.A.T.T.C. in Millington, Tennessee, where he proudly graduated first in a class of 151. Maurice was subsequently stationed at Anacostia Naval Air Station in Washington, D.C., serving on the flight line as a plane captain on World War II-era propeller-driven aircraft. He later transferred aboard the aircraft carrier U.S.S. Midway, where he performed aircraft maintenance duties and served in the ship's Master-at-Arms Force. He was honorably discharged in February 1955.

Following his military service, Maurice returned to civilian life and resumed work as a service station attendant for a Gulf Oil Corporation dealer. He later joined Western Electric Company as an installer of central telephone office switching equipment. After briefly resigning to pursue self-employment as an independent Gulf Oil dealer—and later trying his hand at direct sales in insurance and Fuller Brush products—Maurice returned to Western Electric in early 1961. There, he advanced to the highest hourly-rated position and, in December 1970, was promoted into management as a Product Quality Associate in the Quality Assurance Organization. Around 1980, he received another promotion to Product Quality Specialist. Maurice accepted an early retirement offer and retired on December 29, 1989, after 29 years of dedicated service.

Maurice was active in many organizations throughout his life, including the American Motorcycle Association (A.M.A.), the D.C. Ramblers Motorcycle Club of Fort Washington, Maryland, the



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National Horseshoe Pitching Association (N.H.P.A.), the American Bowling Congress (A.B.C.), and the Amateur Bowlers Tour. He was a member of the Glen Burnie, Maryland Moose Lodge, participated in pool leagues, and served as a team captain and player in the Association of Pool (T.A.P.) Pool League.

An enthusiastic competitor, Maurice earned many trophies, plaques, and awards while enjoying activities such as dirt track motorcycle racing and hill climbs, tenpin and duckpin bowling, horseshoe pitching, and pool. He was also an avid fisherman, hunter, and enjoyed playing golf.

Maurice Heiskell will be remembered for his strong work ethic, love of competition, and commitment to service, family, and community. His life reflected perseverance, curiosity, and a deep appreciation for the pursuits he loved.



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Anthony Manning shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

It's hard to put into words what someone like Skip meant to all of us, but I feel so grateful to have had the time I did with him. I have so many fond memories with Skip, but some of my favorites were simply sitting and listening to him tell a story. He could be talking about something that happened 65 years ago and still remember every detail — the month, the weather, the time of day. He'd tell it with his eyes half-closed, like he wasn't just remembering it... he was right back there, watching it all happen again in his mind. It always amazed me that at 94 years old, he could recall those moments so clearly. Meanwhile, I can barely remember what I did last week. I truly loved hearing his stories, and I feel so honored to have gotten to know Skip better over these past three years and to have grown so close to him. I will miss him dearly, and he will always hold a very special place in my heart. And I think one of the greatest gifts he leaves behind is those stories, those memories, and the love we'll continue to carry with us every day.



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David Heiskell shared 17 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

My Dad lived a long and storied life and the attached photos are only a small fraction of the wonderful memories we have of him. His generosity and humor will never be forgotten. We were so blessed to have had him in our lives for as long as we did.



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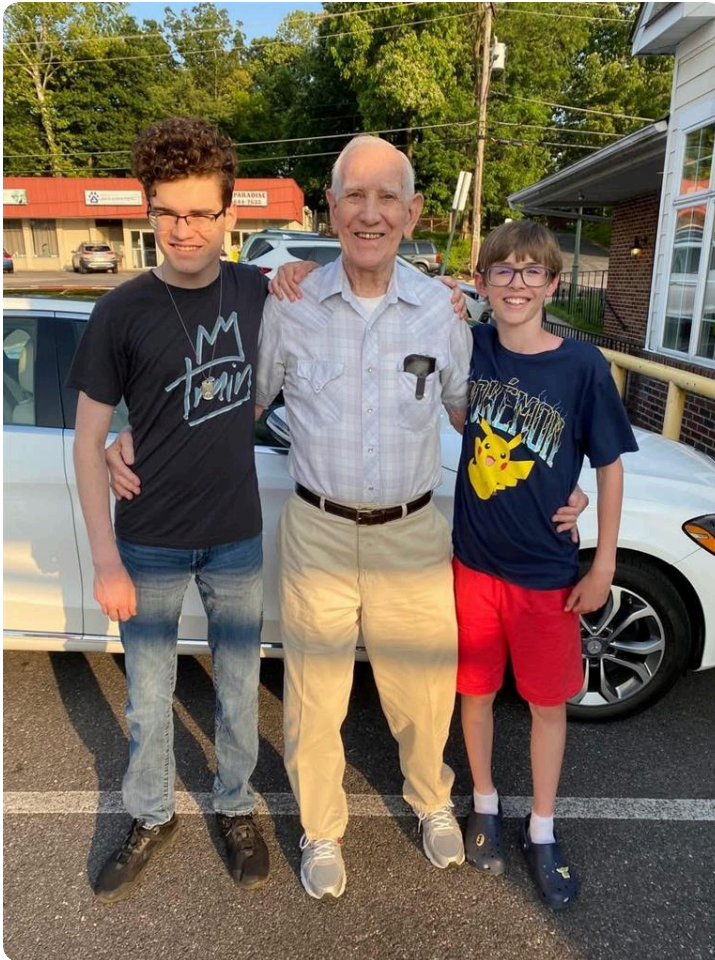
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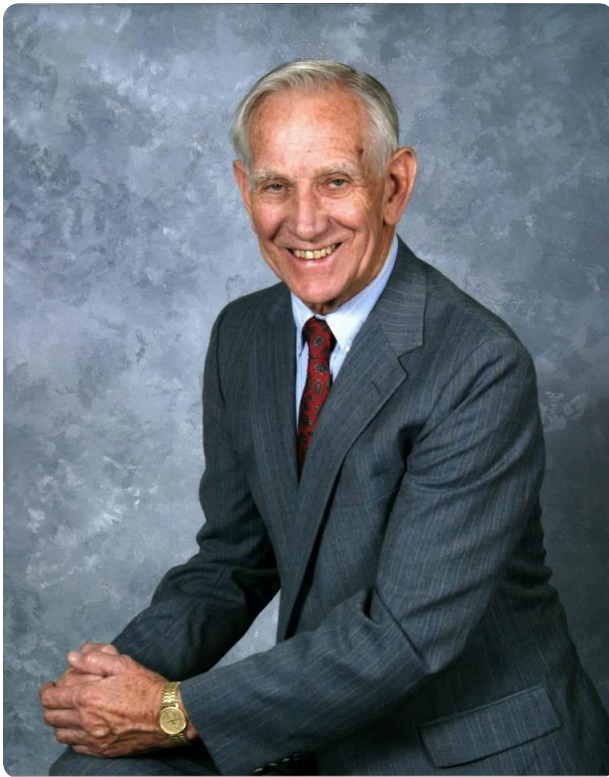




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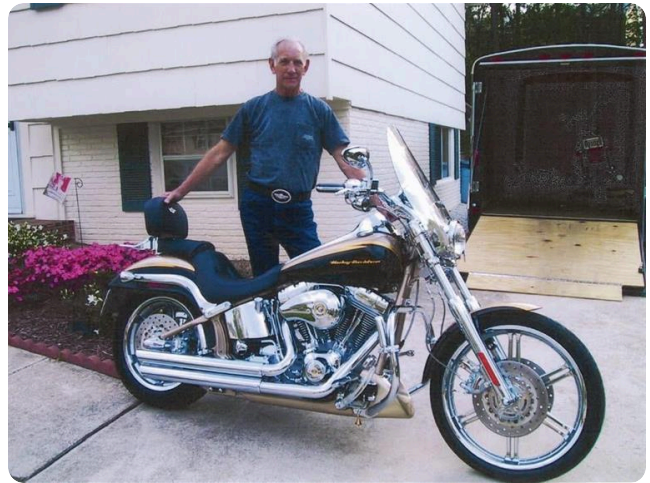




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