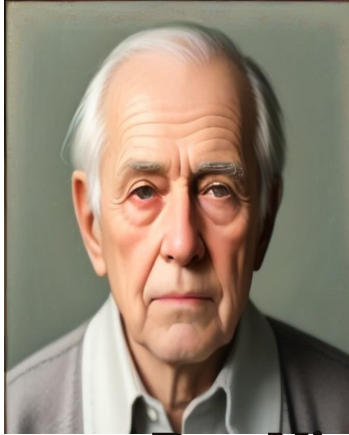




Clarence Ray Nielsen

February 21, 1940 - September 7, 2026

Charleston, West Virginia

Clarence Ray Nielsen died in Charleston on September 7, 2026. He was 86. Born on February 21, 1940, with Danish-American roots that shaped the table more than the flag. He learned early that a day is something you finish, not something you wait for.

He turned hours into checks that fed hollows. An adding-machine ribbon saved for lean months; miners trusted his math more than rumor. Colleagues still mention an adding-machine ribbon he saved.

He married Imogene in 1965. They kept a house that stayed modest when the neighborhood did not. They raised a son through public schools and ordinary weather. After Imogene died in 2019, he kept the routines that still made sense: the walk, the garden, the Sunday call.

Neighbors remember a porch light left on for anyone walking home late. He liked early mornings before the heat or the noise. He died in Charleston, among streets he never needed to explain. The porch still expects a returning step.

Services

A memorial gathering in Charleston with coffee afterward. In lieu of flowers, a gift to a local workers' fund, clinic, or neighborhood library is welcome.

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