



Frederick A. Walter

September 12, 1937 - October 14, 2014

Frederick Alan Walter, 77, formerly of Rensselaer, passed away unexpectedly October 14, 2014, at St. Joseph Regional Medical Center, Mishawaka, IN. Born September 12, 1937, he was the son of the late Edward and Mildred (Borntrager) Walter. Also preceding him in death were a son, Edward Walter; and his first wife, Mary Ellen (Gehring) Walter.

On May 21, 2011, Fred married his high school sweetheart, Judith Strole, after 53 years of being apart. She survives.

Also left to cherish his memory are three children, Ann (Mike) Malaker of Kansas City, MO, Philip (Jennifer) Walter of Arlington Heights, IL and Dennis Walter of Chicago; two step-children, Lori (Mark) Dollinger of South Bend and Leslie (Michael) Yadavia of Michigan City; daughter-in-law, Becky (late Christopher) Antcliff of Granger; siblings, Carol (Robert) Hullings, Rev. William Walter and Phyllis (Richard) Crone; two grandchildren, Nathan and Zachary; and seven step-grandchildren, Lauren, Kaitlyn, Jaclyn, Kristyn, Stephen, Hannah and Lianna.

Fred was a wonderful and loving husband, father, and grandfather. He had a lot of faith in God and handled each hardship with grace. He taught that to his children, as well. He was a graduate of Saint Joseph College, a proud Army Veteran and a Knights of Columbus, 4th Degree. He was an avid Chicago Bears and Notre Dame Football fan. He was a quiet man who showed his love more by actions than words. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Friday, October 17th, at St.

Pius X Catholic Church at 3:30 P.M. with visitation in the church one hour prior.

Visitation will be held at the Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer Sunday, October 19th, from 3:00 to 7:00 P.M. CDT with Rosary Services being conducted at 7:00 P.M. Funeral services will be held at the Jackson Funeral Chapel Monday, October 20th, at 11:00 A.M. CDT with Father William Walter officiating. A private burial will follow.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Calvary Cemetery - Rensselaer

Mt. Calvary Cemetery
Rensselaer, IN 47978

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 19. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer
250 N. McKinley Avenue
P.O. Box 70
Rensselaer, IN 47978
(219) 866-5123
info@jacksonfuneral.com
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Rosary

OCT 19. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Service

OCT **20**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

CJ

“ I've lost my H. S. buddy, Fred was the brother I never had. I feel so sad for Judy but so thankful they had each other for awhile. And all of Fred's family. Fred started his family later than the rest of us, right Classmates? I'm sad that his grandchildren won't be able to spend their growing up years with their grandfather. Fred is such a great friend and such a gentle and kind man.
Fred, I'll be seeing you again someday.
Love,
Darla-Deane (Jones) Haas

Craig Jackson - October 20, 2014 at 10:26 AM

JG

“ Dennis, Phil & Jen, Mike & Ann
We are so sorry to hear of Uncle Fred's passing. He was loved by everyone and always had words of encouragement to give. He will be missed. You are in our thoughts and prayers.



Jim & Tammy Gehring - October 19, 2014 at 05:42 PM

KM

“ Thinking and praying for the Walter family during this difficult time. Fred was a very sweet and wonderful man. I remember at family get togethers he would always make a point to speak to everyone. He will be missed, but he will live on inside everyone that he met.

(Mary Ann (Walter) Stockberger's daughter)

Kristy Miller - October 19, 2014 at 05:11 PM

JS

“ *Jerry And Carol Spall lit a candle in memory of Frederick A. Walter*



Jerry and Carol Spall - October 18, 2014 at 05:28 PM

BC

“ *Uncle Fred. Thank you for being part of my life. You were there to push me and expect more out of me. And for that I say thank you and you will be missed.
Say Hi to Aunt Mary for me.
Brent Crone*

Brent Crone - October 18, 2014 at 10:01 AM



“ *Peace Eternal Wreath was purchased for the family of Frederick A. Walter.*



October 18, 2014 at 08:08 AM

SC

“ *For Fred to find happiness again, it is sad that it has been taken away again.
Fred was a quiet, gentle man. A friendly classmate. You'll be missed.
Sandra Culp RHS '55*



Sandra Culp - October 16, 2014 at 08:03 PM

CM

“ Fred and I were close friends in grade school, and RHS. I always said that had it not been for Fred I would have flunked bookkeeping in High School. He was a gentleman, a great guy, and I will miss him.
Chuck Miller RHS "55"



Chuck Miller - October 16, 2014 at 04:26 PM

MS

“ Mary Ann (Walter) Stockberger lit a candle in memory of Frederick A. Walter



Mary Ann (Walter) Stockberger - October 16, 2014 at 03:13 PM

BF

“ Bethel Ford lit a candle in memory of Frederick A. Walter



Bethel Ford - October 16, 2014 at 02:01 PM