



Aloysius A. "Al" Kraus

March 4, 1927 - December 21, 2016

Aloysius A. "Al" Kraus, 89, of Waverly, NY passed away Wednesday, December 21, 2016 at the Elderwood Nursing Facility in Waverly. Al was born at his grandparent's home in Rozellville, WI on March 4, 1927 the son of Otto Kraus and Gertrude VanDerLoo Kraus. In early years, Al worked on the O'brien Farm and at the Grand Union Market in Waverly. He was later employed by PAXAR in South Waverly and the Erie Lackawanna Railroad which became Conrail until his retirement. Al served as the dedicated caretaker of St. James Cemetery in Waverly for 56 years until his retirement in 2009. He assumed great pride, paying attention to detail and was always willing to be of helpful assistance to others in caring for the cemetery. Al was a member of St. James Catholic Church, Waverly, the Stamp Club at the St. James School, and Knights of Columbus. Al had a passion for gardening and enjoyed working crossword puzzles.

Al's family includes; 5 children; John (Patti) Kraus of West Springfield, MA, Mary (Randy) Benjamin of Waverly, William Kraus of Waverly, Joe (Paula) Kraus of Athens Township, Michael Kraus of Waverly, 9 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren, brothers, Adolph (Marion) Kraus of Marshfield, WI, Donald Kraus of Hewitt, WI, Otto (Vicki) Kraus of Cottage Grove, WI, several nieces nephews and cousins. In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his wife Agnes Driscoll Kraus in 1972, great grandson, Austin Campbell, daughter-in-law, Ann Kraus, and sisters-in-law, Kathleen Driscoll and Marjorie Kraus.

The family will receive friends Tuesday, from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Alteri-Bowen Funeral Home, 314 Desmond St. Sayre, PA. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Wednesday, December 28, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. at St. James Catholic Church, Waverly, NY. Burial will follow in St. James Cemetery, Waverly. The family suggests that contributions may be directed to St Jude Children's Research Hospital, P.O. Box 1000, Dept. 142, Memphis, TN 38101-9908 in Al's memory. Memories and condolences may be expressed by visiting www.bowenfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

St. James Cemetery

161 Elm Street
Waverly, NY 14892

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 27. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Alteri-Bowen Funeral Home
314 Desmond Street
Sayre, PA 18840
(570) 888-2113
info@bowenfuneralhomes.com

Service

DEC 28. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. James Cemetery
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Waverly, NY 14892

Tribute Wall



“ Aloysius A. "Al" Kraus

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ Aloysius A. "Al" Kraus

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ Aloysius A. "Al" Kraus

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ Aloysius A. "Al" Kraus

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ Aloysius A. "Al" Kraus

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM



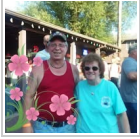
“ *Sending my sympathies to all of my cousins, John, Mary, Bill, Joe and Mike. Uncle Al was a great Uncle to me and after I had my girls he was just as wonderful to them in so many ways. Too bad living in Wisconsin limited our times together but we always tried to make the best of the time we did have. Rest in Peace Uncle Al you will truly be missed by many.*
Diane Bauer (Kraus)

Diane Bauer - December 28, 2016 at 12:28 PM

CJ

“ Our sympathies are with you and your family Joe. Love, Cricket, Logan and Joe

Cricket, Logan & Joe - December 28, 2016 at 08:56 AM



“ To all the family of Al Kraus so sorry for your loss he will be missed by all the was great person and loved his concerts at Tioga Downs

Gloria Lincoln - December 27, 2016 at 12:52 PM

RC

“ Kraus Family...My thoughts and prayers are with you. Al was a very kind, giving person, and his children are definitely a reflection of his legacy. God Bless!

Ron Cole

Ron Cole - December 27, 2016 at 11:50 AM

PS

“ Patty & Ron Schloendorn purchased the Simply Lily for the family of Aloysius A. "Al" Kraus.



Patty & Ron Schloendorn - December 26, 2016 at 02:56 PM



“ *Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Aloysius A. "Al" Kraus.*



December 26, 2016 at 10:21 AM



“ *Growing up in Wisconsin we didn't have much interaction with Uncle Al, but he always sent us Highlights Magazine to show he was thinking of us! Such a small example of what a great man he was! I will always remember Uncle Al for that! Requiesce in Pace... Te amamus!*

kevin - December 26, 2016 at 07:52 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Your father was a good man. Lorie Kelley Petrosky*

Lorie Kelley - December 25, 2016 at 08:46 AM



“ *Thinking of you in these difficult days, with the loss of your father and grandfather*

Julie Obrien - December 24, 2016 at 02:52 PM

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“ *Julie Obrien lit a candle in memory of
Aloysius A. "Al" Kraus*



Julie Obrien - December 24, 2016 at 02:51 PM

DL

“ *We wish to send condolences for your loss.*

Sincerely The Lamberti and Shedden Families

Dennis Lamberti - December 23, 2016 at 03:35 PM