



Frank W. Baumgartner

June 11, 1931 - March 4, 2015

Frank W. Baumgartner, 83, of 102 S. East St. Sayre, PA passed away Wednesday morning, March 4, 2015 at the Robert Packer Hospital in Sayre. Frank was born in Milton, PA on June 11, 1931 the son of Cecil and Naomi Berkheimer Baumgartner. He was a graduate of Milton High School class of 1949 and later served with the U.S. Air Force in Okinawa, Japan during the Korean War. Following completion of his military service, Frank was employed as an Arthur Murray dance instructor in Savannah, GA. On November 15, 1958 he married the former Wilma Shoemaker at the Church of the Epiphany in Sayre.

Frank was employed by the Lehigh Valley Railroad and later by Conrail for a total of 30 years until his retirement. He was a member of the Church of the Epiphany and a life member of Skiff-Bower VFW Post No. 1536 Sayre. Frank looked forward to social gatherings with friends he worked with on the railroad. Frank was a man of inovative ideas who enjoyed working on his home and antique clocks. He will be remembered for his unique ability to repair almost anything and for his jokes and sense of humor. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Wilma Baumgartner, children, Julianne Wright and husband William "Bill" of Sayre, Marilee Brabson and husband George of Royersford, PA, Frank M. Baumgartner of Sayre, Rebecca VanAlstine and husband James of Barton, NY, Eric Baumgartner and wife Tina of Fuquay-Varina, NC, Jeremy Baumgartner and wife Stephanie of Beaverton, OR, Libby

Seyfried and husband Daniel of White Hall, PA, grandchildren, William Wright, Evan and Sydney Brabson, Emma and Charlotte Baumgartner, Sarah and Rachel VanAlstine, Kiersten and Sean Baumgartner, Alanna, Leah, and Alexa Baumgartner, Matthew, Lindsey and Noah Seyfried, brother and sister-in-law, George and Sandy Foust of Milton, PA and several nieces, nephews and cousins. In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by brothers, Ron and Cecil Baumgartner and a sister, Clara Stahl.

A mass of Christian burial will be celebrated Saturday, March 7, 2015 at 10:30 a.m. at SS Peter and Paul Catholic Church, Third St. Towanda, PA with Rev. Edward Michelini as celebrant.

Interment will be at a later date in the Ascension of Our Lord Ukrainian Catholic Cemetery, Athens Township, PA. Arrangements are under the direction of the Alteri-Bowen Funeral Home 314 Desmond St. Sayre, PA. There are no calling hours. Memories and condolences may be expressed by visiting www.bowenfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Ukrainian Catholic Cemetery

345 Herrick Ave
Sayre, PA 18840

Previous Events

Service

MAR 7. 10:30 AM (ET)

S.S. Peter & Paul Roman Catholic Church
106 Third Street
Towanda, PA 18848

Tribute Wall



“ *Frank W. Baumgartner*

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ *Frank W. Baumgartner*

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ *Frank W. Baumgartner*

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ *Frank W. Baumgartner*

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ *Frank W. Baumgartner*

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Frank W. Baumgartner.*



March 06, 2015 at 01:43 PM

RF

“ Good memories of the Baumgartner family when I was growing up in Sayre...my sympathies to Frank jr.

Ron Fiorello - March 05, 2015 at 05:25 PM

CB

“ Uncle Frank was a kind, loving man. He had a great sense of humor. He treated me and my siblings as his own. My thoughts and prayers are with Aunt Willie and the family. Sorry I'm so far away and can't be with you at this time. I'm glad I got to see Uncle Frank when I was up there 2 years ago with Christine. He had a great life and raised a great family. Love you all. Carrie

Carrie Wasielewski Boose - March 05, 2015 at 02:50 PM

SS

“ Frank has always been a wonderful neighbor. My thoughts and prayers are with Wilma and the entire family. God Bless Shirley Spears

Shirley Spears - March 05, 2015 at 10:30 AM