



Alex J. Kocher

March 17, 1930 - July 16, 2024

Alex J. Kocher, 94, of Mentor, died July 16, 2024 at his home. He was born March 17, 1930 in Amherst, Ohio.

A U.S. Army veteran who proudly served his country during the Korean War, Alex worked as an electrician at General Motors for many years. He enjoyed cooking, making beer with his family and he enjoyed traveling, especially to Florida and Georgia and telling stories of his childhood and his time spent overseas in the Korean War.

Alex was known for always being able to fix anything brought his way and was always willing to lend a helping hand. He loved a good party, making people laugh and he ate just as much of the favorite dishes he made.

Survivors include his wife, Anna (nee Klancar) Kocher; children, Karen (Gary) Olson, Janet (Joe) Latterner, Alex Kocher, and Marlene (John) Schmidt; step children, John (fiancée Heather Crozier) Rann, and Brian (Jessie) Rann; grandchildren, William (fiancée, Sarah McNary) Blashford, and Alexander (fiancée Samantha Ritner), Nicholas, and Camryn Kocher; great grandchildren, Noah (Sierra) Blashford and Elijah Blashford; great great grandchild, Jackson Blashford; step grandchildren, Brianna, Brooke, Blake, and Brody Rann, Dominik Honarvar and Marissa Mount; and his in laws, Dorothy Kocher, Raymond (Susan) Klancar, and Rosemary Klancar.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Steve and Elizabeth Kocher; and his brother, Kenneth Kocher.

Private family inurnment will be held at Ohio Western Reserve National Cemetery at a later date.

Arrangements entrusted to the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH 44060.

Please offer condolences at www.brunners.com.

Cemetery Details

Ohio Western Reserve National Cemetery

10175 Rawiga Rd.
Seville, OH 44273
(330) 335-3069

Tribute Wall



“ To the Step Children and step grandchildren and especially to Annie. The impact he had on your lives, the memories over many years- these will be special moments that you can share. He is a part of you and will always be with you. Kate Varholick (Henry Rann)

Kate Varholick - July 20, 2024 at 02:02 PM

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“ RIP Alex, you were always a fun guy to be around. Glad you came into our lives and made memories with us that won't be forgotten. So sorry for your loss Anne, John, Brian and Kocher Family. He was a keeper and won't be forgotten. Love your cousin Pat Owens.



Pat Owens - July 19, 2024 at 12:42 PM