



Anthony E. Zalar

April 10, 1934 - May 23, 2019

Anthony E. Zalar, 85 of Kirtland, passed away Thursday, May 23, 2019 at home, surrounded by his family. He was born April 10, 1934 in Onnalinda, PA to the late Anthony and Mary Zalar.

Tony was devoted to his family and community. He was a 43 year resident of Kirtland and a founding member of Divine Word Catholic Church. He graduated from Collinwood High School and attended Kent State University where he was an accomplished athlete. He proudly served in the US Army (Korea) and with the Cleveland Police Department where he retired as a homicide detective. After retirement, he lived a life of service helping form the Divine Word Holy Name Society, where he served as president. He was also active in the Kirtland Kiwanis (former president), the St. Vincent DePaul Society, and served as Lay Minister at his church. He was honored as the Cleveland Diocese's Holy Name man of the Year. He lived a full life actively engaged in the lives of his family and friends especially his grandchildren. He loved to travel, was a sports enthusiast, and an avid golfer.

Survivors include his beloved wife of 59 years, Donna (nee: Shaw) Zalar; children, Anthony G. (Rosemarie) Zalar and Tanya (Dale) Boling; grandchildren, Anthony and Katherine Zalar and Matthew, Michael, Lauren, and Steven Boling; brothers, Kenneth (Margie) and Eugene Zalar.

Preceding him in death are his siblings Daniel Zalar and Arline (Zalar) Deming.

The family will receive friends from 4-8 pm, Tuesday, May 28, 2019 at Divine Word Catholic Church, 8100 Eagle Rd., Kirtland, OH 44094.

A funeral mass will be held at 10 am, Wednesday, May 29, 2019 at the church. Interment will be in All Souls Cemetery, following the mass.

Contributions may be made in memory of Anthony Zalar to the Divine Word Holy Name Society, 8100 Eagle Rd., Kirtland, OH 44094.

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

Offer condolences at www.brunners.com

Cemetery Details

All Souls Cemetery

10366 Chardon Rd.
Chardon, OH 44024
(800) 582-6850

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 28. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Divine Word Church
8100 Eagle Rd.
Kirtland, OH 44094
(440) 256-1412

Funeral Mass

MAY 29. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Tony, I was very sorry to hear about the passing of your father. Deepest sympathy to you and your entire family.
Rick & Charie Trivisonno



Rick Trivisonno - May 28, 2019 at 01:47 PM

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“ Tony, so sorry to hear about the passing of your father. My condolences go out to you and your entire family.

Mark Miazga

Mark Miazga - May 28, 2019 at 11:43 AM



“ Simply Chic Mixed Plant Basket was purchased for the family of Anthony E. Zalar.



May 26, 2019 at 09:28 AM