



Arthur "Art" H. Emser

March 14, 1930 - January 20, 2017

Arthur "Art" H. Emser, 86, passed away peacefully and surrounded by family on January 20, 2017 at his home of 48 years in Mentor. He was born March 14, 1930 in Cleveland, Ohio.

Art was a mechanical design engineer with National Acme for 26 years and one of the early pioneers of acoustical engineering. He was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean Conflict serving as a percussionist with the U.S. 49th Army Band in Austria. He was 40-year member of Musician's Local 657 as a drummer in several bands including the Velvetones Dance Band in 50s and 60s. Art loved camping, fishing, grandkids, bowling, dancing and meticulously coordinating all details for social gatherings and celebrations.

Survivors include his wife of 58 years, Elaine (nee Wolf); children, Sandra (John M.) Appeldorn, Arthur F. (Patricia Pritts) Emser, and Deborah (Thomas) Sedgwick; grandchildren, Andrew, Gerilyn, Thomas, John and Samantha; sister, Genevieve Kelly; brother, Kenneth; and many extended family members.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Frank and Edna Emser; sisters, Hazel, Caroline, Margaret and Betty; and brothers, Robert, Edward, and Frank, Jr.

Family will receive friends from 4-8 pm on Thursday, January 26, at the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH. Funeral Mass will be held at 10 am on Friday at St. Mary of the Assumption Church, 8560 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH. Please meet at the church. Private family inurnment will be at Mentor Cemetery at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Heartland Hospice Memorial Fund. To share a memory or offer condolences, visit www.brunners.com.

Cemetery Details

Mentor Cemetery

6881 Hopkins Rd.
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 974-5733

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **26**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center
8466 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3401
ajs@brunners.com
<https://www.brunners.com/>

Funeral Mass

JAN **27**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary Of The Assumption Church
8560 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3404
<https://stmarysmentor.org/>

Tribute Wall

JB

“ We wanted to extend our deepest sympathies to Debbie, Tom, and the entire family. Please know that you are all in our hearts, our thoughts, and our prayers!

Jami & Ralph Bell - January 24, 2017 at 05:18 PM

MK

“ To Sandy, Samantha and the whole Appeldorn family, our sincere sympathy on the passing of your beloved father and grandfather. May he rest in peace and may you be comforted with many fond memories. Micky Keogh

Micky Keogh - January 24, 2017 at 01:31 PM

CF

“ Charles and Carol Pritts and family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Arthur "Art" H. Emser.



Charles and Carol Pritts and family - January 23, 2017 at 08:53 PM

MS

“ I also never had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Emser, but I have had the pleasure of knowing his son. Art is the reflection of his family values and morals that I am sure are from his father. I am very sorry for your loss and my prayers and best wishes are with you and your family.

Mary Sams - January 23, 2017 at 04:39 PM



Thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family!

Mark Maltry - January 23, 2017 at 05:29 PM

BB

My sincere sympathy to the family of Mr. Emser. I got to know Sandy and Samantha who were both involved in St. Noel's choir. My prayers are with you all. Treasure all the good memories you shared.

Betty Buehner - January 26, 2017 at 03:10 PM

 Nancy
Inman

“ *Though I never had a chance to meet Mr. Emser, I do have the pleasure of knowing his son, Art Emser. I feel the senior Mr. Emser had to be filled with love for family, career, and life because it reflects in his greatest work of all, his family. I'm very sorry for your loss, yet grateful such a wonderful man walked among us. May you all find comfort in healing through warmest memories and embraces from those who love you.*

*Sincerely, Nancy Inman
Jim Belding Monuments
of Madison*

Nancy Inman - January 23, 2017 at 10:12 AM