



Joseph L. Zuzek Sr.

February 17, 1934 - December 19, 2024

Joseph L. Zuzek Sr., 90, of Mentor, passed away December 19, 2024 at the David Simpson Hospice House, Cleveland. He was born February 17, 1934 in Painesville, to the late John and Josephine Zuzek.

Joseph was a veteran and proudly served in the U.S. Navy. He was a machinist by trade and retired from Caterpillar. He enjoyed golfing and most of all, dancing the polka at the American Slovenian Club-Fairport Harbor, OH, where he was an active member.

Survivors include his wife, Linda Rogaliner; sons, Joseph (Christine) Zuzek Jr., Mark Zuzek and Steven (Kathleen Meritt-Zuzek) Zuzek; grandchildren, Nicholas (Jamie) Zuzek, Anthony (Keishanda) Zuzek, Christopher (Amanda) Zuzek, Holly (Phillip) McGrath, Jennifer (Carl Piunno) Zuzek, Lydia Zuzek, Angela (fiancé, Donovan Barandi) McArthur, Joshua Taylor, Katelynd (fiancé, Jarod Kenney) Taylor, Anthony (Melita) Meritt and Christopher (Christal) Meritt; many loving great grandchildren; step-children, Colleen (Robert) Waterman-Moore, Greg Waterman and Brad (Julie) Waterman; many step-grandchildren and step-greatgrandchildren and many other loving family members and friends.

Preceding Joseph in death are his wife, Marjorie Zuzek; daughter-in-law, Sharon Zuzek and several siblings.

A funeral mass will be 10:00 a.m., Friday, December 27, 2024 at. St. Justin Martyr Catholic Church, 35781 Stevens Blvd., Eastlake, Ohio 44095. Please meet at the church. Burial to follow at Willoughby Memorial Gardens, 35781 Stevens Blvd., Eastlake, Ohio 44095. Please meet at the grave.

Offer condolences to Hospice of the Western Reserve, P.O. Box 72101, Cleveland 44192 or donate online at www.hospicewr.org. Donations may also be made to Alzheimer's Association Cleveland Area Chapter, 3 Summit Park Drive, #550, Independence, OH 44131

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

Offer condolences at www.brunners.com

Cemetery Details

Willoughby Memorial Gardens Cemetery (Plains Rd. Cemetery)

38650 Lake Shore Blvd.
Willoughby, OH 44094
(440) 953-4360

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

DEC 27. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Justin Martyr Church
35781 Stevens Blvd.
Eastlake, OH 44095
(440) 946-1177

Tribute Wall



“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Christine Zuzek - December 26, 2024 at 05:24 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph L. Zuzek Sr..



December 26, 2024 at 08:49 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joseph L. Zuzek Sr..



December 23, 2024 at 08:44 PM