



Walter 'Walt' Marchewka

March 3, 1927 - November 20, 2021

Walter 'Walt' Frank Marchewka, 94, formerly of Belle Vernon (Redtown), passed away peacefully on Saturday, November 20, at Uniontown Hospital following a brief illness. Walt was born into a large family on March 3, 1927, in Monessen, the son of the late Walter and Bernice Marchewka. A 1945 graduate of Monessen high school, Walt served his country as an MP at the end of World War 2. He then went on to work at Page's Wire Mill and as a mechanic in a few garages in the Mon Valley. In the 1960's, he opened his own garage, Walt's Auto Repair and serviced customer's vehicles for 30 years. On April 15, 1966, he married Patricia Swartz. He adopted her 3 children and then were blessed with 3 more sons. They were married for 22 years until her passing in 1989. Walt enjoyed camping, cooking, gardening and was skilled at woodworking. Friends and family would often receive gifts of the things he made. Being a mechanic by trade, Walt never had a problem he couldn't solve. He belonged to the Belle Vernon Russian Club, the Belle Vernon Moose, and Hungarian Club of Pricedale, where he was a beneficial member for 63 years. His biggest joy in life was spending special moments with his family. Surviving to cherish his memory are his children; Stephen (Heather) Marchewka of White Oak, Laurie (Bob) Duvuvei of North Charleroi, Walter "Boo" (Maureen) of Jefferson Hills, Joel "JP" (Amber) of Mt Lebanon and Shawn (Terri) of Charleroi. Grandchildren; Heather (Brian) Fisher, Jason (Michelle) Marchewka, James Gwynn, Curtis Gwynn, Gail (Bob) Powell, Lee (Melanie) Gauden, Jesse Duvuvei, Brandi Duvuvei, Samuel Marchewka,

Parker Marchewka, and Simon Marchewka. Walt will also be forever remembered by his numerous nieces, nephews, extended family and friends. In addition to his wife and parents, Walter is preceded in death by; siblings Marion "Curly" Marchewka, Harry Marchewka, Edward Marchewka, Sophie Kusenko, Sabina Dzimiera, Emily Matta and Bernice Lewandowski. a daughter, Karen Gauden and son-in-law, Les Gauden. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 P.M. Tuesday in the Ferguson Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc., 700 Broad Avenue, Belle Vernon. www.FergusonFuneralHomeAndCrematory.com 724-929-5300. Funeral services will be in the funeral home on Wednesday at 10 A.M. with Bill Weightman, Pastor of the Laurel Hill Presbyterian Church officiating. Interment will follow in Belle Vernon Cemetery. The family would like to extend their gratefulness to the staff at the Residence of Whitehall for their loving care to Walter.

Cemetery Details

Belle Vernon Cemetery

1000 Broad Avenue
Belle Vernon, PA 15012

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 23. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Ferguson Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc.
700 Broad Avenue
Belle Vernon, PA 15012
(724) 929-5300

Visitation

NOV 23. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

NOV **24**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

HC

“ *My deepest sympathy. Love, Heidi*

heidi clark - November 24, 2021 at 01:14 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Walter 'Walt' Marchewka.*



November 22, 2021 at 01:56 PM

TF

“ *The Kimball Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Walter 'Walt' Marchewka.*



The Kimball Family - November 22, 2021 at 11:57 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Walter 'Walt' Marchewka.*



November 22, 2021 at 11:49 AM

BS

“ *Being the father of my best friend, Walt had been part of my life since 1968.
So many great memories since that time!
His presence will be greatly missed, but the positive things of his character and heart live on in the lives of his children, grandchildren and family.
You are all in our thoughts and prayers!
Bill Starnes*

Bill Starnes - November 22, 2021 at 10:24 AM

BF

“ *Bill and Debra Starnes and family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Walter 'Walt' Marchewka.*



Bill and Debra Starnes and family - November 22, 2021 at 10:12 AM

MB

“ *Our deepest sympathy to your family from ours. Uncle Walter to me was always so very very special; he was my godfather and wore the title very well. I still have jewelry he gifted me with; thinking about him each time I wear them. Our thoughts and prayers to you and yours as we celebrate his life. Marianne Buyny*

Marianne Jo Buyny - November 22, 2021 at 09:03 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Walter 'Walt' Marchewka.*



November 22, 2021 at 09:02 AM



“ *Steve, Jason & family. My sympathy to you in the loss of your father. Back in the day, Walt was the person who always inspected my car. Remember him well.*

Bernadette Zunic - November 22, 2021 at 07:55 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Walter 'Walt' Marchewka.*



November 21, 2021 at 03:19 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Walter 'Walt' Marchewka.*



November 21, 2021 at 02:04 PM