



Harry D. Bleacher

July 3, 1936 - December 19, 2018

Harry D. “B-Pop” Bleacher, age 82, of New Providence, died Wednesday, December 19, 2018.

Born in Drumore Township, he was the son of the late William Dewey and Marybell Dorwart Bleacher.

Harry’s working career started as a child working on the farm. He then had been employed by High Steel Structures for 2 years, Mechanical Welding in Peach Bottom for 17 years and then Buck Iron for 4 years. From 1990 to the present, he was a self-employed contractor.

Active in sports throughout his life, Harry was a member of the YMCA where he was involved with the wrestling program and served as a coach for both Solanco Elementary Wrestling and Solanco Football. He is listed in the “Solanco Hall of Fame” for his participation in the school’s sports programs. He was also a member of the Mt. Nebo Sportsmen’s Association.

He was a member of St. Paul Church in Quarryville.

Harry enjoyed going to his cabin in Clearfield County.

He is survived by his 3 children, Harry D. Bleacher, Jr. of Lampeter, Dewey W. (Nadine) Bleacher of New Providence, and Kevin K. Bleacher of Peach Bottom; his soul mate Lorraine Franklin; 3 step children, Kim and Harry Thompson of West Grove, Donna and Danny Fisher of Gap, Dave and Stephanie Franklin of NC; 7 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren; 5 step grandchildren; 12 step great grandchildren; and 2 brothers, Chris Bleacher, Grant Bleacher.

He was preceded in death by 4 siblings, Bob Bleacher, Bill Bleacher, Ben Bleacher, and Nettie Waltman.

The family wishes to thank Brad and Drea Savage and Meghan Housekeeper for the excellent care they extended to Harry during his illness.

At Harry’s request, there will be no services. Arrangements entrusted to Reynolds Funeral & Cremation Services, Inc., Quarryville, PA. To send an online note of condolence, please visit our website at reynoldsfuneralhome.net.

Comments



“ uncle harry you will be missed always you were always fun to be around . laughing and joking and having fun . love always you niece shelia

shelia twyman {waltman} - December 23, 2018 at 08:40 PM



“ I will always remember Harry's easy-going, friendly personality. I can vividly remember Dewey, Harry's father, singing in at Mechanic's Grove Brethren Church. Harry was a very quiet, private man but always would greet you with a smile and a friendly, "how's it going?" I will miss running into Harry at various restaurants and other places of business. He would always recognize me and smile. I will miss this mentor and friend.

Sincerely, Michael Jacob Lloyd

Michael Lloyd - December 23, 2018 at 07:11 PM



“ Sorry for your loss, Kevin you were such a good son when he was in the hospital when my mother was in. Prayers for you and your entire family and may you always hold his memories in your hearts. Sincerely, Colleen



Colleen DeFranco - December 21, 2018 at 09:37 AM



“ Dawn Sitkowski lit a candle in memory of Harry D. Bleacher



Dawn Sitkowski - December 20, 2018 at 03:30 PM



“ Sorry for your loss. Thinking of you all.



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“ Roxanne Davis lit a candle in memory of Harry D. Bleacher



Roxanne Davis - December 20, 2018 at 01:48 PM