



## Paul A. Walter

October 5, 1943 - January 24, 2022

Paul A. Walter, 78, of Wapakoneta, died 6:35 p.m., Jan. 24, 2022, at Otterbein-St. Marys. He was born Oct. 5, 1943, in Wapakoneta, OH, the son of William & Florence (Hemmert) Walter, who preceded him in death.

Survivors include,

2 sisters-in-laws, Ina Walter, Wapakoneta,

Clara Walter, Delphos, OH;

nieces & nephews, Jerry (Deborah) Walter, Covington, OH,

Nicholas (Mary) Walter, Columbus, OH,

Angie Supinger, Pemberton, OH,

Mark (Kathleen) Walter, Bronx, NY,

Tony (Karen) Walter, Piqua, OH,

Christine (fiancée-Mark Fry) Hines, Wapakoneta,

Kathryn (Richard) Ernst, Leominster, MA,

Karen (Thomas) Duty, Sneads Ferry, NC,

Carmen (Mark) Klatt, Columbus, OH,

Kimberly (Dave) Wendling, Tipp City, OH,

Lara (Damian) Elking, Dayton, OH,

Connie Derr, Cridersville, OH,

25 grand nieces & grand nephews,

9 great grand nieces & great grand nephews.

In addition to his parents, Paul was preceded in death by his siblings and spouses, William (Ruth) Walter, Florence Walter, Marilyn (Jacob) Staats,

Richard "Bucky" Walter, Rita (Jerome) Sturwold, Janet (Norman) Klein, John Walter, and nieces, Kelley Wendeln, Marcee Sturwold, Mary Herzog, and nephew, Jimmy Walter.

Paul had worked at Ohio Decorative Products, Spencerville from 1969- 1981. A 1963 graduate of St. Joseph High School, he was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Wapakoneta, where he was active with the Adoration Chapel. Paul was a veteran of The U.S. Army serving in Vietnam as part of the 981st Military Police. He was a member of the American Legion Post #330, the Fraternal Order of the Eagles Aerie #691, and the Vietnam Veterans of America Chap. 1126, all of Wapakoneta. He enjoyed reading and watching the Cincinnati Reds and The Ohio State University football and basketball. Paul also enjoyed spending time with his family and church friends. He was a kind man and loved by everyone who knew him.

Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m., Mon. Jan. 31, 2022, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Wapakoneta, with Rev. Sean Wilson officiating. Burial will follow in the St. Joseph Cemetery, Wapakoneta, where military rites will be conducted by the Wapakoneta V.F.W. Post #8445. The family will receive friends 2-5 p.m., Sun. Jan. 30, 2022, at the Eley Funeral Home & Crematory, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta. Memorial contributions to the charity of the donor's choice. Condolences may be expressed at [www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com](http://www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 30. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Eley Funeral Home & Crematory  
1102 Lincoln Ave.  
Wapakoneta, OH 45895  
eleyfuneralhome@gmail.com  
<http://www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com>

## Service

JAN 31. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Joseph Catholic Church  
Pearl Street  
Wapakoneta, OH 45895

## Burial

JAN 31 (ET)

St. Joseph Cemetery  
Wapakoneta, OH 45895

# Tribute Wall

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“ Jeff & Darlene Murray purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Paul A. Walter.



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**Jeff & Darlene Murray** - January 28, 2022 at 12:39 PM

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“ Connie Derr lit a candle in memory of Paul A. Walter



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**Connie Derr** - January 27, 2022 at 11:22 PM

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“ Jan Miller lit a candle in memory of Paul A. Walter



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**Jan Miller** - January 26, 2022 at 01:17 PM