



Ray A. Kerst

November 5, 1936 - May 16, 2017

Ray A. Kerst, 80, of Wapakoneta, died 6:33 p.m., Tues. May 16, 2017, at the St. Rita's Medical Center, Lima. He was born Nov. 5, 1936, in Wapakoneta, OH, the son of Raymond & Lillian (Kafitz) Kerst, who preceded him in death.

Survivors include,

2 children, Jane (Fred) Tweedy, Lewis Center, OH,

Jason Kerst, Copley, OH,

3 grandchildren, Alexandria Tweedy,

Brooke Kerst,

Vanessa Kerst,

a special friend, Donna Parsons and her daughter, Barbie, Spencerville, OH,

a sister, Ellen Stoll, Wapakoneta,

He was preceded in death by a brother-in-law, David Stoll.

Ray was a retired truck driver, who drove for Land O' Lakes. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army. He enjoyed WWII History, collecting cars, watches, clocks, and coins.

Funeral services will be 11:30 a.m., Sat. May 20, 2017, at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta, Pastor James Leach officiating.

Burial will follow in the Greenlawn Cemetery, Wapakoneta. The family will

receive friends from 4-8 p.m., Friday, at the funeral home. Memorials may be directed to the American Heart Association.

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Cemetery

Presar Road
Wapakoneta, OH

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 19. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Eley Funeral Home & Crematory
1102 Lincoln Hwy
Wapakoneta, OH 45895
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Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ Thoughts and prayers to the family. The Joseph's, Prosper, TX

Steve Joseph - May 23, 2017 at 08:28 AM

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“ From all of your family at the Lima Purina Mill purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Ray A. Kerst.



From all of your family at the Lima Purina Mill - May 19, 2017 at 07:58 AM

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“ Jan, Dave, Cindi, Val, Marlene & Laura purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Ray A. Kerst.



Jan, Dave, Cindi, Val, Marlene & Laura - May 18, 2017 at 02:02 PM