



Harry J. Brentzel

August 18, 1952 - December 21, 2020

Harry J. Brentzel, age 68, of Irwin, passed away at home on Monday, December 21, 2020. He was born August 18, 1952 in Greensburg, a son of the late William F. and Patricia J. (Mayers) Brentzel. He was a member of the Brush Creek Evangelical Lutheran Church in Irwin. Harry was an Army veteran that went onto work as a custodian for the Norwin School District before retiring. He enjoyed camping and loved spending time with his family and friends. In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by his brother Ralph Brentzel; and son-in-law James L. Brunson and Robert Thornton. He is survived by his loving wife of over 49 years Toni R. (Stajnrjajh) Brentzel; daughters Sherri L. Brunson and Christie M. (Greg) Shuttleworth; grandson Mason J. Brunson and Evan T. Jones; great-grandson Logan T. Jones; sisters Linda McCauley, Barb Griswold and Shirley Brentzel; sister-in-law Yvonne Balg and Sandy Hahn; brother-in-law Bruce Stajnrjajh and John Balog; nieces and nephews; and great nieces and nephews. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, there will be no visitation or service at this time. Arrangements handled by the William Snyder Funeral Home, 521 Main Street, Irwin, 724-863-1200. Memorial contributions can be made to Harry's family, and can be mailed to the William Snyder Funeral Home in care of the Brentzel family. For online condolences please visit www.snyderfuneralservices.com.

Tribute Wall



“ Harry J. Brentzel

October 07, 2023 at 10:37 AM



“ Harry J. Brentzel

August 23, 2022 at 04:00 PM




“ I have so many memories of hanging out with the Brentzels. Sherri is a friend from Kindergarten through High school. Playing in the playhouse in the backyard, or across the street under the big trees at their old house. Camping trips to Prince Gallitzin and countless sleepovers at the new house, where Harry would knock on the door, & check on us with some silly wisecrack about whatever we were doing. Harry (and Toni) treated me like a third daughter, truly. Harry always cracked jokes and made me laugh. I'll Always remember him smiling & laughing, drink in hand sitting in a lawn chair. Harry loved “his girls” (daughters & wife) and I really felt I was included in that. When offering Sherri my sadness at the news & appreciating how safe & happy I always felt at her home, she told me “ he loved you like another daughter”. That made me happy because I loved him too like a father. I am heartbroken and so sad for Toni, Sherri and Christy, the grandkids and everyone who will miss him. Harry, I'm glad that you are healed now. If you take a moment from the Great Party in Heaven to look in on your girls, I'd love if you'd be my Angel, too. Thank you for the love and laughs.



Sheila Shynski - January 03, 2021 at 09:14 AM

MM

“ I always enjoyed talking with him and listening to his stories. He always made me laugh! Hugs and prayers to you and your family❤️


Melissa Manns - December 28, 2020 at 09:30 AM

JH

“ HARRY ,, always a good guy ,, never a cross word , easy going ,, just like Ralph ,, knew them guys in the neighbor-hood ,, married a great GAL !!!! resting for-ever easy from these days on ,, James Heatley !!!!!!!!!!!

james heatley - December 25, 2020 at 01:17 AM

JD

“ I have so many memories i wouldnt know where to begin . Im going to miss the phone calls and the visits.

JEFFREY DEVEY - December 24, 2020 at 10:15 AM

PN

“ Our sincerest sympathy and prayers are with you Toni and your family. Harry leaves us with happy memories of campfires, Milwaukee's Best, and never ending belly laughs. Pat and Patty.

Pat Nolder - December 23, 2020 at 08:16 PM

MJ

“ Very sorry for your loss, with deepest sympathy, Michael Plumb Jr - Strawpump - USA

Michael Plumb Jr - December 23, 2020 at 04:09 PM

DJ

“ *Camping at foxes den, all the fun parties when we were young. May God give you all the strength you need at this time.*

Debbie Javor - December 23, 2020 at 02:05 PM

MK

“ *Toni so sorry for your loss he was a fighter and a lot of fun to be around we had a lot of good times prayers for your strength*

Mary and tom keaton - December 23, 2020 at 10:30 AM

RN

“ *My deepest sympathy to your entire family. May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow.*

Red Novotny - December 23, 2020 at 10:11 AM

CA

“ *Oh where to begin! Camping at Fox's Den dances camp abuse concerts in the park steeler parties at each other's homes. Autumn leaf in clarion oh my you will be missed!*

cathy - December 22, 2020 at 07:43 PM

CW

I have so many memories growing up at camp and each others houses. My parents best friend who became our family. I loved your corny jokes and the parties watching the bands at the park from your yard. I know mom had so great stories of you. You will be missed.


Casey Whitby - December 22, 2020 at 08:02 PM

 Sherri
Brunson

“ *Sherri Brunson lit a candle in memory of
Harry J. Brentzel*



Sherri Brunson - December 22, 2020 at 05:36 PM

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Miss you already dad. Love and prayers of peace to you.

Sherri Brunson - December 22, 2020 at 05:37 PM