



Richard P. Lewis

December 27, 1925 - November 10, 2009

Richard P. Lewis, 83, of Butler, PA, passed away Tuesday, November 10, 2009 at Butler Memorial Hospital.

He was born December 27, 1925 in Butler Co., PA who was raised by Agnes Lewis.

Richard was a veteran of the U.S. Army having served in WWII. He was a member of St. Paul's Catholic Church, the VFW Post #249 and a life member of Oneida Valley VFD. He retired from Castle Rubber after 35 years of service in February of 1989. He also had worked in the coal mines. In earlier years, he had played baseball for various teams in Butler County.

Surviving are his wife, Irene (Vargo) Lewis, whom he married November 25, 1947; 3 daughters, Shirley Lewis of Butler, Patricia & Gary Lumley of East Butler and Jane Lewis of Butler; a son, Daniel J. & Karen Lewis of Butler; 6 grandchildren and 2 great granddaughters; and daughter-in-law, Linda Lewis of Butler.

He was preceded in death by a son, Richard A. Lewis who died July 22, 1987 and a granddaughter, Michelle Dawn Lumley.

Friends will be received at Young Funeral Home, Ltd., 127 W. Jefferson St.,

Butler, on Wednesday, November 11, 2009 from 6-8PM and on Thursday, November 12th from 2-4 & 6-8PM.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Friday, November 13th at 10AM at St. Paul's Catholic Church, 127 N. McKean St., Butler.

Interment in the Calvary Cemetery, Butler. Military honors by VFW #249 and American Legion #778.

Tribute Wall



“ OUR LOVE AND PRAYERS ARE WITH THE ENTIRE LEWIS FAMILY.
TOM AND DEBBE SNOW##imported-begin##TOM AND DEBBE SNOW##imported-end##

November 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ The moment i met Pap I loved him. I was blessed to have him in my life for the past 3 years and even though that seems like not a long time. I Thank God even for that little bit that he gave me. Offically i only became family about two months ago when his grandson Scott and I got married, however Pap and the whole Lewis family have always welcomed me as so and for that I thank all of you. I wish we had more time together Pap but I love you and will miss you. Say hello to my Papa for me and always watch over us.

Love You

Jeannine##imported-begin##Jeannine Lumley##imported-end##

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“ I wish to express to Scott and the members of the Lumley and Lewis Families my very sincere sympathy on the passing of this "Old Soldier" and member of America's Greatest Generation. Scott; your grandfather set for you a strong example as a father and husband of 61years. Do your best to follow it, and make him and Jeannine proud.

John Fischer##imported-begin##John Fischer##imported-end##

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“ We would like to pass along our deepest and most sencere condolences to all of the family and friends. Our prayers are with you all.##imported-begin##Bob & Min Varljen##imported-end##

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“ May our Dearest Mother, Mary, cover you with her mantle of comfort and peace and may the Angels be near you to whisper that Pap is safe in the Hands of Our Savior. God's blessings be upon all of you. With our most heartfelt sympathy & loving prayers.##imported-begin##Cecelia & David Reagle##imported-end##

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“ "Pap" I miss you so much. I always knew that I should be prepared for a project when coming over to your house. It didn't matter if we were dragging logs out of the woods or fixing a chair. Did you know I was scared to be up high on a ladder, cutting those branches down in the trees? I enjoyed the time spent with you, and treasure the conversations we had while we tinkered. I love you, Lori##imported-begin##Lori Ceder##imported-end##

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“ Pap,

I never really ever told you how much you meant to me. Sure, we had our differences of opinions but I suppose in life you will meet people from all walks of life, all with different views. You were taken from us so quickly and I feel that I never really got to tell you how special you are and have been to me and that I truly appreciate all that you have done whether be in the open or on the sidelines. You have passed along your stubbornness which has kept me from settling for what I do not deserve, and for which I am forever grateful. You gave me a wonderful father who I'm not sure who I would be without him. Thank you for being a strong male role model in my life. I love you Pap, and although the holiday season will be tough for us, we will know that you are with us in spirit.

Love always and forever,

Nicole##imported-begin##Nicole Andres##imported-end##

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