



Richard E. Walkush

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Richard “Dick’ E. Walkush age 72 of Waupaca passed away at his home surrounded by his family on Saturday January 1, 2011. Dick was born on April 19, 1938 the son of Edward F. and Catherine (Lapinski) Walkush. Dick married Nancy Dombrowski on August 27, 1960. Dick’s passions included raising Komorner and Old German Owl show pigeons, woodworking, wood carving, camping, hunting, fishing, reading, doing cross word, and jig saw puzzles. He also enjoyed hiding Easter eggs and making his famous “Letter” pancakes for the grandchildren and watching their activities.

Dick is survived by his wife Nancy of Waupaca, one daughter Cheri (Wayne) Kelly of Waupaca, three sons Tim Walkush of Amherst, Michael (Sonya) Walkush of Amherst, and Rick (Heidi) Walkush of Waupaca; eleven grandchildren Ashley Morris, Tyler, Adam, Turner, and Caitlin Kelly, Marissa, Tate, and Taran Walkush, Allie, Abby and Hayden Walkush; three step grandchildren Aaron and Tanner Dobizl, and Olivia Anderson; two great grandchildren Aaliyah and Izaiah; one sister Jean (Gene) Moss; three brothers Jere (Shirley) Walkush, Gordy (Mary) Walkush, and Mark (Ann) Walkush, Also six god children and many other relatives and friends.

Dick was preceded in death by his parents Edward F. and Catherine Walkush and his father and mother-in-law Leo and Philomen Dombrowski.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Wednesday January 5, 2011 at 11 A.M. at the St. Mary’s Magdalene Catholic Community, father Brian Belongia will officiate. A visitation will be held on Tuesday from 4 – 7 P.M. at the Holly Funeral Home in Waupaca and again at church on Wednesday from 10 A.M. until the time of the mass at 11A.M. Online condolences available at www.hollyfuneralhome.com. Special thanks to the nurses at Fresenius Dialysis Center in Waupaca and Theda Care at Home Hospice group for their compassionate care.



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SS

Sharon & Mark Smith posted:

Dear Nancy, Our heartfelt pain and sorrow for you and your family crosses the many miles from Tennessee. Eddie and Chesterine will welcome him with open arms.

March 4 at 7:00 PM

KP

Krista Popp posted:

Dear Nancy and family, You have been in my thoughts and prayers ever since I received the phone call from Mom and Dad Sunday evening. I so wish I could be there at the service tomorrow. I hope sharing many memories over the time ahead will bring you all peace and comfort. I sure was the lucky one to have him as my god-father! Love, Krista and family

March 4 at 7:00 PM

DS

Dave Stratton posted:

Dick has been on my mind these past few weeks and I should have called him. Sorry I didn't. Dick and I were childhood friends when we lived across Highway 51 (Post Road) from each other. Played baseball and football together with other neighborhood kids in the vacant lot next to his home. I remember Dick and I putting on boxing gloves and having a

March 4 at 7:00 PM

DE

Denise posted:

Dear Walkush Family I'd like to express my sincere sympathy over the loss of your Dad/Husband. I can still recall your Dad coming to talk to our class about fire prevention. I often saw your Mom and Dad at church together while visiting in Waupaca. My thoughts are with you all at this difficult time.
Denise(Lind)Roman

March 4 at 7:00 PM

JF

Jim And Debbie Miller And Family posted:

Nancy and Family, all of our warm thoughts and prayers are with you now and always. Please know that Dick always felt your love. Jim, Debbie, Stewart, Ben, and Elle Miller

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Ken & Teri Kobus posted:

Our condolences to the Dick Walkush family. Dick was a great friend and mentor with Kormorners and fellowship. I learned so much from him and had great respect for him as a man and a friend. He was always there for any of us and would help when needed. We will miss his smile and warm personality. Our thoughts and prayers go out for Nancy and the Walkush family. Rest in peace our dear friend. Ken and Teri Kobus

March 4 at 7:00 PM



Larry And Terry Witt posted:

We so much wish that we could be there but want you to know our prayers and thoughts are with all the family. We will be praying for you to help get through this difficult time.

March 4 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Richard E. by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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