



Francis "Frank" Trost

January 22, 1939 - August 16, 2008

Francis H. "Frank" Trost, 69, of Kankakee, died Saturday (Aug. 16, 2008) at Provena St. Mary's Hospital emergency room. Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Monday at the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. Patrick Catholic Church, Kankakee. The Rev. John Peeters will officiate. Burial will be in Mt. Calvary Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the family wishes. Mr. Trost was retired from the Laborer's Union Local 751 after 22 years. He was born Jan. 22, 1939, in Kankakee, the son of Henry and Lucille Nimbler Trost. He served in the U.S. Navy from 1957-1961, during the Vietnam War and was a member of the Kankakee VFW. He was awarded the Expeditionary Medal with Star in Vietnam, the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. He was a member of St. Patrick Catholic Church in Kankakee. He was also a member of the Retired Laborers. He enjoyed woodworking, was a Green Bay Packer's fan and enjoyed his grandchildren's sporting activities. Surviving are his wife, the former Donna Hartman, whom he married July 7, 1962, at St. Anne Catholic Church.; three sons and daughters-in-law, Michael and Tami Jo Trost of Manteno, Tim and Barb Trost, and Troy and Ann Trost, all of Kankakee; 10 grandchildren, Samantha, Christopher, Katharine, Jonathon, Rebecca, Rachael, Aaron, Cody, Katelin and Haley; one brother, Jim Trost of Kankakee; his mother-in-law, Maxine Hartman of St. Anne; and three sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Jayne Ann and Louie LaMarre of Manteno, Pam and Dale Hanson of Ashkum, and Pixie and Don Burleson of

Tombstone, Ariz. Deceased are two granddaughters, Erica and Erin; her parents and grandparents; and father-in-law, Donald Hartman.

Tribute Wall



“ Donna,
I am so sorry that I was unable to attend the wake.
Please know that you & your entire family are in my thoughts & prayers.
Kathy Larrigan-Stuart
Kathy Larrigan-Stuart

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“ May god hold you and take care of you and watch over you. You will be missed very much. To a perosn who was a great dad and a loving grandpa. God Bless you.
Jimmy Nichols
James Nichols Jr.

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“ We were very sorry to hear about your loss. We were not able to come to the visitation but you have been on our minds and in our prayers.
Cookie & Rick Longtin

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“ Donna, Mike, Tim and Troy

My heart is very heavy at the thought of losing Frank! I still picture him as when I saw him last ... always smiling and surrounded by all the little ones that loved him so much! Now all the "little ones" have their own, and I think I'm still in a time warp! Frank was always so pleasant and patient and ALWAYS had a smile! I know you will miss him dearly, but God really blessed you with a wonderful husband and father! I know wonderful memories will stay with you forever ... Donna, you guys were so blessed to have each other! I wish I could be there with you thru this time, but too many miles prevents it! I promise to be there in my thoughts and prayers!!! Love you guys! Lisa's Aunt Carol!!

###imported-begin###Carol Lewis###imported-end###

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“ We would like to extend our deepest sympathies to your family. We didn't know Frank very well, but the few times we got to be around him, he made us crack up with laughter. I will never forget our drive to the airport...good times! He always was there for his grandkids sporting events with his Green Bay Packer gear on at all times. He will be missed. Take care and God bless.

###imported-begin###Sarah & Rachel Windmiller###imported-end###

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“ To Donna, Jim and the Trost family;

We're sorry to hear away. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

sympathy,

and Barb

###imported-begin###John Fortin###imported-end###

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“ Thank you Tim for letting us know of the passing of your Dad, Francis. He and I served our first Mass together as altar boys at St. Patrick's Church with Father Sullivan. After graduating from high school I only saw Francis at our reunions. He was always kind and remembered all the good times we had together in the past. He will be missed by me and many others.##imported-begin##Dick Dandurand##imported-end##

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“ Dear Donna and family - How we send our thoughts to you at this very hurting time. We remember our bowling night's at Marycrest - years ago when we could bowl and then at Lenscrafter's which doesn't seem to long ago. Our hearts do know LOSS and we will share your hurt. chuck & judi##imported-begin##chuck and judi schneider##imported-end##

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“ To Mike and Family,

 i¿½I am sorry that I was unable to properly pay my condolences in person. Please accept that you were in my thoughts and prayers.

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“ I will be praying for you and your family during this difficult time in your life.##imported-begin##angela and jorge guzman##imported-end##

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“ Donna, Mike, Tim and Troy:

I am so sorry to hear of your loss. ĩ½Please know you are all in my thoughts and prayers. ĩ½

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“ Donna, Mike, Tim, Troy and families,

 ĩ½ ĩ½ ĩ½ ĩ½ ĩ½ ĩ½ Please accept our sincere and deepest sympathy.

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Pete, Denise, Annaleise, & Alex Schiel###imported-begin###Pete & Denise Schiel and Family###imported-end##

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“ ann,troy and the entire trost famliy im sorry to hear of your loss.just remember hes not in pain nor hurting anymore hes with or maker the lord jesus christ. he will always be with you where ever you my go.##imported-begin##allen longtin##imported-end##

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“ Tim,

We were very sorry to hear about the loss of your father. ĩ½ We will keep you and your family in our thoughts and prayers during this time.

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“ Frank was a wonderfully funny and friendly man. I grew up with Mike, Tim, and Troy and always got a huge laugh from Frank's sense of humor. My thoughts and prayers are with you Donna, Mike, Tim, Troy, and your families. Stay close to one another to help through the hard times.

Love across the miles,
Kathy
Kathy Helsley-
Maynard

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