



William R Alderson

August 10, 1931 - November 24, 2020

William R. "Pap" Alderson, age 89, of Bradley, passed away Tuesday, November 24, 2020 at his home surrounded by his loved ones. He was born August 10, 1931, the son of William and Isa (Lane) Alderson in Nemacolin, Pennsylvania. William married Susie Cox on August 30, 1952 in Winchester, Virginia.

Bill retired from Amtrak after 35 years of employment. He was affectionately known as "Pap". He had a deep love for his family and spending time with his grandsons. Bill was an avid Pittsburgh Steelers fan and spent many Sundays in his grandson's basement watching football. He never left the house without his Steelers cap. Bill enjoyed traveling, gardening, and listening to the Cub games on the radio.

William was a lifetime member of the Free Masons.

Surviving are two sons, William Alderson of Bradley, Anthony Alderson of Mokena; two daughters and sons-in-law, Linda (Robert) Bennett of Limestone, Donna (David) Decker of Kankakee; eight grandchildren and seventeen great-grandchildren; two sisters, Barbara Kelly and Dorothy Helmick of Pennsylvania.

In addition to his wife he is preceded in death by his parents.

Due to COVID-19 pandemic, private family services will be held. Interment will be in Mound Grove Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Uplifted Care.

Arrangements are by Clancy-Gernon Hertz Funeral Home Kankakee.

Cemetery Details

Mound Grove Gardens Cemetery

1000 N. Greenwood
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 933-6726

Tribute Wall

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“ *Linda K Carman lit a candle in memory of William R Alderson*



Linda K Carman - December 01, 2020 at 11:06 AM

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My deepest sympathy to all the family. Thoughts and prayers are with you. Linda

Linda K Carman - December 01, 2020 at 11:08 AM

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“ *Carl & Donelle Luhman lit a candle in memory of William R Alderson*



Carl & Donelle Luhman - November 27, 2020 at 09:47 PM