



William F. "Bill" Abahazi

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William Abahazi Obituary

William F. Bill Abahazi, 82, of Grafton, died July 25, 2016 in his home. He was born June 13, 1934 in Elyria and was a 1952 graduate of Elyria High School. From 1957 to 1959, Bill served with the U.S. Army stationed in Germany and then four years in the Army Reserves. He was employed from 1953 until retiring in 1996 at York International (formerly Luxaire) and had been president of Luxaire Credit Union. For eighteen years, he worked as a truck mechanic at Heinels Greenhouse, Elyria and also for eight years was a greeter at Elyria Walmart. He had been a lifetime member of Magyar United Church of Christ, now Community of Faith UCC and Elyria AmVets # 32. Bill was a former Boy Scout and in 1950 attended the Boy Scout National Jamboree in Gettysburg, PA as well as Philmont Scout Ranch Cimarron, NM. He had been a Cub Scout leader and enjoyed traveling, fishing, golf and attending the events of his grandchildren. Bill is survived by his wife of sixty one years, Wallis Wally (nee Grieve); children, Jeff (Tammy) Abahazi of Grafton, Brad (Barb) Abahazi of Elyria, Lori (Ron Rooy) Abahazi and Chris (Holly) Abahazi, both of Grafton; grandchildren, Chad, Bradley B.J. (Lauren), Joshua (Jen), Zachary, Cassandra, Matthew, Nicholas, Jacob and Taylor; great grandchildren, Landon and Kaysen; brother, Edward (Barbara) Abahazi of Elyria and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, William and Sarah Abahazi. Friends will be received Friday July 29, 2016 from 4:00 to 7:00 PM at Dicken Funeral Home & Cremation Service, 323 Middle Avenue, Elyria. A memorial service will be Saturday July 30, 2016 at 11:00 AM at Community of Faith UCC, 9715 East River Road, Elyria with Reverend Kathryn Ketchum officiating. Burial will be in Ohio Western Reserve National Cemetery, Rittman, Ohio. Memorial contributions may be made to Community of Faith UCC or a charity of choice. For online condolences, visit www.dickenfuneralhome.com SERVICES Visitation Friday, July



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29, 2016 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM Dicken Funeral Home and Cremation Service 323

Middle Ave. Elyria, OH 44035 Memorial Service Saturday, July 30, 2016 11:00 AM

Community of Faith United Church of Christ 9715 East River Rd. Elyria, OH 44035

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Tribute Wall

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DK

Deena Knoy posted:

So sorry for your loss ..Your in our prayers..God Bless..Deena

July 28 at 8:00 PM

TJ

Todd And Amanda Jakubowski posted:

I am sorry to hear about Bill passing. Wally and Bill were the best neighbors and we have missed them both since we moved last year. Bill was always willing to help us with anything. Bill provided us with his wealth of knowledge and some great stories too. It was always so nice to see Bill staying active in the yard and chatting with him on his life's experience. I remember saying goodbye to him before we left Ohio and gave him a great big hug. I will never forget what a generous and kind man he was and how much he loved Wally and his family. Todd and I were blessed to have known Bill and to live next store to him and Wally for 10 years. He was an inspiration to live life to the fullest and to be kind to one another. Thank you for letting us be part of your life and being a great role model for all. We will always cherish the memories of our neighbors "The Abahazi's" Bill, rest in peace, your spirit will continue to live on. Wally we are sending you strength to help you though this difficult time. Much love, Amanda and Todd

July 27 at 8:00 PM

SB

Sharon Bennett posted:

I am so sorry for your loss! Bill was the sweetest man I know! I just want one more hug, one more conversation with him! Wally, Bill loved you truly! Nothing matter to him but you! I cannot imagine the pain you are in right now! Be assured Bill is no longer in pain! May that bring comfort to you and your family! If the is anything and I mean anything, that I can do for you please let me know!

July 25 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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