



## Albert W. "Rusty" Frantum Jr.

April 22, 1947 - September 23, 2024

Albert W. "Rusty" Frantum Jr., 77, of Mount Joy, passed away on Monday, September 23, 2024 at Paramount Senior Living in Maytown. He was the son of the late Albert Sr. and Helen (Sipe) Frantum. Rusty was the husband of Brenda (Gerlach) Frantum with whom he celebrated 55 years of marriage.

Rusty was a graduate of Hempfield High School class of 1965. He later graduated from Penn State Harrisburg. Rusty proudly served in the United States Army during the Vietnam War. He was a member of Community Bible Church in Marietta.

Surviving in addition to his wife, Brenda, is two children, Brian Frantum, husband of Anne of Ashton, PA and Lori DeWald, wife of Troy of KY; four grandchildren; and a sister, Suzanne Finefrock, wife of Jonathan of Willow Street.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Harriett Lauscher.

A graveside service with military honors will be held at Rohrerstown Lutheran and Reformed Cemetery, 2371 Wood St. Lancaster, PA 17603 on Friday, October 4, 2024 at 11 AM. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Community Bible Church, 331 Anderson Ferry Road, Marietta, PA 17547.

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

OCT 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

Rohrerstown Lutheran and Reformed  
West end of Wood Street at Walnut St  
Rohrestown, PA

# Tribute Wall

BI

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Bill - September 30, 2024 at 03:21 PM

PD

*Dear Brenda, Brian and Lori,*

*We were so sad to hear about Rusty!  
You were such great neighbors (and kids such caring baby sitters) when we lived next door to you.*

*The sadness you feel today will eventually fade away. But the love and memory of Rusty will be with you Forever!*

*Steve and Pattie Desjardins*

Pattie Desjardins - October 03, 2024 at 07:07 PM

BR

“ *Rusty and I worked at the company formerly called AMP for many years. We often had lunch together at our favorite restaurant. I always looked forward to spending time with Rusty because he could always raise my spirits if necessary with a joke together with his hearty laugh !  
We went on a number of vacations together with our wives Wanda and Brenda. We could always count on Rusty to do something to make us laugh. This might include jumping on a trampoline or waddling along the street with his arms in the air like a chimpanzee. You can guess who is playing Santa in the attached photo !  
Condolences to his family.*

Bill & Wanda Rohde - September 30, 2024 at 03:10 PM

JB

“ We were saddened to read that a boyhood friend of mine and a high school classmate of my wife had passed away. Rusty and I spent a lot of time together when we were in junior high and even after he moved and changed schools. Our deepest sympathies to Brenda and the rest of the families.  
*Jim & Linda Bear*



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**jim & Linda Bear** - September 30, 2024 at 02:08 PM

EF

“ To Rusty's dear family, I remember Rusty from Lancaster City school days. I think it was John F. Reynolds and he and I must have had classes together. I remember him as a very nice guy, and I didn't have many 'guy friends', being from a family of all girls! My sincere sympathies to all of you on your loss. Prayers for our Lord's comfort to all of you who loved Rusty.  
*Sincerely, Eileen (Harrison) Flick*

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**Eileen Flick** - September 30, 2024 at 10:58 AM

JS

“ Brenda, Brian and Lori - our deepest condolences to you all. You guys were wonderful neighbors when we lived in Elizabethtown. I still remember the time Rusty and Nick rescued the baby ducks from the pool one chilly day after work. May your many fond memories be a comfort to you.  
*Nick and Jill Siemon*

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**Jill Siemon** - September 26, 2024 at 04:39 AM