



Gary R. Maxwell

October 13, 1942 - August 27, 2020

Gary R. Maxwell, 77, of Mount Joy, passed away on Thursday, August 27, 2020 at Mennonite Home. Born in Lancaster, he was the son of the late Samuel and Lillian (Raebuck) Maxwell. Gary was the husband of Judy Grove with whom he celebrated 57 years of marriage this past July 14th.

Gary was a graduate of Donegal High School class of 1960. He retired from the former SICO Company, Mount Joy after more than 50 years of service. He helped develop the Donegal Midget Football program for which he received a Distinguished Service Award. Gary was a member of St. Luke's Episcopal Church, a life member of Fire Department Mount Joy, and was an EMT with the former Mount Joy Ambulance.

Surviving in addition to his wife, Judy, are two children, Shawn Maxwell, husband of Barbara of Mount Joy and Stephanie Taylor, wife of Jeffrey of York. Also surviving are seven grandchildren, Dylan, husband of Jessica, Connor, Ashley, Alexa, Paige, Hayley, and Jaden.

A private graveside service will be held at Mount Joy Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 209 S Market St, Mount Joy, PA 17552 or Mount Joy Church of God, 30 East Main Street, Mount Joy, PA 17552.

Tribute Wall

CF

“ Our deepest sympathies to you in this difficult time. Gary was a dedicated community servant, and his legacy will live on in the lives of all he touched. We were honored to have served with him. May God bless you as you grieve and remember a life well lived.

Chaplain Wolgemuth for FDMJ - September 05, 2020 at 12:00 AM

CO

“ Dear Judy, I am so sorry to hear of Gary's death. I am praying for you and your family during this time of loss. I will always remember our friendship. May God give you comfort.

Christine O'Connor - August 31, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ I'm so very sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you all during this difficult time.

Jackie Wealand - August 30, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Judy,. So sorry to hear about Gary's passing. I remember Gary as very friendly and a great guy. Perhaps I remember him so well, because you were such close friends with my cousin Carolyn Becker Koser. So sorry for your loss! My deepest sympathies to you and your family! May he rest in peace!

Jay G. Lehman - August 30, 2020 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ I am so sorry for your loss Judy. Roberta Waters

Roberta Waters - August 30, 2020 at 12:00 AM

DV

“ Shawn and family,I am so very sorry for your loss. May you find peace as you journey through your grief. You will be in my prayers.Diane Vickers

Diane Vickers - August 30, 2020 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ Dear Judy and family, I'm so sorry to read of your loss in the paper this morning. Gary was a great guy. I worked for the Sico company for 26 years and had a lot of respect for him. He had a great smile and a pleasant personality. I pray God will comfort you in your time of grieving and help you to move forward with the hope that one day we will be reunited. I wish you well, God bless you all.

Ted Brubaker (Sico/Eph. division) - August 30, 2020 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ Sincere symphities to the family. Gary and I were classmates at Donegal, and I remember him well. Rest in peace.Kathleen Goodall Assar

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JB

“ Judy: So sorry to read about Gary's passing. We spent a lot of time together, while advancing through the halls of Donegal from 1954 until 1960. During that time, we learned how to play football from grades 7 to 9, since there was no such thing as midget football in our district. Then we spent grades 10 to 12 learning sportsmanship and the value of teamwork while, for the most part, being beat upon. However, I know Gary put his heart and soul into every minute that we were on the field and truly enjoyed the "ride".Rest in peace my friend and teammate.

Jim Bennett - August 27, 2020 at 12:00 AM