



Jan T. Morinchin

February 19, 1940 - August 22, 2025

Jan T. Morinchin, 85, of Mohrsville, formerly of Mount Joy, went home to his Lord and Savior on Friday, August 22, 2025 at Penn State Health, Saint Joseph Hospital surrounded by his loving family. Born February 19, 1940, in Lebanon (Miners Village), PA, he was the son of the late Pete and Violet (Hess) Morinchin. Jan married his loving wife, Dixie (Frank) Morinchin on June 13th, 1959.

Jan was a graduate of Manheim Central High School class of 1958. He proudly served in the United States Navy from 1958 to 1960 and later the Navy Reserve from 1960 to 1963. Jan retired at the age of 58 from the former Alumax as the paint mill superintendent and later the shipping superintendent. A black belt in karate, Jan taught up until twenty years ago since 1966. Jan taught the first woman in Pennsylvania who earned her black belt. He made sure to teach his grandchildren different karate moves to keep them safe. Jan was a member of Washington Boro Methodist Church where he helped prepare boxes for Operation Christmas Child, prepared the men's breakfasts and much more. Jan considered his family his greatest achievement. He loved spending time celebrating holidays, birthdays, births, graduations and weddings of many of his grandchildren. He was so blessed to see his many great grandchildren be born.

Jan is survived by two children, Tracy Rohrer, wife of Jeff of Mohrsville and Todd Morinchin, husband of Kelly of Columbia; eleven grandchildren; nineteen great grandchildren; a sister, Sandy Myer, wife of Glenn of Manheim; a sister

in law, Janet Morinchin of Lebanon; and a brother in law, Robert Frank of Red Lion.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Dixie (Frank) Morinchin; a daughter, Denise Marie Morinchin; a great granddaughter, Annalise Marie Raber; a brother, Wilson Morinchin; and a sister in law, Betty Lou Herr.

A funeral service honoring Jan's life will be held at the Sheetz Funeral Home, 16 East Main Street, Mount Joy, PA 17552 on Saturday, August 30, 2025 at 12 noon. Family and friends will be received at the funeral home before the service from 11 AM to 12 noon. Interment will follow at Henry Eberle Cemetery.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **30**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Sheetz Funeral Home
16 East Main Street
Mount Joy, PA

Funeral Service

AUG **30**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Sheetz Funeral Home
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Mount Joy, PA

Tribute Wall



“ *Sheetz Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Jan T. Morinchin*



Sheetz Funeral Home, Inc - August 30, 2025 at 07:56 AM

TE

Jan and Dixie walked the halls of MC high school together as sweethearts. May they now walk together in love in company of angels. Peace and mercy and love to the family.

Terrie Eshleman - August 30, 2025 at 11:12 AM

MN

“ *I met Jan in the early 80's at the Isshinryu dojo. He was always patient with new students, taught me many things and was a fine example of how to treat others regardless of rank. My condolences to the family. I was sad to miss the service but was away on vac. I'll remember Jan in my thoughts & future training.*

Mark N. - September 05, 2025 at 11:26 AM

KE

“ *We were sorry to hear about Jan's passing. We have fond memories of times spent with Dixie and Jan, and John has many memories from working at Alcoa. We are sure Obie and Theresa greeted them at the pearly gates*

Kate Eichelberger - September 01, 2025 at 04:42 PM

KE

Love, John Jr. and Kate Eichelberger

Kate Eichelberger - September 01, 2025 at 04:44 PM



“ *A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Jan T. Morinchin.*



August 30, 2025 at 11:04 AM

RS

“ *Jan and Dixie were the best neighbors you could ever ask for-they were more like family. We are still sad that they moved to Mohrsville, but are glad they were able to spend their last years close to family.*

Ray and Brenda Shelly - August 29, 2025 at 09:43 PM



“ *A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Jan T. Morinchin.*



August 29, 2025 at 09:55 AM

TR

“ Our Team here at Healing Hearts Home Care was blessed to provide care for Jan & his wife Dixie.
We know they are now reunited in the Glory place.
Rest in the sweet peace of Jesus. 🕊️



tracey - August 28, 2025 at 09:14 AM

LK

“ Uncle Jan was a good, and kind man. Family was everything, especially my aunt Dixie 💜
Lori

lori Kihler - August 27, 2025 at 12:23 PM

JS

“ My condolences to the Morinchin family. I know he will be missed greatly by all. Jan was a man of integrity and great character.
James and Judith Sides

James Sides - August 27, 2025 at 11:44 AM