



Walter J. Stoner

October 30, 1933 - April 7, 2023

Walter J. Stoner, 89, passed away on Friday, April 7, 2023 at Paramount Senior Living Lancaster.

Born in Rapho Township, he was the son of the late Harvey and Mary (Fair) Stoner.

Walter was the husband of the late Mary Anita (Atherton) Stoner (February 22, 2012) and the late Barbara (Brandt) Stoner (May 7, 2017). He retired from High Steel Structures as a supervisor. Walter was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Mount Joy, an active member of the Mount Joy Sportsmen's Association, where he helped set up the archery shoots, the Donegal Fish and Conservation Association and he held a Bowhunter education training certificate. Walter enjoyed camping, fishing and square dancing. His interest in square dancing led him to square dance calling and he called many dances over the years. Surviving are his two children and his grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Harvey and John and by his sister, Betty Burger. Services will be privately held at Paramount Senior Living Center.

Tribute Wall

HR

“ I have many great memories working with Walt at High Steel. I'm sorry for your loss and praying for comfort at peace.

Hank Rittenhouse - April 16, 2023 at 08:55 AM

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“ Those who knew my dad well, knew his propensity for on the fly word play and his dry humor...Infuriating as it could be at times, he would be so delighted when others picked up on his joke. A recent favorite is the tree joke, it's not Sycamore, it's "sick a less".



Tracy (daughter) - April 13, 2023 at 12:36 PM

WM

“ I had the privilege of know and working with Walt at High Steel. He was a man of his word and always did the job correctly. Please accept my condolences.

William Mankin - April 13, 2023 at 11:20 AM

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Thank you, Bill, for taking a moment to share this apt description of my dad.

Tracy (daughter) - April 13, 2023 at 12:21 PM

AP

“ I have many fond memories of Walt driving the MJSA Farmall A tractor when we were setting up the animals for the 3D archery shoots. His kind spirit will be missed around the club.



Alex Pierce - April 12, 2023 at 09:09 PM

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This is a wonderful picture which accurately captures his intention to help others learn. Thank you for sharing.

Tracy (daughter) - April 13, 2023 at 12:13 PM

LS

I';ll miss my dad greatly, my hunting partner, trout fishing, we made it a tradition every year. fond memories!! Love you dad!! You got me my first jpb at high Welding, now High Industries what I remember I remember Bill Amig , dad, and myself went up to Erie for salmon, pulling our camper, never caught any but what an experience!! loved it!! Hey Mr Amig, I am here looking up the family tree.where the Stoners originated from, possibly German descent of the name Steiner, what they told me when i was over in the Army.

Lester Stoner - April 06, 2024 at 10:06 PM

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I had the opportunity to drive that Farmall mowing the mount Joy sportsman Club grass, that was fun!! As His son, I also was a hunters safety instructor many years ago. Dad used to call me "nature boy" I'd go hunting with my camera,, never got my first buck yet.Dad shot one, but someone else tagged it, He stated, don't pay to let the game cool off does it,, the other party said, well we shot him and he went down,, we seen he was already shot,,they said, you want it? Dad said, you got the tag on it now.. nice deer.. So , we left. I remember that like it was yesterday, he had forgot which way the safety was on his Stevens double barrel, I said , well only one way to find out. he said hold your ears,lolol Bam,,, well that wasnt the position was it, we laughed!! Dad was alway safety first..

Lester Stoner - April 06, 2024 at 10:18 PM