



Dr. H. John Barkay D.O.

May 20, 1926 - June 29, 2018

Dr. H. John Barkay, age 92 of Warren, Michigan passed away peacefully, surrounded by family on June 29, 2018. He was the beloved husband of the late Angela Barkay. Loving father of the late Michael Barkay, Regina (George) Becker, Clare Mangiapane, Maria (Anthony Palet) Barkay and Anita Barkay. Loving grandfather of Lauren (Robert) D'Onofrio, the late Andrew Brolus, Jason (Amanda) Brolus, Christine Brolus, Dominic Mangiapane, George (Minglu) Becker, Jr., Jamie Pyrzewski, Sarah (Dominic) Lucarelli. Adoring great grandfather to Carson, Alivia and Alaina Brolus, Mason Pyrzewski, Ava, Mauro, Milena and Leo Lucarelli.

Dr. Barkay was a devout Catholic and practiced his faith as a community leader with his involvement in several charities, one of which involved him making trips to the mountains of Mexico to provide health care off the back of a Jeep to the starving and malnourished Tarahumara Indians who were living in caves. He was also involved in Right to Life of Michigan and helped support the Image of God Problem Pregnancy Center, who provide counseling and support to any woman seeking help. He also devoted 44 years of his life as a general practitioner in private practice in which he served patients of all walks of life. Many of his patients had been with him for over 30 years. He will be remembered for his generosity, kindness, good nature and humanitarian efforts.

Dr. Barkay's arrangements have been entrusted to the Wasik Funeral Home in Warren. He will lie in state at St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church, 31555 Hoover (north of 13 Mile) Warren on Tuesday, July 3rd at 9 a.m. until time of Funeral Mass 9:30 a.m. with Military Honors to follow.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be addressed to the family to donate to the charities he supported.

Previous Events

Instate at Church

JUL 3. 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM (ET)

St. Martin de Porres
31555 Hoover
Warren, Mi

Funeral Mass

JUL 3. 9:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JA

“ So many good memories of my uncle. He thrived on his family life and was always engaged with his children. He was a generous man with both his time and resources and committed himself to great causes. He would take me and my siblings on outings we'd otherwise would never have experienced and we became close with our cousins because of these adventures. With uncle gone, my mother, Dolores, is the sole remaining sibling.

Judi Ammar - August 09, 2018 at 04:55 PM

JM

“ My condolences to the Barkay Family for the loss of their father. Dr. Barkay was a truly caring man that gave of his time to help his patients, his family and the under privileged. He used his God given medical talents to help the Tarahumara indigenous people in Chihuahua, Mexico. I still remember growing up as a small child, my parents, Dr. & Mrs Barkay and several other couples would put on banquets to raise money and awareness for these poor people. This annual event started small with a dozen or so people at various homes and had to move out to much larger banquet facilities to handle the hundreds of people who would attend annually. This shows the perseverance and guidance that Dr. John Barkay had in this cause and other causes he believed in. These causes would always have a booth at the Warren Lions Club Fair annually to help raise awareness. Dr. Barkay will always be loved and remembered as a genuine, kind, caring and giving man, that used his talents to the fullest. Rest In Peace Dr. Barkay.

Jeff Moon - July 03, 2018 at 05:30 AM

MK

“ To the family of Dr. Barkay,

I am sorry for your loss. Your father was a great man. I enjoyed my many visits with him. I believe he is with the Lord, and his wife, because of his deep faith and love (that I witnessed).

Mike Koss

michael koss - July 02, 2018 at 03:02 PM

SM

“ *Dr Barkay was as fine a man, as I have ever known. He was my doctor for about 20 years. He was direct, kind, caring, empathetic and courageous. He ran his practice the right way, professional and efficient. He had a wonderful staff. His daughters, Anita and Maria, were wonderful to me. Carol, Michelle, Debbie, Chris. and, especially, Linda, a fellow diabetic, were so pleasant to deal with. Dr.Barkay was someone I really looked up to. To me, he was, and is, a legend. He leaves behind a wonderful legacy and family. May God bless this wonderful man. May he rest in peace. Sebastian "Buster" Maceri*

Sebastian "Buster" Maceri - July 02, 2018 at 01:13 PM

PS

“ *Dr. Barkay and his family lived across the street from my family for about 50 years. We loved our wonderful neighbors. Gina, Clare, Maria, and Anita, you have my great sympathy. - Pat*

Patricia Sjo - July 02, 2018 at 12:30 PM

T.

“ Our deepest condolences to the family. What a life of self-sacrifice Dr. Barkay lived, helping and serving others. Our loving Heavenly Father won't forget the work he's done. (Hebrews 6:10)

T.M. - July 01, 2018 at 07:21 AM

DJ

“ We offer our prayers and condolences to the Barkay family on the passing of a true servant of all God's people. He was a great example of one who cared for poor. May he Rest In Peace.

Deacon Marion Jurewicz - July 01, 2018 at 06:35 AM

MC

dr. barkay was a wonderful man. at deacon joe iskra's request he saw me and helped manage my pain. i had no insurance at that time. no charge for visit and medication. he was very kind and generous. glory to god! tony chicko

marie chicko - July 04, 2018 at 11:54 AM