



Walter Skonieczny

October 26, 1918 - April 21, 2006

Walter Skonieczny of Warren passed away April 21, 2006 at the age of 87. He was retired from the Detroit Fire Department and an Air Force veteran of WWII and the Korean War. Walter was the beloved husband of the late Annette. Dear father of Paulette (Michael) Paholsky, Suzanne (Steve) Suchota, Carol (Art) Pieper, Gregory Skonieczny, Annette (Michael) Filipek, Walter (Linda) Skonieczny, Ed (Megan) Skonieczny and Monica (Joel) Vander Linden. Loving grandfather of 19 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. Dear brother of Sigmund, Dolores Kowalski and the late Stanley.

Previous Events

Service

APR **24**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Pio of Pietrelcina - Our Lady Queen of All Saints
31740 Cyril Drive
Fraser, MI 48026

Tribute Wall



“ Thank you very much Mr. Skonieczny for bringing such a nice family to the world that I got to know during my visits in Detroit. I still treasure those memories close to heart even today.
My deepest sympathies to all of the family members (and Monica ... I also remeber up North, it sure was nice).

Igor.##imported-begin##Igor##imported-end##

May 15, 2006 at 05:31 PM



“ Dear Cousins: I just learned of your father's death. I was so moved to read what a significant impact he had on the lives of his children and grandchildren.

Though we often know that it is for the best when our suffering parent leaves this earth for his heavenly reward, it is nonetheless hard to let go. It is often made easier through cherished memories of special times. It appears the Skonieczny family has more than a few to look back on!

You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

Sincerely,

Your cousin, Joyce##imported-begin##Joyce Shinsky##imported-end##

April 24, 2006 at 07:14 PM



“ Dear "Detroit cousins,"
I'm sorry to hear that you have lost your dear Father. I can still remember your handsome Dad and dear Aunt Toni visiting Grandmom Shinsky with all you "kids." How we loved seeing all our cousins from Detroit. God has truly blessed us all...As we say here, "God must have loved the Shinsky's, that's why he made so many of them."
Sincerely, Diana (daughter of Robert Shinsky)###imported-begin###Diana Shinsky Bonvegna###imported-end###

April 24, 2006 at 02:35 PM



“ Dear Grandpa,
Thank you for the wonderful memories that I treasure deeply and share with my children. Taking a ride on a fire truck, picking us up for school, coming over your house for homemade rootbeer, teaching me how to swim, timetables and for yelling at me for biting my nails and many more. When I read all of the other memories your grandchildren have written, it amazes me on how many different memories we all share and will cherish. We all have been blessed to have grandparents like you. I hope to one day leave my grandchildren with great memories.

Miss You and Love You

Paula###imported-begin###Paula Ollila###imported-end###

April 24, 2006 at 08:10 AM



“ Gramps, I will always remember the time when we were up north, and you let me sit on your lap and steer the tractor while you cut the grass, and how you taught me my prayers and didn't stop till I had them down. Every time I pray before bed I always think of you. Everytime I saw you, your big blue eyes met mine with a big smile on your face that warmed my heart. I will never forget how you made me feel, and the way you always held my hands and warmed them for me. God blessed us with the best Grandpa there could be and we are all so lucky to have been loved by you. I hope you enjoy your next journey on, and get everything you deserve and more!! love you! ~Meagan~###imported-begin##Meagan Vander Linden###imported-end##

April 23, 2006 at 10:05 PM



“ I love you Grandpa, please take care of our whole family. I will never forget you, and the time we spent together. You are a very nice man. Have fun with your wife.
Love Jarrett###imported-begin##Jarrett Vander Linden###imported-end##

April 23, 2006 at 09:51 PM



“ Greg, God takes care of special people. He needed another Star in Heaven, so he called your Dad home. Remember he will always be with you. Take care Jim###imported-begin##Jim Ison###imported-end##

April 23, 2006 at 09:04 PM



“ Grandpa I will miss you. I remember the good times up north going for walks and waiting for Monica to get off the school bus. The baseball and kickball games we all played. You would always go over math facts with Paula and I while we cleaned the dishes. Sorry I didn't spend more time with. I love you Grandpa.##imported-begin##Lisa Elmer##imported-end##

April 23, 2006 at 01:40 PM



“ Dear Family,
Please know that Uncle Jerry and I are with you during this sad time. You all are truly blessed to have had such a great example to follow.
Love, Aunt Carol and Uncle Jerry##imported-begin##Carol and Jerry Shinsky##imported-end##

April 23, 2006 at 12:48 PM



“ Greg, thinking of you and your family at this time of lost. Love Jim and debbie##imported-begin##Jim & Debbie Ison##imported-end##

April 23, 2006 at 11:34 AM



“ Our Deepest Sympathy for your loss.##imported-begin##Vicky Jablonski##imported-end##

April 22, 2006 at 06:03 PM



“ All though we didn't know you for very long, we'll always remember you teaching us how to say the "Our Father" in Polish and when you would sing "Serdeczna Matko". We will miss you on Friday nights.##imported-begin##Mikey, Nicole, and Melissa##imported-end##

April 22, 2006 at 11:59 AM



“ Will miss you lots gramps ... I wish we had more time together by love ya adam##imported-begin##adam##imported-end##

April 22, 2006 at 10:45 AM



“ Grandpa,
Your journey is over, but what a journey it was. I cannot even imagine trying to summarize the impact you have had on my life not to mention the lives of all those you loved and loved you in return. Through your example, you have shown what true devotion to family and faith is, and by your example we shall continue. Even through your darkest journey, when the faces you loved began to become nameless, you persevered, never letting your sickness take away that last light from your eyes. We all knew you were still there, and deep down you knew we were too. So today Grandpa, I say thank you and farewell. You have worked hard and now you can rest. God Bless Gramps! Steve Suchota and family.##imported-begin##Steven Suchota##imported-end##

April 22, 2006 at 10:16 AM



“ Gramps, the time we shared with you was short, but we will never forget that special time. We LOVE you very much, and now Justin can have a Grandpa to hold and love him. You will always be in our hearts forever!! love you!!!
begin##Meg,Adam,Autumn,Jarrett##imported-end##

April 22, 2006 at 09:22 AM



“ Dad, no words can describe the best father a boy, a teenager, and a man could be blest with.
begin##Walt##imported-end##

April 22, 2006 at 08:43 AM



“ Monica, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Please know that my prayers and thoughts are with you and your family.
begin##Joan Greif##imported-end##

April 22, 2006 at 08:09 AM



“ Let's go to the airport and watch the airplanes, Love You,
Greg
begin##Greg##imported-end##

April 21, 2006 at 11:24 PM



“ I love you, Daddy. You were always there for me. Remeber our special time we had together up north!
begin##Monica##imported-end##

April 21, 2006 at 11:19 PM



“ Love You Dad###imported-begin###Annie###imported-end##

April 21, 2006 at 11:14 PM