



Walter M. Karczewski

December 7, 1938 - May 7, 2007

Beloved husband of Bonnie. Dear father of Walter Karczewski, Bonnie (Rob) Rochon, Richard (Terri) Roark, Thomas (Deborah) Roark, Michael (Wendy) Roark and Shari (Russell) Astrino. Loving grandfather of 17 Grandchildren.

Previous Events

Service

MAY **12**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *The Greatest Father and Grandfather a Son & Grand daughters could ever have. You will be missed##imported-begin##Jr.##imported-end##*

May 14, 2007 at 11:12 AM



“ *Dear Bonnie,
Wally was a special man. He was always so kind and good to me. I will especially appreciate all the polka dances he shared with me as Brian headed for the exit doors when the polka music started. I knew I could count on Wally to enjoy the dance and Brian was always so relieved! He will be missed. Our heartfelt sympathies to you and your family.##imported-begin##Helen Ziskie##imported-end##*

May 11, 2007 at 11:26 AM



“ Dear Bonnie and Family,

My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. I am so sorry for your loss. Wally was a man I respected and loved. I will always have a special place in my heart for him and feel blessed to have known him.

When I was young, I admired him as a police officer and enjoyed his many stories he told with such enthusiasm. I appreciated his kind nature and always looked forward to seeing his smiling face.

As I grew older, you and Wally became my parent's closest friends and I will always remember the love and care you gave and how you were always there for them.

May you all find peace and comfort in the many happy memories you shared with Wally.

Love,

Brian `###imported-begin###` *Brian Ziskie* `###imported-end###`

May 11, 2007 at 11:25 AM



“ *One of the greataest guys I ever worked around or with. Always was willing to help, always there with the answers. Sorry I am unable to attend as I am out of town at a family wedding. My thoughts will be with your family during this time.* `###imported-begin###` *Michael Scarborough Retired DPD # 5* `###imported-end###`

May 10, 2007 at 10:11 PM



“ HI;

MY NAME IS CARL FORMELLA, I KNEW MARION FROM GRADE AND HIGH SCHOOLS. WE BOTH GRADUATED FROM "SWEETEST HEART OF MARY", IN 1957; THERE WILL BE A 50th CLASS REUNION ON MAY 19th AND I WAS HOPING TO SEE MARION THERE.

WHEN I SAW HIS NAME AND PICTURE IN THE NEWS PAPER I IMMEDIATELY RECOGNIZED HIM FROM HIS EYES, THE WAY HIS HEAD IS TILTED AND MOST NOTABLE HIS HAIR; WHICH IS EXACTLY THE WAY IT WAS SOME FIFTY YEARS AGO. MY HAIR IS MOSTLY GREY, WHAT IS LEFT OF IT. I THINK MARION INHERITED HIS HAIR GENETICS FROM HIS MOTHER; SHE HAD VERY DARK HAIR EVEN WHEN SHE WAS IN HER LATER YEARS.

WHEN WE WERE IN HIGH SCHOOL, HIS FATHER BOUGHT HIM A BRAND NEW 1955 BUICK ROADMASTER TWO DOOR HARD TOP, RED AND WHITE. HE WAS THE 'BMOC', (BIG MAN ON CAMPUS) UNTIL AN UPPER CLASSMAN BROUGHT HIS FATHERS 1957 RED CHEV FOUR DOOR HARD TOP TO SCHOOL. BUT ALL THE GIRLS STIL WERE GA-GA OVER MARION.

I WAS THE ONLY ONE WHO COULD CALL HIM MARION, TO EVERY ONE ELSE HE WAS 'WALLY'.

I MOST SINCERELY EXTEND MY SYMPATHY TO MARION'S WIFE, CHILDREN AND FAMILY; ALL OF WHOM I NEVER HAD THE PLEASURE OF MEETING.

I WILL TRY TO ATTEND ONE OF THE VISITATIONS; I AM PARTLY DISABLED, PLUS I LIVE IN WESTLAND, BUT I WILL TRY.

MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS GO OUT TO MARION AND HIS FAMILY DURING TIME OF LOSS.

I AM

CARL J. FORMELLA

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May 10, 2007 at 03:06 PM



“ My deepest sympathy to the family of Walter. Walter and I would cross paths in the early morning at #5 when he would get his court records ready for the day. He will never be forgotten and is always in our hearts. Rest in peace Brother Officer.###imported-begin##Larry Gumbrecht DPD #5 (retired)###imported-end##

May 10, 2007 at 10:07 AM



“ I am so sorry that he is gone. I will miss him. I wish we could have spent more time together and I am sorry we didn't, there are no excuses. He is going to be missed by many people for the good man he was.

Love his niece, Lisa

Bye, Uncle Marion###imported-begin##Lisa Moore###imported-end##

May 09, 2007 at 12:00 PM



“ Bonnie, Rob, and family-

We are so deeply sorry for your loss. Please call us if there is anything we can do for you.

Janine, Andy, Noah, Joshua, and Caleb Eckert##imported-begin##Janine Eckert and family##imported-end##

May 08, 2007 at 03:39 PM



“ Walt - My sympathy in the loss of your father. You will be in my thoughts and prayers. Please let me know if there is anything Craig and I can do for you during this time.

Rachel Spalding - MCC##imported-begin##Rachel Spalding##imported-end##

May 08, 2007 at 02:23 PM