



Edward R. Say

May 17, 1946 - June 5, 2018

EDWARD R. "Ed" SAY, 72, of Shippenville, Pa. passed away Tuesday morning (06-05-18) at the emergency room of Clarion Hospital of natural causes, after being stricken ill suddenly at his residence.

Born in Brockville, Pa. on May 17, 1946, he was the son of the late Perc (Pershing) and Mildred H. Wallace Say.

He was a 1964 graduate of Allegheny-Clarion Valley School District, and a 1968 graduate of Penn State University at State College. During a thirty six year career in the banking profession, he studied finance and banking procedures at various college institutions in a post-graduate capacity.

A veteran of the U.S. Army during the Viet Nam Era, Ed had the honor, appreciation, and distinction of serving at Ft. Myer, VA. where he performed the capacity of Sentinel at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier at Arlington National Cemetery.

Following the military service, he began the thirty six year career in banking rising to Sr. Vice-President of Commercial Lending with S&T Bank in Clarion from where he retired in 2010. Through his banking positions, he worked to support local businesses, both small and large, in the Clarion County area.

He was eager to assist those interested in agriculture as well as revitalizing

existing business operations. Ed was very instrumental in bringing the fiberboard industry to the Clarion area.

One of his great interests was operating his family working- farm caring for his cattle and caring for the field crops.

His great hobby was golf from high school through his retirement. He enjoyed great golf trips in the United States with friends, and especially the golf tours with brother Bill. He was a former member over the years at Foxburg, Pinecrest, and Wanango Country Clubs.

United Methodist by faith, Ed was a longtime member of Clarion Rotary, a present board member of the Clarion Free Library, and an active member of the Fryburg Sportsmen Club.

Surviving are his wife, the former Deborah Carrier, two sons Matthew Say of Shippenville and Brett (Monica) Say of Lansing, MI., brother William "Bill" Say of Oil City, and a number of nieces and nephews.

At Ed's request, there will be no visitation or funeral service.

The H. Jack Buzard Funeral Home of Parker is assisting the family at this time.

If desired, family and friends may make memorials in Ed's honor to the Clarion

Free Library, 644 Main St., Clarion, Pa. 16214.

Tribute Wall

WB

“ I HAVE NOT SEEN ED IN SEVERAL YEARS. AS I WRITE THIS MY HEART IS FILLED WITH MIXED EMOTION. MY FIRST IS WHAT A LOSS TO HIS FAMILY FRIENDS AND BUSINESS PARTNERS AND CO-WORKERS. TO HIS BOYS I SAY YOU LOST A GREAT GUIDING LIGHT AND TO HIS WIFE YOU LOST SOMEONE WHO LOVED YOU FROM DAY ONE. THEN THERE IS THE VIEW I HAVE THROUGH THE TEARS IN MY EYES REMEMBERING MANY HAPPY HOURS OF FUN AND BEING BOYS ED AND I HAD ALONG A SIDE OF NAMES LIKE MARRON, FARRINGTON. THE ONE SHINING LIGHT IS THAT NOW HE AND DICK KUHMANN ARE NOW REUNITED AND CAN PICKUP WHERE THEY LEFT OFF WHEN DICK PASSED AWAY. SO LONG OLD FRIEND. YOU WERE A GREAT PERSON AND A PERSON I ADMIRERED FROM THE BOTTOM OF MY HEART. HIT EM STRAIGHT.

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WAYNE BELL - January 15, 2019 at 12:48 PM

CM

“ OUR SINCERE CONDOLANCES TO THE ED SAY FAMILY; I JUST RECENTLY HEARD ABOUT HIS PASSING. ED AND I WERE THIRD COUSINS ON MY MOTHER'S SIDE. HOPING WE MEET IN HEAVEN ON THAT GREAT REUNION DAY. SINCERELY, CAROLYN, KEITH, AND TRACI MYERS

Carolyn Myers - January 15, 2019 at 12:48 PM

GG

“ *Ginna and I are deeply saddened by the loss of our dear friend whose steadfast intellect was a perpetual gift of wisdom and insight balanced by his ever-present dry sense of humor. Â Our friendship began during high school when our school's competing teams would meet at Foxburg and Pinecrest Country Clubs. Â During those long fairway strolls between tees and greens a friendship was born. Â Through the decades to follow the distance of miles and careers going in different directions failed to erode our mutually shared interests and fellowship. Â When our life's path would, again, intersect we would seamlessly resume as if the separation had only been momentary. Â Among Ed's many gifts was his aversion to settling for the 'tried-and-true.' Â Age did little to harness his curiosity and pursuit of new experiences and adventures. Â Our lives have been enriched by inclusion in his circle and encouraged by the memory of his kindness and generosity.*

Ginna & Chris Gemmell - January 15, 2019 at 12:48 PM

DR

“ *Debbie and Family,
Â Â We remember the beautiful smile and love for his family and friends.Â You are all in our thoughts and prayers.Â Keep the happy memories close in your heart for comfort. Â Â
Dave and Sheila Rembold (Rockmere)*

Dave and Sheila Rembold - January 15, 2019 at 12:48 PM

DR

“ *My prayers are with you.*

Drew - January 15, 2019 at 12:48 PM

DL

“ I've known Ed since doing business loans with him back in 70's. Played some golf and had some lunches with him. He was just 3 months younger than me. Both veterans and Penn State Alumni and I live on a small farm with horses so we had a lot in common and enjoyed laughing a lot together. I had a great deal of respect and admiration of Ed. I have tried all day to wrap my head around his sudden passing. My thoughts are with each of his family members during this sad and difficult time. RIP my friend.

Denny Lamb - January 15, 2019 at 12:48 PM

RC

“ We have fond memories of the years we rented the farmhouse. Our sincere condolences to the family. ”

Ray and Lora Cope - January 15, 2019 at 12:48 PM

RG

“ My deepest sympathy to Eds family. ”

RAY GEISER - January 15, 2019 at 12:48 PM

GJ

“ Garry and I extend our sympathy to Debbie, Matt and Brett and rest of family. Ed and Garry were good farming buddies and he will be greatly missed

Garry & Bonnie Jeannerat - January 15, 2019 at 12:48 PM