



Gary R. Terwilliger

August 27, 1940 - December 30, 2024

GARY R. TERWILLIGER, Sr., 84, of Mercer, Pa. passed away December 30, 2024 at his residence of natural causes.

Born in Perry Twp., Clarion Co., he was the son of the late Wayne “Dutch” and Mable Crispen Terwilliger.

He spent much of his working life as a truck driver, being employed by Dandy Transportation of Cranberry Township (Butler Co.) and later employed by Wal-Mart of Grove City.

He was affiliated with Mercer United Methodist Church, as well as a number of fraternal (Masonic) organizations.

Gary was an avid fisherman and quite proud of several trophy fish caught in his lifetime. He had many fishing “buddies” both in Pennsylvania and South Carolina.

Gary is survived by a son, Gary R. Terwilliger, Jr. of Mercer; grandson Tyler Terwilliger of Los Vegas, NV, and granddaughter Meghan Terwilliger of Phoenix, AZ.; two sisters-in-law: Faith Terwilliger of Eau Claire and Darla Terwilliger of Chicora, as well as several nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be on Thursday (01-09-25) from 4:00 to 7:00 PM at H. Jack Buzard Funeral Home, 201 So. Washington St. Eau Claire, where a funeral service will follow at 7:00 PM. Gary will be laid to rest on the family plot at Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Dutch Hill on Friday morning at 10:00 AM.

Previous Events

Friends and Family

JAN 9. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

H. Jack Buzard Funeral Homes, Inc. Eau Claire
201 S. Washington St
PO Box 182
Eau Claire, PA 16030
(724) 791-2484

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Gary was a backyard neighbor of ours. When he visited us on our porch last summer he laughed at the new dog we have...his name is also Gary! Was happy to see him in church with us this past year. He will be missed.

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