



William J. Eichner

May 18, 1939 - October 5, 2018

William J. Eichner, 79, of Eau Claire passed away suddenly Friday morning at Butler Memorial

Hospital following a brief illness.

Born In Pittsburgh, Pa. on May 18, 1939, he was the son of the late Joseph and Anselma Richard

Eichner. He was married in Vandergrift, Pa. on May 27, 1967 to the former Amelia Klobuka who survives.

A graduate of North Catholic High School in Pittsburgh, he was a member of the St. Alphonsus

Catholic Parish of Boyers-West Sunbury.

Following high school, Bill attended several trade schools in Pittsburgh before enlisting in the

U.S. Army during the Viet Nam War. He was a graduate of the Rotary Wing Aviator School at Ft.

Rucker, ALA. Based in Korea, he was involved as aviator over the skies of Viet Nam, and

honorably discharged as a Warrant Officer (WO-3).

In the Pittsburgh area, he served as director of buildings and grounds for 40 years with Divine

Providence, and was a volunteer with Peebles VFD.

In the Eau Claire area he operated a farm in Venango Twp., and served

several terms on the Board of Directors of Central Electric Co-Op. at Parker. Bill also assisted many area folks with heating, plumbing, air conditioning and general maintenance problems. In addition to his wife, he is survived by three daughters: Toni (Jim) Sekely of Pittsburgh, Theresa (Bob) Beining of Ingoma, and Anna (Glenn) Spontak of Gibsonia; four grandchildren: Michael Sekely, Sami and Madi Beining, and Alex Vacco-Eichner; two sisters: Bernadette Given of Gibsonia and Kathy (Jim) King of Wexford. Friends may call 2-4 & 6-8 Tuesday at the H. Jack Buzard Funeral Home, 201 South Washington St., Eau Claire. Mass of Christian Burial Noon Wednesday at the St. Louis Catholic Church, West Sunbury. With Rev. James Bedillion presiding. In lieu of flowers, family requests Memorial Masses to Catholic Church of donors choice.

Tribute Wall

JS

“ Family of Mr Eichner, deapest condolences from Mr James Sansonetti.Â Jim remembers him fondly.Â They would speak hours on end together reminiscing or talking about current affairs.Â Jim would love to speak with someone from the family.Â If possible please contact him at 412 638 7213.

Jennifer Sansonetti - February 04, 2019 at 02:18 PM

SH

“ Very sorry that we will no longer enjoy Bill' company in the electric cooperative family. He was a great guy. He will be missed and we were blessed to have had his company for a few years. I will miss my conversations with him, A great guy!

Shanelle Hawk - January 15, 2019 at 12:47 PM

SD

“ I wish to express my deepest sympathy to Bill's family.Â Please know that I worked closely with him as I had been the Treasurer of the Sisters of Divine Providence when Bill would bring me the latest Invoices.Â He always wanted to share his knowledge in the various phases of his work.Â Please know that he and all of you are being remembered special in prayer.Â May our loving God grant each of you much inner peace and strength.Â Sr. Bernie Duman, CDP

Sr. Bernadette Duman - January 15, 2019 at 12:47 PM

RG

“ Bob & Sue Gardner--Tucson Arizona.
We will all miss you Bill more than you could ever know. Most people never find as good and caring friend as you in their life time. We know how much you loved you family and our
deepest sympathy go out to Mill and the girls.
Love ya. ”

Robert Gardner - January 15, 2019 at 12:47 PM

PM

“ Always a little forward,Bill! Rest in peace my friend.

Philip J Mccamey - January 15, 2019 at 12:47 PM

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“ Never forget!Grateful for the oppurtunity to be able to spend some time together.Thank you,Bill Eichner!

Philip J Mccamey - January 15, 2019 at 12:47 PM

SF

“ I wish sincere sympathy to the Family of Bill Eichner. I have grateful memories of Bill's 40 years of service to the Sisters of Divine Providence in the area of Property Management and Upkeep of Grounds. Be assured of my prayers for Bill and the the Family. I am sure he will be missed by many people. Even after he retired, Bill never missed our employee recognition gatherings. We always included him and he always came to check on his "former employees" aNnd to visit with the sisters. I am sorry that I will be unable to visit the funeral home as I am living in Rhode Island. ”

Sister Maria Fest - January 15, 2019 at 12:47 PM

ES

“ A DIGNITY IN WHITE PEDESTAL ARRANGEMENT was ordered on October 8, 2018

Expression of Sympathy - January 15, 2019 at 12:47 PM

KM

“ I will miss Bill and his great concern for others. He was very passionate about life, faith and family. Bill always researched areas of interest in the electric industry and would share them with me. I enjoyed his apple cider that he would share. Bill could fix almost anything that was broke. I am blessed to have called him my friend.

Ken Maleski - January 15, 2019 at 12:47 PM

RW

“ We will miss having Bill’s many years of knowledge and thoughtful insights on the Central Electric Board. He was a very caring man that always wanted the best for the members and employees of our co-op. I was privileged to be seated beside Bill and have many wonderful memories of his stories of service and tinkering in his garage after retirement. He will be dearly missed...

Rick and Ruth Ann Weaver - January 15, 2019 at 12:47 PM

ES

“ A SPATHIPHYLLUM was sent on October 7, 2018
Beining Family,
May these flowers in some small way express the sympathy and sadness we feel for you during this difficult time. With deepest sympathy.
Love your GUSB Family

Expression of Sympathy - January 15, 2019 at 12:47 PM