



Edward M. Aey

January 3, 1940 - January 12, 2016

Edward M. Aey, age 76, of Mentor, passed away peacefully surrounded by his family on January 12, 2016. He was born in Youngstown, on January 3, 1940, to the late Edward and Pauline Aey.

He was a proud and loving father, grandfather, and great-grandfather, who will be greatly missed by all who knew him. He retired from Giant Eagle where he served over 30 years.

Edward is survived by his children Debbie Mike Matias, Doug Diane Aey, Diana Bertapelle, Scott Heather Ambrose, Beverly Jason Huntington and Brad Gaul, grandchildren Christopher Lauren, Lauren Josh, Brooke, Rebekah, Jenna, Nolan, Nathan, Sarah, Hannah, Dylan, Kalyn and Emily, great grandchildren Colin, Quinn, Camryn and Chloe, siblings Ferdinand Sally, Ronald Patrick Carol, Maureen, Donna Jean James, Michael Linda sister-in-law, Nancy.

He was preceded in death by his wife Nova Aey, brother Gerald and brother-in-law Russell.

Visitation will be on Saturday, January 16, 2016 from 11 to 2pm at the Monreal Funeral Home, 35400 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake. A funeral service will immediately follow at 2pm at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers donations in honor of Edward can be made to the Hospice of the Western Reserve.

Tribute Wall

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“What can I say about my Dad. He was a simple man. He absolutely loved a good joke. He loved to make everyone smile and laugh. He had a wonderfully fun sense of humor. To give you a picture of my father’s sense of humor - in his home, he had a room where he pinned stuffed animals and beanie babies to the ceiling. This was my children’s favorite room to be in while visiting when they were little. Also, throughout his house he had random newspaper cartoons pinned to pictures or on the walls. He cut out characters and included them in photos. He even had cut out a picture of my nephew and pinned it in the clock. After his passing we went to the house to find photos and mementos and in our search we discovered a bag of eyeballs. Scary eyeballs that lit up. None of us batted an eye as we just knew he used these to scare neighbors, mailman, and anyone who happened by the house; not necessarily on Halloween! He loved to laugh and if there was a chance to elicit a laugh, dad was all over it. I think this is where my brother Doug gets his sense of humor that I love. He made a wonderful impression on all who crossed his path and I know he will be missed not just by me and my siblings, not by just his grandchildren, but by all those who knew him. Because to have known my dad, was to know that someone cared. He was that kind of guy. It was my pleasure over the last 5 months, to be able to spend time with dad one on one. Dad binge-watched Downtown Abbey with me during these visits and did not complain once about watching again, even though it was probably the 3rd or 4th time he’d watched the series. My daughter Bekah, and her boyfriend Greg were with us there when we first started watching together and during the episodes he would drop hints as to the nature of some of the characters, indicating which ones were the good guys; and which the bad guys;. You could count on dad to enjoy these types of things. Also during my visits, we would sit outside at lunch and watch the chipmunks. This was a favorite pastime of dad’s. I enjoyed the delight in his eyes as he told me what those little furry creatures were up to each day. In the mornings when he woke up, I would go see how he

*was doing and tell him it was time for his latte and breakfast. EVERYTIME he would pretend to be startled, and every time I would be startled as well. He never failed in some way to make me smile, laugh and feel loved. I am so proud to have been loved by this wonderful man. I am so happy to have had time to spend with him in his last months, and I will forever see his smile in my mind and hear his laughter in my head as I remember him. He was my daddy and I will miss him. But I KNOW I will see him again and on that day, what a party there will be!*His Daughter - Dee Dee Aey

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“ Thank you Randie - it means so much. His Daughter - Dee

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“ Thank you so much Ann. His Daughter - Dee

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“ Ed was known to me only on Facebook, but from his posts, I could glean what an outstanding family man, friend, and citizen he was. I am sorry for your loss, and may God Grant Ed's family and friends His Comfort and Peace Now and Always!

Ann Kurz - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ My sincere condolences. He is with Nova now and in a better place. My thought and prayers are with you .Randie Curtis

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