



Joseph Simonitis

June 16, 1941 - May 8, 2018

Joseph D. Simonitis, age 76, of Willowick, went to rest surrounded by his family on May 8, 2018. He was born in Cleveland, on June 16, 1941, to the late Frank and Stella Simonitis.

He was a proud and loving husband, father and grandfather who will be greatly missed by all who knew him. He was a proud Veteran of the Vietnam War, he was also a Commander and lifetime member and rider of the American Legion 678. He was also a lifetime member of VFW post 3863. Also known as “Bus Driver Joe” of VASJ and the Slovene Home for the Aged. Joe was a Ham radio operator (KD8WLM). As a mechanic for over 30 years, he loved boats and planes.

Joseph is survived by his wife of 52 years, Patricia Simonitis (nee Pieschalski), children Don (Jacqi) Simonitis and Marsha (Bill) Miller, granddaughters Janis and Melissa. He was an Uncle and cousin to many.

He was preceded in death by his sister, Elaine Simonitis and his brother, Richard Simonitis.

Visitation will be on Friday, May 11, 2018 from 4 to 8pm at the Monreal Funeral Home, 35400 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake.

A Funeral Service will be held on Saturday, May 12, 2018 at 10:00am at the Monreal Funeral Home. Interment to follow at All Souls Cemetery, Chardon.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 11. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Monreal Funeral Home
35400 Curtis Blvd.
Eastlake, OH 44095

Funeral Service

MAY 12. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

TL

“ My deepest condolence to the Simonitis family,,i only met "pops" a handfull of times but always looked foward to the next encounter. Joe's giving,entertaining,good natured positive outlook on life will b missed. His legacy will influence everyone through the failmy and friends that shared good times with him. The world is less a place without him in it. Goodbye Pops!!!

tom lysowski - May 11, 2018 at 05:07 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Joseph Simonitis.



May 10, 2018 at 04:36 PM

WD

“ William R Dittebrand purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Joseph Simonitis.



William R Dittebrand - May 10, 2018 at 03:08 PM

LF

“ I am so sad to hear about Joe's passing. He was always so nice to me. I will miss him.

Laura Finson

Laura Finson - May 09, 2018 at 07:12 PM