



## Ralph W. Holy

May 22, 1957 - October 30, 2017

Ralph W. Holy, age 60, of Mentor, passed away October 30, 2017. He was born in Willowick, on May, 22, 1957. He was a proud and loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle and dear friend who loved spending time with family and friends and will be greatly missed by many. Ralph was known for his kind and caring nature and how he was always helping someone. He worked for the Internal Revenue Service for almost 40 years and loved his job. Ralph loved his wife with all his heart since they started dating as teenagers. He was very committed to his church, St. Bede the Venerable, serving on the Finance Committee. Ralph enjoyed being a member of the Chagrin Lagoons Yacht Club, boating, biking, tennis, nature, and playing with his granddaughter.

Ralph is survived by his wife of 37 years, Debra (nee Zizelman); children Kevin Holy, and Kristen (Chris) McGinness; granddaughter Allison; brother Richard (Diane) Holy; and many other loving family members. He was preceded in death by his parents, Wilhelm and Eileen Holy. A Funeral Mass will be held on Saturday, November 4, 2017 at 11am at St. Bede the Venerable, 9114 Lakeshore Blvd, Mentor. Visitation will be on Friday, November 3, 2017 from 2-4 and 6-8pm at the Monreal Funeral Home, 35400 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake. Memorial donations in memory of Ralph can be made to Hospice of the Western Reserve.



# Previous Events

## Funeral Mass

NOV 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Bede The Venerable  
9114 Lakeshore Blvd  
Mentor, OH 44060

# Tribute Wall

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“ To Debbie...so sorry to hear of Ralph's passing. We have fond memories of our days together especially supporting the Force at the old Coliseum! He was a great guy and will be missed by many. Sorry to have missed his service as we were out-of-town. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family...so sad.  
Mark and Kathy Dahler

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**the Dahlers** - November 06, 2017 at 02:02 PM

TJ

“ Ralph and I used to commute to Dyke College back in the 70s. We would walk through the Erievue Building lobby that had a set of revolving doors. I would hop into the same section of the revolving door as Ralph and then yell “help, how do you get out of this thing?” That would make Ralph's face turn red. We would laugh for the rest of our walk to school. We had many fun times. I am going to miss him.

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**Tom Jones** - November 04, 2017 at 07:36 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ralph W. Holy.



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November 02, 2017 at 05:21 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams* was purchased for the family of *Ralph W. Holy*.



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November 01, 2017 at 04:04 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Ralph W. Holy*.



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November 01, 2017 at 12:07 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Ralph W. Holy*.



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November 01, 2017 at 10:20 AM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket* was purchased for the family of *Ralph W. Holy*.



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November 01, 2017 at 10:15 AM

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“ *Ralph was a "wonderful" father who raised two beautiful, intelligent children with the love of his life, Debbie Holy! We will all miss him so much! Our thoughts and prayers go out to all who had the privilege of knowing Ralph W. Holy and his family. Great neighbors, great friends.....*

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**Barbara E. Petrusky** - October 31, 2017 at 06:08 PM

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“ *Love, Paul, Barb, Becki, Alex, Katie & Kip Petrusky purchased the Garden of Serenity Bouquet for the family of Ralph W. Holy.*



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**Love, Paul, Barb, Becki, Alex, Katie & Kip Petrusky** - October 31, 2017 at 05:56 PM