



Francis P. "Pat" Meenan, Sr.

November 3, 1926 - April 1, 2009

Mr. Francis P. "Pat" Meenan, Sr., age 82, currently of the Heritage Healthcare Center and formerly an Ontario St. resident, passed away on Wednesday, April 01, 2009 at the Heritage Center.

Born in Utica on November 3, 1926, Francis was the son of the late Robert James and Ida (Edwards) Meenan. He was raised and educated locally. A veteran of World War II, he was proud to serve his country in the U.S. Navy. On July 24, 1948 he was joined in marriage to the former Rose A. Pavese with whom he shared 60 years in a very loving and devoted union; the two of them were inseparable.

A man who enjoyed his career, Pat was employed with the Chicago Pneumatic Tool Company retiring as an inspector. At work and at home, he was a kind and well-mannered person. He was a good provider for his family and they were the main focus of his existence. He was active in his children's lives and always showed a concern for their wellbeing. He encouraged them to participate in sports and escorted them to bowling, skiing, and skating. He supported their activities, and volunteered with the Boy Scouts when they were young. Among his other attributes, Pat was a craftsman and woodworking artisan. He built furniture and was always tinkering and repairing. He was a parishioner of St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish.

Pat is survived by his wife, Rose; and his daughter and son-in-law, Linda and Paul Talarico of Texas. He cherished the memory of his beloved son, Francis

P. Meenan, Jr., who passed away on September 27, 1999. Survivors also include his brother and sister-in-law, Robert and Betty Meenan of Utica; his nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, and sister-in-law, Angie Pavese. He also leaves his friend, Clara Dempsey. He was predeceased by his brother, Bernard Meenan; his sister, Mary Oliver; and his brother-in-law, Lawrence Pavese.

The family is grateful to Dr. Roger Breslow for his professional kindness and concern; Francis' neighbor, Kevin, who was always available to lend a hand, as well as Angie and Clara for their love and devotion to Francis and Rose. Visitation will be held Sunday (today) from 2:00-5:00 at the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave. Francis' funeral service will commence on Monday morning at 10:30 from the funeral home and at 11:30 at St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish where his Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated. Interment will follow at St. Agnes Cemetery with Military Honors.

Tribute Wall



“ Eannace Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Francis P. "Pat" Meenan, Sr.



Eannace Funeral Home, Inc. - April 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Our deepest sympathy to cousin Rosie & family.##imported-begin##Michelle (Curriere) & Bill Lopiccolo##imported-end##

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“ I loved my Uncle Pat very much. He was so involved in our lives. After our mother passed away, he looked out for me and my brothers and sisters. He loved going to my sister Barbie's resaurant and always went to the local parades and feasts to see my son play with the Red Band and the Shriners. I will miss him with all my heart and cherish all the memories we have of him.##imported-begin##Patricia & Donald Brunet##imported-end##

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“ Our deepest sympathies go out to Rose and her family. We were blessed to know Pat. He was a kind and gentle person who always wore a smile!##imported-begin##Kevin, UnHui, Crystal and Sara Bollinger##imported-end##

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“ My deepest sympathy goes to all the family.##imported-begin##Marcia Brockett##imported-end##

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“ Our sympathy to Aunt Rosie and all the family, We too has so many wonderful memories of our Uncle Pat, He will be deeply missed and will forever hold a special place in all our hearts. I am so blessed to say he was my Great Uncle and I write these words with a very heavy heart. He always had joke, a smile and you couldn't help but love his rosy cheeks!
Love Your Great-Niece##imported-begin##Wendy, Russ, Ryon, RJ and Joey##imported-end##

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“ With our deepest sympathy to Rosie and all the family. We have some wonderful memories of many great times spent with Pat and Rosie. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Love,
Cousins Vinnie, Mary, Wayne,
Loretta and Jim##imported-begin##Cousins Vinnie Marchione,
Loretta & Jim Fulton, Mary & Wayne Beavers##imported-end##

April 03, 2009 at 11:06 AM



“ For Pat-

We will miss his great sense of humor and clever ways. We often think of him when we use the wood trivets he made use and all the times he drove through snow storms with Rosie and Angie for Elizabeth's birthday parties.

There will always be a warm place in our hearts for my uncle Pat. My family and I will keep Rosie in our daily prayers.

His loving nephew and family,

Larry, Eileen and Elizabeth##imported-begin##Eileen, Elizabeth and Larry Pavese##imported-end##

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