



Mr. Kermitt E. Yerman

June 15, 1941 - September 22, 2014

Mr. Kermitt E. Yerman, age 73, passed away on Monday, September 22, 2014 at the Faxton-St. Luke's Healthcare Center with his loving family by his side. Born in Utica on June 15, 1941, Kermitt was the son of the late Kermitt A. and Emma (Jones) Yerman. He was raised and educated locally. A proud veteran, Kermitt honorably served his country with the United States Marine Corps. On April 4, 1964 he wed the former Marie A. Ruggiero and held her dear during their 50 years of married life.

At one time, Kermitt was under the employ of the General Electric Radio Receiver Plant until its closing. In more recent years, he enjoyed his time being self-employed. A beloved patriarch, Kermitt provided for his family and loved them with all his heart. He took pride in owning two harness racing horses, and he enjoyed the sport of bowling. As a sports enthusiast, he had a fondness for the fun and excitement of playing in Fantasy Leagues.

Kermitt is survived by his wife, Marie; his daughter and son-in-law, Kim and Shawn O'Keefe of FL; his sons and daughters-in-law, Kris Yerman of Deerfield, Kyle and Sheila Yerman of Litchfield, NY, Kurt and Melissa Yerman of TX, and Kary Yerman, and Kreg Yerman, both of Utica; his grandchildren, Kaitlin O'Keefe, Daniel O'Keefe; Emma Yerman, Kamryn Yerman, Elizabeth Yerman, and Emily Yerman; and his brother and sister-in-law, Gary and Rev. Geraldine Yerman of Rome, NY. He also leaves many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, and brother-in-law, Joseph J. Ruggiero, AZ. Visitation will be held Thursday from 5:00-7:00 at the Eannace Funeral Home,

Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave. Prayers will be offered by Rev. Geraldine Yerman on Thursday at 7:00 p.m. at the funeral home immediately upon conclusion of visitation. Committal will take place in St. Agnes Cemetery at the convenience of the family.

Cemetery Details

St. Agnes Cemetery at the convenience of the family

601 Arthur Street
Utica, NY

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **25**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Eannace Funeral Home, Inc.
932 South Street
corner of Hammond Ave.
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 724-6714
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<https://www.eannacefuneralhome.com>

Tribute Wall

DS

“ Marie and children ,
I am so very sorry for your loss. I have so many good memories of
Kerm and the family. May God be with you all at this very sad time.

Deanna Santino - September 27, 2014 at 12:23 PM

DS

“ Deanna Santino lit a candle in memory of Mr.
Kermitt E. Yerman



Deanna Santino - September 27, 2014 at 12:20 PM

PC

“ Marie and Family In ways big and small Bunky's life chANGED
OUR WORLD AND LEFT IT A BETTER PLACE AND HE
TOUCHED SO MANY HEARTS. mAY YOU FIND COMFORT IN
THE MEMORIES THAT ARE YOURS TO CHERISH ALWAYS AND
STRENGTH IN THE COMPANIONSHIP OF THOSE WHO SHARE
YOUR LOSS. jUST WANTED YOU TO KNOW i'M THING OF YOU
AT THIS DIFFICULT TIME IN YOUR LIVES. i HAVE MANY
BEAUTIFUL MEMORIES OF OUR CHILDHOOD DAYS!
IOVE AND PRAYERS,
pAT cARROLL(mARTIN)

Pat Carroll - September 27, 2014 at 07:41 AM

ES

“ So sad to hear of Kerm's passing. He was so much a part of my memories, growing up on Brinckerhoff Ave? He will always be in our thoughts and prayers.

Dan & Eileen Sears

Eileen Sears - September 26, 2014 at 01:08 PM

LI

“ My thoughts and prayers are with "Bunky" and all of his family at this time. May God give you comfort at this time. Linda Jones White

Linda - September 26, 2014 at 07:37 AM

KW

“ Kathlen Williams-Sandouk lit a candle in memory of Mr. Kermitt E. Yerman



Kathlen Williams-Sandouk - September 25, 2014 at 07:00 PM

CY

“ Uncle Kerm (Bunky) is well loved by all (Especially us!) and will be greatly missed. He had a great sense of humor and his life gave us so many great memories to cherish! He is without pain now and soaring with the eagles and angels! We love you all very much! Christy, David, and Gianna (Yerman) Dieruf

christine yerman - September 25, 2014 at 10:30 AM

JR

“ To my sister Marie, my niece, Kim, my nephews, Kurt, Kyle, Kris, Kary, and Kraig, We extend our sincerest sympathy to each of you in the loss of your husband and beloved father. Kerm was not only my brother-in-law, but a comrade-in-arms. We often traded barbs about our branches of service, yet I will always remember Kerm as, "One of the Few, and One of the Proudest Marines" I ever knew.

Joseph J. and Nancy M. Ruggiero, Peoria AZ

Joseph J, Ruggiero - September 25, 2014 at 08:01 AM

CB

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family Marie.

carol vosburgh brady - September 25, 2014 at 07:33 AM

PP

“ Many prayers for all of you.
Phil and Jackie Price

Phil Price - September 25, 2014 at 06:35 AM

KS

“ Aunt Marie and Family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this passing of my Uncle Kerm, your husband and father. May God Bless you all. Uncle Bunk will be missed dearly by us. We love you all very much,
Karen, Francis and Zachary Schrader

Karen Schrader - September 25, 2014 at 12:02 AM

KS

“ Karen Schrader sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Kermitt E. Yerman



Karen Schrader - September 24, 2014 at 11:59 PM

RF

“ Our thoughts and prayers for Kerm and all of you. May God comfort you. Love Kirk and Rita

Rta Finnegan - September 24, 2014 at 09:51 PM

LP

“ The thoughts and prayers of our family are with you, Ann. Love Lisa

Lisa Patt-McDaniel - September 24, 2014 at 08:18 PM

KH

“ So very sorry to hear of Kermitts passing well miss him at the fables. Kathy Hoffman

k hoffman - September 24, 2014 at 07:53 PM

MH

“ Mary Hosey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Kermitt E. Yerman



Mary Hosey - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 PM



“ *Simply Lily was purchased for the family of Mr. Kermitt E. Yerman.*



September 24, 2014 at 10:51 AM