



Mr. Walter P. Morgan

April 13, 1944 - November 4, 2017

UTICA – Mr. Walter P. “Captain Morgan” Morgan, age 73, passed away on Saturday, November 4, 2017 at the Heritage Health Care Center.

Born on April 13, 1944, in Rome, NY, Walter was the son of Helen (Wiatr) Morgan. He attended Utica schools and furthered his studies at the Utica School of Commerce receiving an Associate Degree in Business. Walter began a loving and devoted union with Ann Anfora Bodway when they married on December 16, 1991.

Walter was self-employed as a truck driver and was a member of the Teamsters. On a personal level, Walter had a wonderful personality, full of good humor and wit. He enjoyed DVDs and was also an avid reader. In his spare time, he enjoyed taking road trips with his loved ones.

Walter is survived by his wife, Ann; his stepdaughters and their spouses, Tammy and David Vomus, Linda and Greg Grindstaff, and Robin McGrath; and his step-grandchildren, Suzie, Jason, Jeanie, Joshua, Tasha, Billy, and Christopher. He also leaves dear friends Bernadette and Tony Riccardo, Giovanna Riccardo, and Josephine Zenzillo.

The family would like to thank the 7th floor staff at the Heritage Home for the comfort and compassion they extended to Walter.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend his committal and graveside service on Monday, November 13th at 11:30 at Calvary Cemetery with Rev. Mark Kaminski officiating.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

2407 Oneida Street
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 735-2727

Previous Events

Service

NOV 13. 11:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I had lost track of you , Walter, so very long ago.
Seeing your life history and smiling face in Sunday's OD,
immediately brought me to memories of the 1980's.

Your laugh.

Your generosity in making happen a part time job for me at the
Polish Club. I can hear you laughing now at all the personalities and
good times. I have forever shared my stories of my 25 year old non
Polish speaking job at a Polish speaking only club in West Utica. 😊

Jump ahead, and your world changed forever. You rose to the
enormous challenge after the accident. You found enormous
Superman strength to make it each day.

The last few decades we would by chance catch up at Barnesand
Noble. You were so well read, Walter, always excited as a child with
some new read and wanting to share the reason I had to go read it.
The last time I saw you, Walter, you were full joy, love, smiles and
pride as you introduced me to your love, your wife, Ann. I could feel
your happiness.

My heart goes out to you, Ann, for your loss . Your love and
devotion to Walter were so evident in that so very short meeting.

Walter, dear friend, Rest in Peace. Godspeed.
and Thank You.
Big hug.

Nancy Cox Marafioti - November 13, 2017 at 09:47 AM

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“ He and Ann have been like parents to me. He was an amazing
man...

Elme - November 12, 2017 at 05:14 PM