



Alfred "Al" E. Crump Sr.

March 12, 1930 - January 18, 2023

Alfred (Al) Ernest Crump, Sr. passed away at home on January 18, 2023, surrounded by family, just four days short of his wife, Irma, and his 72nd wedding anniversary. Alfred was born on March 12, 1930, in Wilmington, Delaware. After he was wed to Irma, he left to serve in the Army overseas to fight in the Korean War.

When he returned home, he started working for Chrysler and continued to for 30 years. During his time at Chrysler, Al also started Kirkwood Gas Company, out of his home, in his free time. He continued to operate this business after retiring from Chrysler and it continues to operate today... more than 60 years later. Al and his two siblings also founded a family campground, Elkview Shores, in Earleville, MD. They started this business in 1956 after inheriting the land from their mother and grandparents, who had founded White Crystal Beach.

One of Al's favorite things to do was go to the Auction. He was an avid collector, collecting anything from coins, jewelry, watches and model cars. On a Sunday, you would always find him sitting on the couch tuned into the Eagles game, with Irma nearby.

Al is survived by his wife, Irma Crump; son, Mike Crump Sr. (Debbie); daughter-in-law, Christine Crump; grandchildren: Mike Crump Jr. (Crystal),

Karrie Roy (Shawn), Pete Wilson (Nikki), Maureen Moran (Tom), Shannon Watson (Nate), Terra Castelow (Gary), Alissa Brooks (John), and Ryan Crump (Sandra); many great- grandchildren; and one great-great-granddaughter. He was preceded in death by two sons: Kevin Crump and Ernie Crump.

A visitation will be held Thursday, February 2, 2023, from 11 AM- 12 Noon at Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home, 635 Churchmans Rd., Newark, DE 19702 followed by a service in celebration of Al's life at 12 Noon. Burial will follow in Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery. For directions or to send an online condolence visit www.stranofeeley.com

Cemetery Details

Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery

2465 Chesapeake City Road
Bear, DE 19701

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 2. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home
635 Churchmans Rd
Newark, DE 19702
(302) 731-5459
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Service

FEB 2. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Alfred "Al" E. Crump Sr..*



February 01, 2023 at 01:26 PM



“ *Mike and family, so sorry for your loss. Godspeed Mr. Crump Sir*

Jim Williams - January 27, 2023 at 04:27 PM



“ *Michael I'm sorry for the loss of your father he was a good man. Rest in peace Rest in peace Mr. Crump. Christopher gives his condolences. Stephanie sweetman, and Christopher wehde*



Stephanie sweetman - January 27, 2023 at 07:51 AM



“ *Irma & Family, We are sorry for your loss. We remember you and him at events run by the Moose Lodge. Sending prayers to you for your grieving. Know that he will be with you always in your hearts and memories. Donnie (Dutton) Baker and Debbie (Dutton) Breznitsky*

Debbie Breznitsky - January 26, 2023 at 10:42 AM

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“ Gary Sokola lit a candle in memory of Alfred
"Al" Crump



Gary Sokola - January 26, 2023 at 08:49 AM