



Gary F. Laurenzi Sr.

November 27, 1948 - October 30, 2022

Gary F. Laurenzi, Sr., 73, of Wilmington, passed away on October 30, 2022. Mr. Laurenzi was a US Army Veteran and a past Grand Knight and District Deputy for the Knights of Columbus.

Gary is survived by his children, Gary (Kimberly) Laurenzi, Jr. and Michelle (Tom) Kelly; grandchildren: Alyssa, Angie, Anthony, Arianna, Ashley, Hayden and Kyra; great grandchild, Sophia; siblings: Terry Laurenzi, Francis Laurenzi, Jr., Toniann Laurenzi, and Denise Laurenzi; he is also survived by his great niece, Calleigh, as well as many loving nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews. He was preceded in death by his former spouse, Cathy Laurenzi; brother, Michael Laurenzi and sister, Paula Laurenzi.

Relatives and friends are invited to the viewing on Monday, November 7, 2022 from 11 to 12 PM at Strano and Feeley Family Funeral Home, 635 Churchmans Road in Newark, where a funeral service will be held at 12 PM. Interment will follow at the Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Bear.

Cemetery Details

Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery

2465 Chesapeake City Road
Bear, DE 19701

Previous Events

Viewing

NOV 7. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home
635 Churchmans Rd
Newark, DE 19702
(302) 731-5459
info@stranofeeley.com

Service

NOV 7. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

NOV 7. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Sorry to hear of Gary`s passing will never forget time at winner ford dover de. To his family you have my deepest sympathy may he rest in peace Andy Fabian Camden De.

Andy Fabian - March 06, 2023 at 02:52 PM

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“ Fond memories of a great person and forever friend. Happy B-Day, GFPL.

Kathy Halko Gallagher



Kathy Gallagher - November 27, 2022 at 08:49 PM

Susan Dunlap

“ Gary always made me laugh. Will miss seeing him at church. Great guy!

Susan Dunlap - November 02, 2022 at 03:08 PM



“ Anyone that knew Gary well would agree that he was loyal to a fault, the funniest guy around and had a big heart. I never met anyone personally that dislike Gary because he lit up a room when he walked in. It was rare that Gary would be negative about any person or event but if he was, they probably deserved it and Gary always levitated to the positive. He had the skills to do that and bring you along for the ride too. Personally, and i think I speak for a lot of those that had the opportunity to work with Gary, you could not help but love the guy. He was far from perfect and to be honest not even the greatest car guy, but he was a great team player, and he was easy to work with. One of his best skills and he was a master at it, he was the best at managing people. He was able to get results because those that work with him, worked for him because he always had their backs and was the buffer between upper management and the sales team. I always respected that about Gary. I speak mainly as a fellow car guy that worked with Gary for eleven years of my forty-year car career. I started my career working with Gary and he was the first person I met the day I arrived at Winner Ford on Cleveland Ave for my first interview. Like myself there are many people that could tell you stories about Gary. Of course, the car business was a huge part of all of our lives and most of us like Gary got into it because they gave you a brand-new car or truck to drive as your personal Demo. Most of us never thought it would turn into a career. Just something to do until something better came up. The car business was not all of Gary's story though and many of you reading this probably do not know but Gary owned a night club at one time and most of the guy's Gary started with in the car biz were customers of his at the night club. I will not go into it here but man the stories Gary would tell. "Eternal rest grant unto Gary, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine unto him. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen."

Stephen Balogh - November 02, 2022 at 11:46 AM



“ *Stephen Balogh lit a candle in memory of Gary Laurenzi* ”



Stephen Balogh - November 02, 2022 at 11:44 AM