



## Arnold DeBonis

April 26, 1927 - December 12, 2016

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RACINE - Arnold DeBonis, 89, passed away on December 12, 2016 surrounded by his family. A lifelong resident, he was born in Racine on April 26, 1927 to the late Nick and Catherine (nee: Monfeli) DeBonis. He served in the United States Army for two years during WWII. On September 18, 1954 Arnold was united in marriage to LaVerne Lucier. He worked as a traffic manager at Western Publishing, and was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church. He enjoyed golfing, gardening and spending time with family and friends.

Arnold is survived by his children; Debra DeBonis, Donna (Phil) Gissen, Daniel (Cathy) DeBonis, and David (Chris) DeBonis, grandchildren; Brittany Anderson, Charles DeBonis, Jasmin DeBonis, Jacob DeBonis, and Zachary DeBonis. He is further survived by other relatives and friends.

Arnold was preceded in death by his wife, LaVerne, on September 1, 1997. Mass of Christian Burial will be held at Sacred Heart Catholic Church on Friday, December 16, 2016 at 10 a.m. Visitation at 9 a.m. with service to follow at 10am. Arnold will be laid to rest at Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery. A special thank-you for the loving care provided by the staff at Jackson Crossings and the staff at Seasons Hospice.

# Cemetery Details

## Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery Hwy 32

5600 Holy Cross Road  
Racine, WI 53402

# Previous Events

## Mass of Christian Burial

DEC 16. 10:00 AM (CT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
2201 Northwestern Ave  
Racine, WI

## Visitation

DEC 16. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
2201 Northwestern Ave  
Racine, WI

# Tribute Wall

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“ Arnie was a wonderful neighbor for 4 years. When we moved in he gave us all the history of our home and the neighborhood. He had great stories of raising his family here. He was such a sweet man. My children called him Mr. Arnie and they loved waving to him and trying to get his attention even when he couldn't hear or see them. I remember him saying, "I've always been lucky in life." I think he just had a great attitude about life and things worked out for him. Love to his family. He will be missed. The Popplers

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**Jennifer Poppler** - December 14, 2016 at 12:43 AM