



John "Jack" Schliesmann

April 16, 1926 - August 18, 2012

John B. Schliesmann

CALEDONIA - John B. 'Jack' Schliesmann, 86, passed away at his daughter's home in Caledonia, surrounded by his devoted wife and loving family on Saturday, August 18th, 2012.

Jack was born in Racine, WI on April 16, 1926, the son of John M. and Louise (nee: Michna) Schliesmann. He was united in marriage for 63 years to Bernyce (nee: Sowicky). Jack was a CPA and managing partner of Gordon J. Maier & Co for 43 years, retiring in 1991. He was a graduate of Marquette University, St. Catherine's High School, and St. John Nepomuck School. Jack was a principal in establishing St. Catherine's High School Foundation, Secretary to the board of Racine Country Club for 28 years, Commander of the American Legion Post in Racine and an Eagle Scout. In Venice, Florida, Jack was a member of board of the Plantation Golf and Country Club and a member of Epiphany Cathedral. He also served as board member of several different private companies and in the United States Army during World War II. Jack is survived by his wife, Bernyce of Venice, FL; son, John L. (Sue) Schliesmann of Brookfield, WI; daughter, Janel A. Schliesmann of Caledonia; son, Jeffrey J. (Cindi) Schliesmann of Evanston, IL; son, Barry E. (Kim) Schliesmann of Winnetka, IL; grandchildren, Kara (Jeff) Batchelor, Greg, Michael, Brad, Aidan, Declan, Egan, Cormac, Liam, Anikka and Tomas Schliesmann; great granddaughter, Ava Batchelor; nieces, Elaine

Schliesmann, Mary McClain and Sally Schliesmann. Jack is preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Fr. Joseph Schliesmann and Lewis Schliesmann.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at the Siena Center, 5635 Erie Street, on Wednesday, August 22, 2012 at 11 a.m. with Fr. Paul Stemn officiating, Deacon Barry Schliesmann assisting. There will be a time to meet with family and friends at the Siena Center from 9:30 a.m. until time of Mass at 11 a.m. Jack will be laid to rest at Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery in a private ceremony.

A special thanks to Heartland Hospice Care for their loving care and services. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial donations to the St. Catherine's Foundation and the Siena Center.

Cemetery Details

Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery Hwy 32

5600 Holy Cross Road
Racine, WI 53402

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 22. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Siena Center
5635 Erie Street
Racine, WI

Mass of Christian Burial

AUG 22. 11:00 AM (CT)

Siena Center
5635 Erie Street
Racine, WI

Tribute Wall



“ Sturino Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of John "Jack" Schliesmann



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janel schliesmann - August 20, 2012 at 09:53 PM

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“ Janel - My sympathy to you in the loss of your father. Marlene Marion, Compuware-Detroit.

Marlene Marion - August 20, 2012 at 02:27 PM

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“ Janel, my favorite memory of your dad was your trying to explain to me how your dad didn't cook. To get the point across you said he didn't even know how to turn the stove on. That to me was a true dad. He didn't bother with the little stuff. Love to you and your great family.

Mary B Myers - August 19, 2012 at 09:26 PM