



Leo Colombaro

December 2, 1931 - April 4, 2025

Leo Colombaro, 93, passed away peacefully in his home on Friday, April 4, 2025. He was born on December 2, 1931, in Toledo to Louis and Christine (Abanello) Colombaro. He graduated from Woodward High School and served in the Korean War in the Army.

He worked at General Mills in packaging maintenance for 42 years, where he met and married his wife of 59 years, Novah. Leo loved hunting and trained his beagle, Jake, as a flusher. His most enjoyable times were spent at Posey Lake, MI, where he had a cottage which he built, and an apple orchard. He spent many hours fishing there with his mother-in-law, Alice Whittaker.

Leo is survived by his daughter, Alice (Nick Zunk) Colombaro; granddaughters, Haley Colombaro, and Gabrielle (Jon Gore) Zunk; and great granddaughters, Lexi, Bella, Evie and Addie Gore. He is preceded in death by his parents; his siblings; his wife, Novah who passed in January of 2016; and his son, Mark who passed on October 29, 2024.

Family and friends are invited to visit at Ansberg-West Funeral Home, 3000 W. Sylvania Ave., on Sunday, April 13, 2025, from 4:00pm – 8:00pm. A memorial service will be at the funeral home on Monday, April 14, 2025, at 11:00am. Interment will follow at Ottawa Hills Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the ASPCA (<https://secure.aspca.org/>)

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Cemetery Details

Ottawa Hills Memorial Park

4210 Central Ave
Toledo, OH 43606

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **13**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Ansberg-West Funeral Home
3000 W. Sylvania Ave
Toledo, OH 43613

Memorial Service

APR **14**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I remember times on the pontoon at Posey Lake with Mr. Colombaro captaining both his and my family. I remember Mr. Colombaro teaching me how to drive his go cart, and them immediately crashing through his backyard fence. And, all the sweet treats he brought us from GM. And I remember the need for Alice and me to be "quiet" as Mr. Colombaro had to sleep in accommodation of the night shift hours. Oh, the fun I had with Alice and the Colombaro family. Mr. Colombaro , thanks for the memories



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