



## Walter Armstrong

August 2, 1929 - August 15, 2010

Walter Armstrong, 81, of Toledo, passed away Sunday August 15, 2010, at Hospice of Northwest Ohio, in Toledo. He was born August 2, 1929 in Mansfield, OH and was a graduate of Mansfield Madison High School. He moved to Toledo in 1960. Walter was an assistant manager for Metropolitan Life Insurance, where he retired after 35 years. Following retirement he was a school bus driver for Blessed Sacrament and retired twice from driving. Walter and Alice spent part of their retirement years in Florida, along with their dog, Victoria He was a member of Blessed Sacrament Church where he served on the usher team for 30 years. Some of Walter's hobbies include, bowling, fishing, playing cards, billiards, camping, NASCAR and traveling. He loved attending his children's and grandchildren's sporting events including, football games, baseball games, concerts and gymnastics. Walter loved people and never met anyone he did not like. He always had your back and was the life of the party. He was the rock and firm foundation of the family. Walter left the struggles of the world to enter eternal glory. He gone from us, but will be in paradise forever. Walter was a loving husband, father, and great provider for his family. He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Alice Armstrong; sons, Larry (Ruth Ann) Armstrong, Tim (Deb) Armstrong, Bruce (Kathy) Armstrong, and Mike (Allison) Armstrong; daughter, Judy (Joel) Baker; grandchildren, Laura (Mike), David (Ann), Jeni (Greg), Matt, Kristin, Heather (Brian), Jeremy (Keris), Bryan, Jessica, Justin, Mike Jr., Ashley and Nicholas. He is also survived by his great-grandchildren, Braden and Daniel; brother, Bruce (Irma)

Armstrong and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his grandson, Matthew Cox. Friends are invited to visit from 4-8 p.m. Tuesday, in the Ansberg-West Funeral Home, 3000 Sylvania Avenue. A Memorial Mass will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, in Blessed Sacrament Church. Interment will be private. Memorial contributions may be made to Blessed Sacrament Church or Hospice of Northwest Ohio. The family would like to extend a special thanks to the staff at Hospice of Northwest for the wonderful care given to Walter. Arrangements entrusted the Ansberg-West Funeral Directors (419) 472-7633.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Walter was a kind, sweet man who brought me safely to and from school everyday when he was our bus driver at Blessed Sacrament. I remember I used to sit in the seat behind him as he drove and would chatter away at him. He was always kind to me and made my daily bus ride a special treat. He will be missed. Rest in Peace Walter. Corey (Donovan) Tracey (B.S.S. 1991)*

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**Corey Tracey** - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Please know that I am thinking and praying for everyone in Walt's family. I was the secretary at Blessed Sacrament School between 1984-1993 and had the great pleasure of calling Walt a friend. His infectious smile and generous laugh entered the office before he did! We shared many wonderful conversations and I will forever remember what a truly wonderful person he was. The legions of angels have welcomed the best!*

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**Jan Wasserman** - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Marie and I offer our deepest sympathies to you and your family.*

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**Al & Marie Perrico** - [alperrico@aol.com](mailto:alperrico@aol.com) [alperrico@aol.com](mailto:alperrico@aol.com) - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Walt and I were friends and neighbors. He and Alice and me and my late wife Naomi visted each other and played eucher and we visited when we lived in Florida. Walt saved me from GREAT injuries when we were in our teens by grabbing my leg before I fell about 50 feet to many rocks below. GOD BLESS him and ALICE!* ”

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**RICHARD (DICK) KILGORE** - [rmk8@roadrunner.com](mailto:rmk8@roadrunner.com) [rmk8@roadrunner.com](mailto:rmk8@roadrunner.com) -  
February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Alice and family, So sorry to read about Walt's passing. I am Peg and Don's niece who used to live next door. I remember when you and Walt and the children would come to visit them. Walt always was so nice and cheerful. Just wanted to express my condolences to you and let you know you will be in our prayers as you go through this difficult time. Hope the support of family and friends will give you some comfort.* ”

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**Sandy West Anschutz** - [Anschutzr@bellsouth.net](mailto:Anschutzr@bellsouth.net) [Anschutzr@bellsouth.net](mailto:Anschutzr@bellsouth.net) -  
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