



Rudolph Richard

March 1, 2012

Richard "Dick" Rudolph, 79, of Napoleon, OH died Thursday, March 1, 2012 at the Henry County Hospital. He was born March 16, 1932 in rural McClure to the late Clifton & Agnes (Miller) Rudolph. He was married to Carole (Glass) Rudolph, who preceded him in death on March 15, 2000. On October 20, 2001, he married Susan Crawford Rudolph at St. Paul Lutheran Church in McClure. Dick was the former Police Chief for Napoleon from 1970-1984. He also worked as a Henry County Deputy Sheriff, and as a Napoleon Police patrolman and Sergeant. After retirement, he worked for Napoleon Walmart and was a driver for Grogan's Towne in Napoleon. He was a 1950 graduate of Liberty Center and served in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean War. He was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church, McClure, the Napoleon American Legion, and was Past President of the MIO Law Enforcement Organization. He is survived by his daughter from his first marriage, Lisa (Jim) Wilson of Knoxville, TN, his wife, Susan, and her children; Michell Crawford of Defiance, OH, Rayann (Wayne) Milum of Gahanna, OH, and Ronald Todd (Shawna) Crawford of Liberty Center, OH. 8 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. brother, John (Bernadine) Rudolph of McClure, OH and sisters, Bev (Milt) Overmier of Liberty Center, OH; Audrey Newell of Mason, OH; and Mary (Dick) Kondik of Findlay, OH. He was preceded in death by a brother, Robert McClure, and sister, Shirley Chamberlin. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. this Saturday at Rodenberger Funeral Home in Napoleon. Interment will follow at Forest Hill Cemetery where military honors will be accorded by the

Napoleon Joint Veteran Posts. Friends may call at the funeral home on Friday from 2-8 p.m and on Saturday from 10-11a.m. The family suggests memorials be directed to St. Paul Lutheran Church, McClure Pantry Fund or Umbrella Fund, or Tuesday Quilters in care of Ula Kessler.

Tribute Wall



“ You have my deepest sympathies. Linda##imported-begin##Linda Jones##imported-end##

March 03, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Sorry to hear of Dear Friend Dick's passing, we will miss very much.##imported-begin##Jim And Cheryl Wilson##imported-end##

March 03, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Susie, I just heard of Dick passing. I am sending my sincerest sympathy from Ft. Myers. I am so sorry I am not there to give you hugs. Very Sincerely, Karen##imported-begin##Karen Davis Howell##imported-end##

March 03, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Sue and family....there are no words to express the sadneess we feel on the loss of Dick! I grew up with him and his family as my parents were very close friends and neighbors. Our thoughts and prayers are wwith you all. He was such a sweetheart and will be greatly missed. Rich and Bev Elling and family##imported-begin##Bev Elling##imported-end##

March 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ I knew Dick years ago when I worked at the Adult and Juvenile Probation Department with Stiles, Williamson, Kress and Engel. He always had a smile. He will be missed. Kathy(Wiechers) and Steve Lieb##imported-begin##Kathy & Steve Lieb##imported-end##

March 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Susan, I am so sorry to read of Richard's death. He always made me laugh when he came into the office. He was a sweetheart indeed. My deepest sympathy.##imported-begin##Kris (belding) Miller##imported-end##

March 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Just want to share thoughts and prayers with all of the family Love Rose##imported-begin##Rose McClure##imported-end##

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“ Dear Susie and Families. So sorry to hear about Dick. Sympathy to All LaRena##imported-begin##Don & Larena Callahan##imported-end##

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“ Uncle Dick, I will miss your bright eyes and smile and your ever positive attitude. Thanks for being such a positive influence in my life, especially my early days. Your sense of right from wrong was as strong as anyone I have ever known. When I am told that I am a good man by others, I have you to thank for that as much as anyone. Rest in peace my favorite uncle. You will be missed!##imported-begin##Tim Brown##imported-end##

March 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Rest in Peace Uncle Dick. You will be very missed.##imported-begin##Jennifer Bowsher##imported-end##

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“ Sorry to hear about Dick's passing he was a life long friend and will be missed.Dave @ Carolyn##imported-begin##Dave & Carolyn Bost##imported-end##

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“ His smile was contagious and will be greatly remembered. May God give you peace at this time of loss.##imported-begin##Michael & Robin Klein##imported-end##

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“ Our deepest sympathy to Sue and family. Dick was a fine man and will be missed. God bless you all, Steve and Marsha Deering##imported-begin##Steve Deering##imported-end##

March 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ You have our sympathy at the loss of your Husband and Father. We have many memories from working at Walmart.##imported-begin##Thomas & Barbara Clymer##imported-end##

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“ you have our deepest sympathy for the loss of Richard he will be missed by all who knew him.##imported-begin##Herb/judy Biddle##imported-end##

March 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ It was a privilege to be involved in the life of Dick Rudolph his faith in God was demonstrated especially when he ushered at Church and said Welcome to St Pauls may our Reurrected Lord comfort all who mourn his loss Pastor Richard Weaver Retired former Pastor St Paul McClure and Darlene Thomay Weaver##imported-begin##Rev.richard Weaver##imported-end##

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