



Daniel Harlen Gauger

March 6, 1937 - June 14, 2024

Daniel Harlen Gauger, age 87, Husband of Jeanette Yost Gauger of Linfield, Pennsylvania, passed away on Friday, June 14, 2024 in the Phoenixville Hospital. Born in Pottstown, he was the Adopted Son of Ethel (Dear) and Howard Erbe, whom he lived with since age 7. His parents were Daniel Gauger, Jr. and Elizabeth (Collopy) Gauger.

Along with living and working on the family farm, Dan's professional life started as cook and then owner of Dan's Diner in Phoenixville through the 1960s and selling in 1972. He then worked for Waltz's Sod Farm in Limerick and his last job was with Hydromotion Inc. in Spring City.

He was an extraordinary member of the community, with his greatest passion serving the Linfield Fire Company, first as a Fireman, Fire Chief in 1968 and then Fire Police for 50 plus years. In the 60s and 70s he served in the Linfield and Limerick Lions Club. Daniel was a lifelong member of the Linfield United Church of Christ.

Dan was also known by many as "Farmer Dan" from his many years selling Lancaster County produce on the corner of Lewis Rd & Linfield Rd. As he got older he moved his stand to the end of the driveway of the family farm. He loved the interaction and conversation with all.

Daniel is survived by his loving wife, Jeanette Yost Gauger, his two daughters, Sharon Bieber, wife of Neal, Brenda DeLosh, wife of John, his Grandchildren Galen Bieber, Jason Heimbach, Douglas Gauger, Taylor Heimbach, Nickleas Heimbach, Kurtas Heimbach, his five Great Grandchildren, his Step children, Susan Black, Donna Wetzell, Marilyn Reiss, his seven Step Grandchildren, and four Step Great Grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, adopted parents, his first wife Kathryn Swavely Gauger, and his two Grandchildren Michael Bieber and Mitchell Heimbach.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend his Memorial Service at Cattermole-Klotzbach Funeral Home, 600 Washington Street, Royersford, Pennsylvania on Monday, July 1, 2024 at 11:00 AM. Please come prepared to share your treasured stories of Dan. Friends will be received from 10:00 AM-11:00 AM at Cattermole-Klotzbach Funeral Home. Interment is private.

Please, in lieu of flowers, Memorial contributions may be made to the Linfield United Church of Christ, 25 Reformed Rd, Linfield, PA 19468 or to the Limerick Fire Department, 390 W. Ridge Pike, Limerick, PA 19468. Arrangements are being handled by the Cattermole - Klotzbach Funeral Home. Condolences may be offered online at www.RoyersfordFuneralHome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Cattermole-Klotzbach Funeral Home
600 Washington Street
Royersford, PA 19460

Memorial Service

JUL 1. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Daniel Harlen Gauger*



Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home - June 26, 2024 at 09:04 AM

DR

“ *Denise Roberts lit a candle in memory of Daniel Harlen Gauger*



Denise Roberts - July 25, 2024 at 01:46 PM

DR

Farmer Dan was truly a kind, caring man. I always enjoyed my visits with him to purchase fresh produce from his farm stand. He was an inspiration to many with his dedicated service to our community. My deepest condolences to Jeanette and family for the loss of Farmer Dan. He is probably planting and harvesting produce in heaven. His spirit will live on forever with those who were fortunate to know him.

Denise Roberts - July 25, 2024 at 01:52 PM

RB

“ Sharon and Brenda, my deepest sympathies to you both, sending hugs and love to you on the passing of your dad. Mr. Gauger was always a kind, sweet person, and a true Linfield icon. Take care and God bless. Robin DiCola Bankes.

Robin DiCola Bankes - June 18, 2024 at 01:05 PM

CS

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to the family, and friends, everyone knew Danny if you lived in Linfield. May God Speed, Chris Shingle

Chris Shingle schott - June 18, 2024 at 11:41 AM

RB

“ Our condolences to your Family on the loss of your Dad. May he Rest In Peace among the Angels. Regina and Steve Bilynsky.



Regina Bilynsky - June 18, 2024 at 09:06 AM

LW

“ May the gates of Heaven welcome you to your final home, S.I.P. Lida & Thomas Wallace!!

Lida wallace - June 17, 2024 at 05:19 PM

MB

“ May the white horse transcend man's imagination.



Michael Beard - June 17, 2024 at 05:06 PM