



Joseph T. Kandler

February 25, 1938 - March 21, 2024

Joseph T. Kandler, age 86, husband of Patricia A. (Miller) Kandler of Pottstown, PA, passed away on Thursday, March 21, 2024 peacefully at home after an 18 year battle with dementia. Born on February 25, 1938 in Spring City, he was a son of the late Anna A. (Cushman) and Joseph Kandler.

Mr. Kandler was a member of the first graduating class of the Spring-Ford High School, class of 1956. He worked as a plasterer for over 45 years, a job that he thoroughly enjoyed. In addition, he was successful in the real estate business, from managing his own rental units, to rehabbing and selling properties. Along with his wife, he also owned and operated several motels, including Pirates Cove in Rehoboth Beach, DE and the Econo Lodge in Morgantown, PA.

Mr. Kandler was a lifelong, faithful member of Brownback's United Church of Christ. Beginning in 1959, he and his family resided in the church residence, as he served as sexton and cemetery care taker for over 19 years. He also rose to positions of Deacon and Elder. Mr. Kandler was a member of the Mt. Pickering Lodge #446, F&AM.

Mr. Kandler was an avid gardener, taking pride in the presentation of his property. He enjoyed restoring and collecting hot rods and classic cars. He enjoyed studying and reading about history, was an avid outdoorsman and

hunter, and also enjoyed crossword puzzles. He loved spending time with his family, and especially looked forward to the entire family traveling to Ft. Myers Beach, FL every year for 25 years.

In addition to his wife of 67 years, Mr. Kandler is survived by three children, Joseph, husband of Beth Kandler, Debra, wife of Derrick Boaman, and Kristina, wife of Michael Houck; daughter-in-law, Susan Kandler; fourteen grandchildren, Betsy Magann (Jeff), Jennifer Kandler, Brittany Kolb (Joshua), Allison Kandler (Andrew Croyle), Bobbi Jo Galbreath, Alexis Ford (Jarrod), Stefani Boaman, Derrick Boaman Jr. (Kelli), Evan Boaman (Mikayla), Nicole Boaman (Michael Faulkner), Austin Boaman, Taggart Houck (MaryBrooks), Kennedy Houck (Steve Lamas), and Beckett Houck; fourteen great-grandchildren; three siblings, Jane Roth (Lonnie), James Kandler, and Bruce Kandler; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by one son, Douglas Kandler; and two siblings, Joanne Johnson and Donald Kandler.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend his funeral service at Brownback's United Church of Christ, 640 Ridge Road, Spring City, Pennsylvania on Friday, March 29, 2024 at 12:00 PM. Officiating will be Rev. William Wisneski. Burial will follow in the Church Cemetery. Friends will be received from 9:30 AM-11:30 AM at the Church on Friday morning. A Masonic Service will begin at 11:45 AM. The family has extended an invitation for all in attendance to join in the Fellowship Hall at the conclusion of the committal service for a meal. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in his name to Brownback's United Church of Christ at the address above. Arrangements are being handled by the Cattermole - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Royersford, PA. Condolences may be offered online at www.RoyersfordFuneralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

Brownback's Church Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 29. 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Brownback's United Church of Christ
640 Ridge Road
Spring City, PA 19475

Other

MAR 29. 11:45 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Brownback's United Church of Christ
640 Ridge Road
Spring City, PA 19475

Funeral Service

MAR 29. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Brownback's United Church of Christ
640 Ridge Road
Spring City, PA 19475

Tribute Wall

NI

“ Debra Kandler Boaman, nurse at Main Line Health Bryn Mawr Hospital nurse supervisor, liar to police when I called them on her and the rest of them that I walked naked in maternity ward then that I tried then suddenly the statements are gone in a child line report with false allegations of me supposedly being mental attempting to take my neonate away at birth after surviving medical lynching evidenced by voicemail of Lauren Miller of Paoli Hospital living at this time around King of Prussia. February 2025. Debra, wife of Derrick Boaman, a sack of shit. Rot in hell. I have you on police body cam. Pottstown. Middle of no where people, middle of nowhere stakes, middle of nowhere attitudes. Pennsylvania. Also, middle of no where people, middle of nowhere stakes, middle of nowhere attitudes. The devil Satan is your father. May you burn eternally in hell Debra Kandler Boaman.



Nick - May 18 at 10:32 PM

LF

“ Love, Frances and Dave Fox planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joseph T. Kandler.

Love, Frances and Dave Fox - March 27, 2024 at 07:49 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Joseph T. Kandler.*



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“ *Rob Meissner and Stefanie Kane planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joseph T. Kandler.*

Rob Meissner and Stefanie Kane - March 27, 2024 at 08:46 AM



“ *Rob Meissner and Stefanie Kane purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Joseph T. Kandler.*



Rob Meissner and Stefanie Kane - March 27, 2024 at 08:46 AM

JR

“ My condolences go out to the family of Joe Kandler. My late father built his house in East Coventry, and I would get to see Joe and the McClimon’s when they would come to plaster and stucco my dad’s houses. All good memories of Joe. A straight shooter like none other, but a very nice guy who was easy to talk to and great to be around. I hope all of you find comfort and solace at this sensitive time.

John Romer
Schwenksville

John Romer - March 25, 2024 at 10:15 AM

JF

“ Jesse Painter & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joseph T. Kandler.

Jesse Painter & Family - March 24, 2024 at 01:26 PM

JF

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LC

“ Linda Chesney lit a candle in memory of Joseph T. Kandler



Linda Chesney - March 24, 2024 at 12:07 AM

LC

“ Patsy & family, Please accept our condolences on the passing of Joe. He was a very vibrant & gentle man during all of our interactions with him. Frank & I had many years of great conversations & memories from our time at Rehoboth Beach's Pirate's Cove. My last time visiting him, he listened to Scripture Readings & even sang along to a hymn I sang for him!!! Rest in Peace Joe, Until we met again in Heaven!! Love, Frank & Lin Chesney

Linda Chesney - March 24, 2024 at 12:04 AM