



Walter C. Fresch

December 14, 1929 - April 5, 2023

Walter C. "Walt" Fresch, age 93, husband of Dolores (Alo) Fresch, of Phoenixville, PA, passed away on Wednesday, April 5, 2023 at home. Born in Erie, PA, he was a son of the late Lorene (Kessler) Fresch and Willard, husband of Lillian Fresch.

Mr. Fresch was a graduate of Erie Technical High School, and he honorably served in the United States Navy. He received his bachelor's degree in electrical engineering from Penn State University, where he was a member of the TKE Fraternity. Mr. Fresch was an electrical engineer and V.P. at Burroughs/Unisys, retiring after more than 30 years of employment.

Mr. Fresch was an avid outdoorsman, enjoying hunting, fishing, and gardening. He was a member of the Chester Valley Sportsmen's Association. He enjoyed cards games, especially bridge and poker.

Mr. Fresch had a genuine disposition and was kind and funny. He enjoyed being around others, and loved spending time with his family. He served as President of the Phoenixville YMCA Board of Directors, and he volunteered his time with Habitat for Humanity and in the Coldstream Crossing community where he resided.

In addition to his wife of 67 years, Mr. Fresch is survived by two children,

Danine, wife of Brian Gray and Mark, husband of Lisa Fresch; five grandchildren, Cailyn (Reeves), Kyra (Cameron), Brendan, Amelia, and Charlie; two siblings, Marian Miller and Roger, husband of Helen Fresch; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by three siblings, Leona Tochenny, Benjamin Fresch, and Richard Fresch.

Funeral services will be held privately at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in his name to the Patient Care Hospice, 995 Old Eagle School Road, Suite 315, Wayne, PA 19087. Arrangements are being handled by the Campbell - Ennis - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc., Phoenixville, PA. Condolences may be offered online at www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com.

Tribute Wall

MK

“ *Dolores and Family, we are so sorry to hear about Walt's passing. I'll always treasure the time spent with Walt at the cabin. Also the many memories on Pine Creek, Bee-Tree Hollow and the back porch. He always cared about everyone and was so genuine. The next fish I catch in the big hole on Pine Creek, I'll think of Walt. Rest In Peace dear friend. Marty Kuznicki and family.* ”

Marty Kuznicki - April 19, 2023 at 07:03 PM

MK

“ *Thank you Dolores and all the Fresch family for sharing Walt with us. He was a pleasure to travel and fish with, and a joy to be around. You are all in our prayers. ~ Michael Kuznicki and Family* ”



MK - April 19, 2023 at 03:09 PM

KM

“ I'm so glad that I had the opportunity to see Walt recently, hold his hand, and spend time together. Walt was definitely one of my favorite people and always showed me kindness and friendship. I always looked forward to seeing him at family functions and knew we would have an intelligent, friendly conversation. We definitely shared some great books through the years. I will miss him, as we all will. He was a fortunate man with a wonderful family. It comforts me to know that he led a full, long life and is now in heaven with such amazing peace and love - all of which we can't even begin to comprehend. My love goes out to everyone for strength and understanding. - Keith Moore

Keith Moore - April 11, 2023 at 06:14 PM

JY

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to the entire Fresch family. I thank Mrs. Fresch for sharing Walt with me during countless fishing trips and many great times at Fishing Camp in Beltzville every year. I flat out loved his company and cherished every moment I spent with him. I will miss our long chats about life, family and trout fishing. He was a pure gentleman in every way. Soft spoken and highly intelligent and a master trout fisherman and Poker player. My two sons loved him along with all my trout friends. Whenever a club Brook trout rises to the surface or when we play his favorite "elevator" Poker game or Billy Joel's Piano man is playing on the radio I will fondly think and remember my dear friend Walt!!! I also had the great fortune of tipping a few cold ones with him as we talked about life in general. I will miss my beloved friend more than you will ever know!! I take great comfort in knowing that heaven holds a quiet trout stream or a poker table with past friends we have lost and no doubt Walt is enjoying those things he loved so much with those fine people. So long my dear friend and it is my hope to see you once again to enjoy the so many things we enjoyed together. With much sorrow.

James J. Younker and Family

James Younker - April 10, 2023 at 04:51 PM

LF

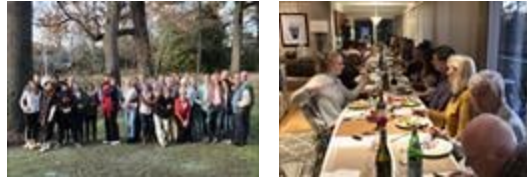
“ I send my deepest condolences to the family
It was a true friend and fishing buddy



Louis flora - April 10, 2023 at 08:01 AM

MG

“ I’m so sorry to hear about Walt’s passing. I always loved hearing him joking around while playing cards with my mom and dad. Thanksgiving at Brian and Danine’s was always fun with the Fresch family. Big hugs and prayers to all of you. Love you all!



Michelle Gray - April 08, 2023 at 04:45 PM

MG

Love these memories

Michelle Gray - April 08, 2023 at 04:46 PM

EW

I am very sorry to hear of Walt's passing. My sincere condolences to Walt's family.

I really enjoyed meeting and talking to Walt during our monthly Unisys meetings at the Desmond Hotel. He will be sorely missed by our group.

Ed Wojtowicz

Ed Wojtowicz - April 10, 2023 at 03:43 PM

MW

I have felt the pain and sorrow of losing anyone is proportional to the goodness of the individual.

I will miss our annual meeting. Hope to keep an open chair in the front row at the club meetings. I will miss you but never forget you.

To bent rods and tight lines, hope to see you on the other side.

Michael J Wylam - April 18, 2023 at 02:23 PM

JM

“ Our condolences go out to you Dolores , and your family on the loss of your wonderful husband and father. Walt and I had many great conversations on the path at “CCX”, as well as down at the YMCA .
John and Joan Manorek

John Manorek - April 08, 2023 at 03:32 AM