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Life separated from the body of Kenneth F. Swartz, 100, of Alliance on Monday, February 3, 2014 at 4:45 pm, at Bel Air Senior Living Community. He was born on July 11, 1913 in Connellsville, PA and lived in Alliance for most of his life. He was employed by Strong Manufacturing Company of Sebring and later by B&W Tubular Products from which employment he retired in 1975 after 33 years of service. He was a member of First Immanuel United Church of Christ, where he served in numerous capacities, including Choir Director. He also served as Financial Secretary of the United Steelworkers Union Local 3059 for an extended period of time. His first marriage was to Kathleen Mae (Detar) Swartz, of Greensburg, PA and produced two children: Janis (Wayne) Strom of Naperville, IL, and Ronald Swartz of Glendale Springs, NC. His second marriage to Marie (Johnston) Keenan Swartz expanded his family to include her children: Donald (Bonnie) Keenan, Dean (Pamela) Keenan, and Diana Fontaine. Also surviving are his grandchildren: Julie (Brian) Petersen, Andy (Dawn Shutler) Swartz, Eric Swartz, Aaron (Leigh Ann) Swartz, Rick (Sabine) Strom, Bob (Anne) Strom; his great-grandchildren, Allison Swartz, Scott Strom, Cameron Swartz, and Aiden Swartz. He was preceded in death by his parents, Fred and Jennie (Firestone) Swartz, and a sister, Naomi Honsaker. The family will receive friends at Sharer-Stirling-Skivolocke Funeral Home on Friday, February 7, 2014 from 10:30 am - 11:30 am. Funeral services will begin at 11:30 am, with Pastor Neal Mann, officiating. Interment will follow at Hartzell Cemetery.



Tribute Wall

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KG

Kenny Grimes posted:

I WORKED WITH KENNY at B @ W Tube for 20 yrs he was a wonderfull person. God bless all of you. I retired in 1999.

March 30 at 8:00 PM

GB

Gina Berry posted:

My Thoughts and Prayers to the Family . Kenny was a Wonderful person with a Heart of Gold , He had so many stories to tell especially about Trains . God now has a Angel by his side .

March 30 at 8:00 PM

DK

Dean Keenan posted:

My thoughts prayers and condolences go out to your family. Kenny will be much missed by myself and our family. He gave my mother a great few last years of her life.He always treated me with respect. God bless you Kenny and rest in peace. My medical condition will not allow me to travel but know I am with you all in my thoughts and prayers.R.I.P.Kenneth Swartz

March 30 at 8:00 PM

CM

Carol Mcgirr posted:

Jan & family, I have great memories of your Dad from when we were kids, as I'm sure you do. And nobody can take those memories away. Just know he's in a better place and we'll all be there together someday! Love from John & I and looking forward to seeing you next summer.

March 30 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Kenneth by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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