



Walter E. Rybicki

February 7, 2011

Walter E. Rybicki, 74, of Millersville, formerly of Posen, Ill., passed away Monday, Feb. 7, 2011, at Landmark Hospital in Cape Girardeau. He was born July 11, 1936, in Blue Island, Ill., to Walter Rybicki Sr. and Jeanie Dyrek Rybicki. He and Carolyn Wehinger were married Oct. 21, 1967, in Chicago. Walter was a police officer and a diesel mechanic for UPS for more than 30 years in Posen. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, both in Posen and in Jackson. Walter enjoyed cooking, ice fishing, gun collecting and gardening. He was a member of the Fraternal Order of Police and Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Jackson. Survivors include his wife, Carolyn Rybicki of Millersville; daughter, Carolyn M. Chandick (Ricky) of Millersville; sons, Walter A. Rybicki (Karen) of Millersville and Robert W. Rybicki of Millersville; sister, Sister Joan Rybicki of Pomona, Calif.; grandchildren, David, Joseph, Frankie, Jeffery, Joshua, Jennifer, Colleen, Meaghan, Aaron; and great-grandchildren, Tyler, Brendon, Gavin, Adrianna, Austin, Aubrey, Brianne, Ky'la, Jacek, Addison and Samantha. He was preceded in death by his parents and daughters, Lorraine A. Bernas and Nadine C. Garvin. Friends may call 2 to 8 p.m. Friday with parish prayers at 7 p.m. and from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday at Ford and Sons Mount Auburn Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau. The funeral will be 1 p.m. Saturday at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Jackson, with the Rev. John Harth officiating.

Tribute Wall

RK

“ Dear Rybicki family, you are all in my thoughts and prayers during this trying time. I'll never forget some of the conversations Wally and I had when he came into the gym. He and I would always trade stories and he'd tell me about life in "the old days" and Chicago. I always looked forward to when he and Carolyn would come in and the talks we'd have. I'm blessed for the short time I got to know Wally and am sorry for your loss.

Ryan Kloeppel - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ Dear Carolyn and family, I am so sorry to hear of Wally's passing. I was honored to have been able to work with Wally and Carolyn for many years. We had many good times and laughs and I wonder where the years have gone. Wally will i'm sure be missed greatly. My sincere condolences.

David Torres - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ So sorry to hear about Wally. He was a great co-worker at the Posen PD! We had many wonderful conversations! Mostly about firearms and our common interest in the shooting industry. He will be greatly missed by all that knew him.

Mark McNabney - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ Dear Carolyn and children, Dan and I are so sorry to hear of Wally's passing. We were blessed to know him, as well as you, Carolyn, and honored to be your pharmacists and friends for so very many years. You are in our prayers. There is a new saint in heaven to guide us all until we meet again. Linda Rutz and Dan Boston Blue Island, Illinois

Linda Rutz - September 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ I am sorry to hear of Wally,s passing. I had the privilege of being his friend and working with him at the Posen Police. He was a great and honorable man. You could always depend on him. Rest in Peace Wally you will be missed.

Roger Grabinski - December 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ Dear Carolyn, Wally Jr. and Family, My heart felt condolences go out to you and your family. I had the honor of knowing Wally for many years. I first met him when I was 15. I had the honor of sitting with him many hours on a bucket ice fishing, talking about everything and anything. I still rewind and play back those days with a smile on my face. Im 37 now and it seems like it was yesterday. He taught me the ropes when it came to firearms. He was a great teacher and very patient. Wally will be missed but never forgotten. Jumpstreet

Kevin Mikos - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BK

“ To the Rybicki family: Wally was a good man with a warm heart. He had a passion for family and friends. Please accept my heartfelt condolences. Although we grieve, we also celebrate that Wally was called home with Christ.

Bill Kinsella - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ I have very fond memories of my childhood in Posen, visiting Carolyn & Uncle Wally. They were like family. My thought & prayers are with the Rybicki family.

Cortney (Poulos) Burzinski - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ I am so sorry for your lost. Wally was a great man, husband and father. He new more about firearms then anyone I ever met.I was privlaged to work with him at tha Posen Police Dept.

Carmen Scardine - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ We send our deepest sympathy to all of you. Wally will be greatly missed.

Gene & Dawn Cotillo - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Dear Carolyn, Our sincerest condolences go out to you and your family. You and Wally have, and always will be like family to us. Wally was truly a great friend and partner on the Posen Police Department. He will be missed but never forgotten.

Dirk Petry and Family - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RN

“ *Our Prayers are with the family*

Randy Naughton - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ *To the Rybicki Family, I send my sincere condolences to you all. For over thirty years, Sister Joan, my close friend, has kept me informed about the Rybicki family. I wish I could have met Walter in person.*

David Baldrige - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GK

“ *We are sorry to hear about the passing of Wally, a former friend, schoolmate, and Posenite. Condolences to Carolyn and family.*

George & Karen Klotz - October 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TP

“ *Dear Carolyn, Wally Jr., & family. Our heartfelt condolences to you and your family during this very difficult time. Wally was always like family to us. He always had a smile on his face and embraced my family as his own. I was proud to call Wally a friend and I enjoyed working with him on the Posen Police Department. I will always rememeber his spirit for ice fishing, no matter how cold it was, he would still be on the ice smiling. Wally you'll be missed, but I guess God needed an ice fisherman and a range instructor in heaven. God Bless all of you.*

Tim & Patti Poulos - October 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM