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Raymond Wasilko, age 77 of Lewes, DE passed away on Tuesday, January 10, 2017, at Beebe Healthcare, in Lewes of ALS complications. He was born on February 9, 1939 in McKees Rocks, PA, son of the late Charles and Mary (Dyczko) Wasilko.

Mr. Wasilko was a 1962 graduate of Penn State, after which he began a lifelong career as a project manager for the Social Security Administration in Baltimore, MD. He was a member of St. Andrew the Apostle Orthodox Church in Lewes, DE, where he attended services for several years. Mr. Wasilko was a member of the Liberty B.A.S.S. Club for over 25 years, and a former Boy Scout Troop Leader. He enjoyed fishing, boating, gardening, golfing, and traveling, but more than anything, he cherished times spent with his family and friends. He was a loving and devoted husband, father, grandfather, nephew, brother, and friend, and will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

Mr. Wasilko is survived by his beloved wife since 10/5/1963, Carol (Belasco) Wasilko born in Pittsburgh, PA and a graduate of Pittsburgh Hospital School of Nursing; his three children: Christina, Daniel, and David; his only grandchild, Cora; his aunt, Johanna Dicko; one brother, and two sisters.

A Funeral Service will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, January 14, 2017 at St. Andrew the Apostle Orthodox Church, 33384 Mackenzie Way, Lewes, DE, where friends may call beginning at 9:00 AM. A graveside service will be held in July at Lakeview Memorial Park in Sykesville, MD.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions in Mr. Wasilko's memory to The ALS Association, Greater Philadelphia Chapter, 321 Norristown Road, Suite 260, Ambler, PA 19002.

Please sign the online guestbook.



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JANUARY 13, 2016 TO OUR LEWES LOCATION.




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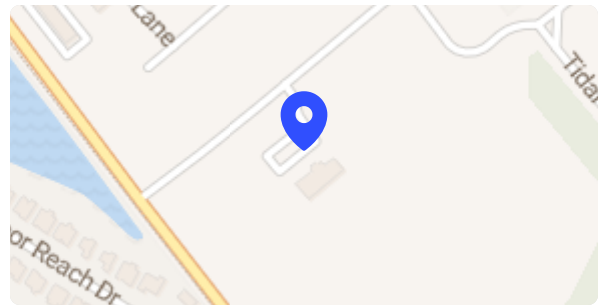
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Viewing

 **Saturday**, January 14, 2017

 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET


 **Saint Andrew The Apostle Orthodox Church**
33384 Mackenzie Way, Lewes DE 19958

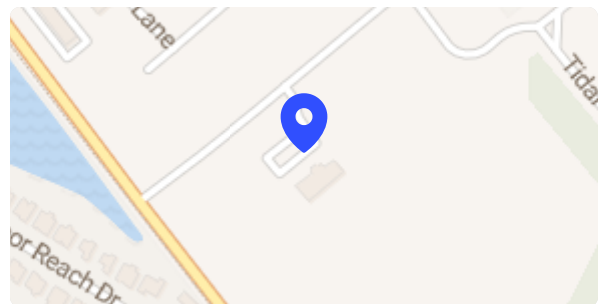


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PW

Phyllis Wooddell posted:

Wasilko family, So sorry for your loss and our loss as well. You have my deepest sympathies and prayers. He was one of a few that I liked, respected, and trusted...Phyllis Schafer Wooddell class of 57

January 28 at 2:42 PM

ES

Eddie Lord Segree posted:

I worked with Ray for several years at the Social Security Administration in Baltimore in the early 1960's. It was our first "big" job after graduation from college and we became good friends as well as colleagues. When I saw his picture in my community's newspaper (Annapolis Capital), I immediately knew who he was - he hadn't changed much. My prayers and condolences go out to his family. Eddie Lord Segree

January 15 at 12:06 PM

SR

Stan Rosenstein posted:

I remember Raymond from the 1960's as we both served with the 375th Quartermaster Corp, U.S Army Reserve at Sheridan Armory. Then as I began my Federal Government career with Social Security in 1971, and I again became acquainted with Ray. I have not seen Ray since his retirement, but knew that he moved to Lewes Delaware. Very sorry to hear this news, and send wishes to his family and friends,

January 14 at 5:12 PM

GA

Gary Abrecht posted:

Dear Carol and family, Our sympathy and prayers are with you at this time of loss. Ray was a great man who know how to enjoy life and bring that joy to those around him. I had the pleasure of working with Ray for many years and sharing many fond memories - the birth of children; the trips you took to Australia; the crab feed at your home in Eldersburg and so much more. Ray was a real gentleman and he will be missed. May God's blessings and comfort be with you. Gary & Carolyn Abrecht

January 14 at 3:52 PM



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MB

Mike Belasco posted:

Carol, We are so sorry for your loss. We have many great memories of Ray.....Tom and Betty's anniversary picnic at South Park where Ray gave a clinic on volleyball, softball, and the fine art of partying! Again, at Jim's graduation party...another volleyball clinic and so many more great memories. Ray always had a great zest for life and had no problem sharing his joy. Even though you and Ray were technically cousins to us.....I always viewed Ray as my favorite Uncle! love, Mike, Tina, Addie and Sally Belasco

January 13 at 3:55 PM

RD

Robert Douglas posted:

Since the first grade in elementary school, Robinson Township, this guy has been my best friend. Probably for a lot of reasons, firstly that he was just a "great guy." He had a great sense of humor and put up with my "shenanigans" for a lot of years. I always remember going into Ray's house, normally in the kitchen, which was pretty small and his Mom would have this warm smile on her face and make you feel so welcome. This was also true when Ray would visit my house, my Mother loved him. Quick story-- my Mother was the "enforcer" of our (me and my six siblings) or our school work and you had to sit in front of her as she reviewed the report cards. It was like a tribunal. In my case, the ultimate test, subject grade by subject grade was "what did Ray Wasilko get?" Ray was a good student, elected "Most Likely to Succeed" in our senior class. I also remember the accordion in the dining room and Ray had to practice regularly-- he was pretty good. He was a member of his church choir in McKees Rocks, Pa., where for some period his dad was the choir director. Ray was a great athlete-- quarterback of the football team, good basketball player, ran track as a sprinter. Lot's of things I could say about Ray Wasilko, but the things that come to mind that are most important is that he was a loving, caring, just all-around great guy. I loved that guy. Bob Douglas Dee Douglas

January 13 at 4:36 AM

MV

Mary Jo De Vries posted:

Dear Carol, I am so sorry for your loss. Ray was a special man. Delightful, Funny, and very loving towards you. I hope everything goes well, my prayers will be offered at St. Jude's Adoration Chapel tomorrow for the repose of his soul, and for you and your family's comfort and God's protection. Mary Jo De Vries

January 11 at 1:45 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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