



Gene A. Hitz

August 23, 1938 - March 12, 2013

Gene A. Hitz, 74, passed away on March 12, 2013 at his residence surrounded by his loving family. Born in Lebanon County on August 23, 1938, he was the son of the late Walter and Hilda Ebling Hitz. He was employed as a heavy equipment operator for the Greater Lebanon Refuse Authority retiring in 2003 after 19 years of service. Gene is survived by his wife of 51 years, Mary Schmick Hitz, a son Jeffrey, a son Gregory (husband of Lorrie), son Brian, and daughter Valerie, six grandchildren, Sasha (wife of Jeremy Stone), Zachary, Ryan, Eric, Sierra, and Sabrina Spitler and one great grandson Hunter Stone. He is also survived by three brothers, Russell Krall, George Hitz, and James Hitz, and many nieces and nephews. He was a member and firefighter with the Ebenezer Fire Company for 55 years. He was also a member and helped organize the Lebanon County Police Combat Pistol Club. He was an avid hunter and outdoorsman and a NASCAR fan. He helped maintain and grade the Penn National dirt car track, and enjoyed putting puzzles together and putting them in frames. Funeral services will be held on Friday at 2:00 PM from the Kreamer and Lum Funeral Home and Crematory, Rt. 72 And Camp Meeting Road, Jonestown. Interment will be held at the convenience of the family. Viewing will be held on Friday from 1-2 PM prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Ebenezer Fire Company, Rt. 72 North, Lebanon, PA 17046.

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“ DEAR JEFF, GREGG, BRIAN, VALERIE Sending you each my deepest condolences for the loss of your father. May your Family find great strength and comfort in knowing how loved and respected your father was. Sending you each STRENGTH and PRAYERS at this most difficult time. YOUR COUSIN AMY

AMY MILLER - March 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Aunt Mary, My deepest condolences for the loss of your husband. May you always remember all the good times in your life with him and may these memories give your great strength. May God Bless you and your family at this most difficult time. Love and Prayers your Niece AMY

AMY MILLER - March 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ My thought and prayers are with the family. He was a great person.
Melanie Hitz McGarry

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