



Casey (Gezá) Kanalos

September 14, 1937 - June 6, 2022

Casey (Gezá) Kanalos, 84, of Lebanon, entered eternal life on Monday, June 6, 2022, at his home. He was the husband of Marilyn (Miller) (Kreider) Kanalos.

Born in Detroit (Delray) MI on September 14, 1937, he was the son of the late Steve and Anna (Lipko) Kanalos. Casey was a Korean and Vietnam Era veteran. He enlisted in the U.S. Air Force in 1953 and retired in 1974. During his military career, he was a firefighter and crash and rescue crew member on the HH43 helicopters. After the military he entered fire service, and in 1989, he retired as the Fire Chief at Indiantown Gap. He was an active member of the Boy Scouts of America for over 70 years and was a lifetime member of the VFW Post 7076, Myerstown.

In his spare time, Casey enjoyed visiting the casino, fishing, and especially spending time with his family. He was a wonderful cook and was a very caring person, always at the ready to help others. Casey loved history and was very proud of his Gypsy heritage.

In addition to his "Precious" wife, as he called her, he is survived by a sister Rosalind (Charles) Andrews of IL; children A. Scott Walden of OH, Kimberly (Sean) Doonan of CA, Casey (Lisa) Kanalos, II of OR, and Kenneth Kanalos of CA; stepchildren Brad (Elizabeth) Kreider of Bethel, Alan (Cynthia) Kreider of Lebanon and Dean (Amber) Kreider of Lebanon; and thirteen grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

A viewing will be held at the Kreamer & Lum Funeral Home & Crematory,

Jonestown, on Tuesday June 14, 2022, from 6:00-8:00 p.m. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Wednesday, June 15, 2022, at 12:30 p.m. at St. Cecilia's Catholic Church, 120 E. Lehman St., Lebanon. Interment with military honors will follow at Indiantown Gap National Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Indiantown Gap National Cemetery

Indiantown Gap Road
Anville, PA 17003

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JUN **14**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Kreamer & Lum Funeral Home & Crematory
5 Campmeeting Road
Jonestown, PA 17038

Mass of Christian Burial

JUN **15**. 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Saint Cecilia's Catholic Church
120 E. Lehman Street
Lebanon, PA 17046

Tribute Wall



“ *Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Casey (Gezá) Kanalos*



Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc. - June 13, 2022 at 03:33 PM

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“ *Rebekah Kreider lit a candle in memory of Casey (Gezá) Kanalos*



Rebekah Kreider - June 13, 2022 at 09:28 AM

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“ *Rebekah Kreider lit a candle in memory of Casey (Gezá) Kanalos*



Rebekah Kreider - June 13, 2022 at 09:27 AM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Todd Ferry - June 12, 2022 at 05:33 PM

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My dad Joe Ferry wanted me to send this photo from when they were kids. He sends his condolences to the family. Casey Knalos, Joe Ferry, Shark Karshnoch, Juka Piskor

Todd Ferry - June 12, 2022 at 05:37 PM

DO

“ *Our heartfelt condolences to Marilyn and family. We'll miss him and his smile (and cooking). May god forever keep him in his care .
Love, David and Cathrie Ogurcak*

David Ogurcak - June 11, 2022 at 08:15 AM

JD

“ *Sending love, thoughts and prayers to you and your family during this sad time. So glad we were able to spend a little time together recently.*

*Warmest sympathy,
Cousin Kathleen and John*

John and Kathleen Danielson - June 10, 2022 at 07:16 PM

MK

“ 80 files added to the tribute wall



Marilyn Kanalos - June 10, 2022 at 06:28 PM

TI

“ Our Family would like to send our sincere condolences. Our prayers, thoughts and love are with the family. Love, Cousin Richie Dennis and his daughters, Tina, Marlene and Cathy.

Our Father, Richie (Caseys' cousin) would like to share a memory... Had to be about the summer of 64'. Casey had made arrangements for the (3) cousins (Tony was in the Army, Richie was also in the Army and Casey of course the Air force) to meet at Rhinemaine US airbase. They had fun talking and visiting many gas houses as young military men, just really enjoying the cousin bond as young man together. Oh the fun they had that visit. They just barely made it back to Rhinemaine US airbase so Casey could catch his plane to go to Japan. Our father has so many fond memories to keep close to his heart but he wanted to share that one. Keeping you all in your prayers. Love the Dennis Family



Tina - June 08, 2022 at 02:39 PM