



## George A. Ciortan

March 4, 1950 - March 4, 2011

George A. Ciortan of Palmyra died Friday March 4, 2011 on his 61st birthday in the M.S. Hershey Medical Center following a brief and unexpected illness. He was the husband of Carol Szekeres Ciortan with whom he would have celebrated 37 years of marriage on June 22, 2011. Born in Steelton in 1950 he was the son of the late Andrew G. and Laura Swartley Ciortan. George was a 1968 graduate of Steelton Highspire High School. He earned an associates degree from The Institute of Computer Management in Baltimore, Maryland. For 30 years, he worked as a clerk typist in Special Tags for PennDOT until retiring in September 2009. George was a true Civil War buff, accumulating an extensive collection of both books and keepsakes over the years. Disney World was his favorite vacation destination. Movies, gardening, and photography were other hobbies. He was a member of St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church, Annville. Surviving in addition to his wife are two daughters, Ashley Nichole Ciortan, at home, and Heather, wife of Travis C. Hossler, Palmyra, along with three-month-old grandson, Eric George Hossler. He also leaves his mother-in-law, Anna K. Szekeres, of Steelton. A sister, Georgiann E. Ciortan, preceded him in death. Friends are invited to visit Thursday March 10 from 6-7 p.m. at Kreamer Funeral Home and Crematory, 618 E. Main St., Annville, PA 17003. A memorial service will follow. Inurnment will be held at the convenience of the family. Memorial contributions may be made to The Humane Society of Lebanon County, 150 N. Ramona Rd., Myerstown, PA 17067 or World Wildlife Fund, 1250 Twenty-Fourth Street,

N.W. P.O. Box 97180, Washington, DC 20090.

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