



Theodore F. Kalb

July 7, 1935 - March 6, 2021

Theodore F. Kalb, 85, formerly of Lebanon, PA and Galesburg, IL, died Saturday, March 6, 2021 at home surrounded by his loving family. He was the husband of Elizabeth Ann Gossett Kalb with whom he celebrated 62 years of marriage.

Born in St. Augustine, Illinois on July 7, 1935, he was the son of the late Raymond E. and Margaret L. Button Kalb. He retired from Butler Manufacturing Company, Annville, PA after 35 years as Materials Coordinator. Ted was an active member of St. Andrews Presbyterian Church in Lebanon, PA for 40 years, serving several terms on the Board of Trustees. He was also a member of the Lebanon Rotary Club for 40 years, serving as club President in 1980-81.

Ted was a veteran of the U.S. Army serving from 1957 to 1959 and a graduate of Roseville High School, Roseville, Illinois and Gem City Business College, Quincy, Illinois.

Surviving in addition to his wife is a daughter, Deborah L., wife of Lewis P. Chillot of Lititz, PA; a son, Kevin T. Kalb and his partner Selena Csapo of Philadelphia, PA; four grandchildren, Lindsey Chillot and fiancé Alexander Puskar; Darren Chillot; Meredith Kalb; Kevin "Ted" Kalb Jr. and fiancée Shelby Schweitzer; and a brother, William Kalb of Burlington, Iowa. He was preceded in death by a brother, Duane Kalb, and three sisters, Lois Beard, Carol Lighthart, and Linda Sue Miller.

Funeral services will be held on Sunday, March 14, 2021 at 2pm at the

Kreamer Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc, 618 E. Main Street, Annville, PA with private interment in Indiantown Gap National Cemetery with Military Honors. A viewing will be held on Sunday, March 14, 2021 from 12pm to 2pm prior to the service at the funeral home. Contributions may be made to Hospice & Community Care of Mount Joy, PA.

Cemetery Details

Indiantown Gap National Cemetery

Indiantown Gap Road
Anville, PA 17003

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAR 14. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc
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Funeral Service

MAR 14. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CN

“ So sorry to hear of Ted’s passing! Many good memories of Ted as Joe worked with him at Butler! God bless Beth & the entire Family! Ted had the ability to put a smile on the face of all he met! He was a kind and gentle soul!
Love, Joe and Carol Nichols

Carol Nichols - March 14, 2021 at 11:56 AM

SM

“ Liz, Deb and Kevin,

I am so sorry to hear of Ted’s passing. I will always remember him smiling or laughing. I worked with him for many years, shared Tibor with him and would see him for years when I voted at the Friendship Fire Company. I promised him I would visit him and am so sorry to say I never got there. A lesson for the future. He lived a life well lived and will be missed by many. Again, please accept my heartfelt sympathy.

Sue McGuire

Susan McGuire - March 13, 2021 at 06:21 PM

KC

“ KRISTIN CHILLOT purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Theodore F. Kalb.



KRISTIN CHILLOT - March 13, 2021 at 09:36 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Theodore F. Kalb.



March 12, 2021 at 01:39 PM



“ *Andrew Sandifer, Brian Angeli and FMC Finance* purchased the *With Distinction* for the family of Theodore F. Kalb.



Andrew Sandifer, Brian Angeli and FMC Finance - March 12, 2021 at 09:02 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Theodore F. Kalb.



March 11, 2021 at 10:58 AM

RY

“ Liz, Deb and Kevin,
We were deeply saddened to hear of Ted's passing.
We have many fond memories of our work days with Ted at Butler. Our fondest memories were our ski trips , always a fun time with lots of laughs. Ted was a great Man who was highly respected. He will be sorely missed.
Holding you close in our thoughts and prayers at this most difficult time.
Ron and Sue Young



Ron & Sue Young - March 11, 2021 at 09:31 AM

CH

“ Liz, I am so sorry to hear about Ted. You were both wonderful neighbors to my parents when they lived on Adam Drive. My parents were very fortunate to have the both of you next door. You are in my thoughts and prayers.
Cathy Hartmoyer

Catherine Hartmoyer - March 11, 2021 at 07:47 AM

CS

“ So sorry to hear of Ted Kalb's passing. Great family man, mentor to me while working at Butler in the summers and at church over many years. He had a great smile and always upbeat. I am thinking of his family and express my condolences to all. Cass Scholes

Cass Scholes - March 10, 2021 at 05:51 PM

CW

“ *Liz and Family...*

We were deeply saddened to learn of Ted's passing. We first met the Kalb's in the mid '70s when we all moved to Lebanon County, from various parts of the country, to build and startup the Butler Plant in Annville. That shared experience made us all very close and gave us a sense of family that we will never forget. Ted's skills, experience and leadership were critical to the startup and the many successes of the Butler Annville Plant. Through Butler, I had the privilege of working with Ted for many years and he always held himself to the highest ethical and professional standards and was universally respected by everyone he crossed paths with. Not only was he a leader within the Butler organization, he was a respected and valued leader in his Church, Civic organizations and the greater Lebanon Community. He was also a very good friend. We think of Ted, you and the family often and are praying for God's comfort to you and the Family during this very difficult time.

Clyde and Sue Wills

Clyde and Sue Wills - March 10, 2021 at 11:00 AM

DH

“ *I'm sorry to hear of Ted's passing. My condolences to Liz, Deb and Kevin and all the grand children. Ted and I were a part of the Butler family in the early years, and we tried to solve the world's problems while working out at the annville fitness center, after we both retired from Butler. Ted was a very good man, no matter how busy or stressed he was he always had time for a friendly word. He will be missed. Dave and Donna Howard*

David E Howard - March 10, 2021 at 09:38 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Theodore F. Kalb.*



March 10, 2021 at 08:42 AM



“ *We were saddened to hear of Ted's passing. We knew him through St. Andrews Church. He was a very quiet and humble human being. Our condolences to all in his family.*
Bill and Maxine Storch

Maxine Storch - March 09, 2021 at 08:07 PM



“ *We are so saddened to learn of Ted's passing. Rick worked with Ted at Butler Mfg in both Galesburg and Anville. When our young family moved to Lebanon in 1979, Ted and Liz took all of our family under their wings and helped the transition of our move much easier. We remained friends even after we moved back to Galesburg and continued to keep in touch for many years. Ted was a great man and he and Liz were wonderful friends. Many prayers and condolences to all of the family.*

Rick and Mary James

Mary & Richard James - March 09, 2021 at 07:18 PM



“ *I'm Sorry for you Lose !!! I worked at Butler MFG Anville. I saw and talked to Ted regularly. For me he would always tell it like it is !! I will miss him!! Sincerely Craig Furman.*

Craig Furman - March 09, 2021 at 06:35 PM

BK

“ *I am so sorry to hear of Ted's passing. he and Liz were good friends of ours when we lived in Lebanon. He was a great man. I send my sympathy to his family.*

Betsy Katko - March 09, 2021 at 05:57 PM