



## Leroy B. Newport, Jr.

September 22, 2023

Leroy B. Newport, Jr., 87, passed away on Friday, September 22, 2023. Born in Lancaster, Leroy is the son of the late Leroy Newport, Sr., and the late Mary E. (Hughes) Newport. He was the loving husband to Shirley M. (Ruhland) Newport for 66 years.

Leroy graduated from Lancaster Catholic HS. He began working at Baltimore Life Insurance before spending much of his life with the School District of Lancaster as a custodian. After retiring, he was employed by Giant Food Stores.

Leroy had a charitable heart when asked, appreciated going out for meals and would watch NASCAR races and collect various model trucks. He liked to go to casinos and visit the Yuengling Brewery for their tours. In his retirement, he fed the birds and squirrels on his bench and could be found in the kitchen chair amid household activities. His grandchildren loved being with Pap.

In addition to his wife, Leroy is survived by his daughter, Cynthia L. Patterson of Lancaster, his son, Keith A. Newport (Amy Whitman) of Wells Tannery, PA and daughter, Christina M. Roda (Eric) of Lancaster. Pap is also survived by his 10 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his son, Michael A. Newport and daughter, Victoria A. Newport.

A private family service will be held for Leroy. His interment will be held at Riverview Burial Park.

The family encourages those who wish to make a memorial contribution in Leroy's name to any charity or cause that they wish.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Leroy B. Newport, Jr.*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *I remember Leroy coming into Zangari's pizza shop on Franklin and Walnut st. He always had a smile on his face. He was a very nice man. Rest in peace my friend. Tom Zangari.*

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“ *I miss you more than anything pap. I hope you know how much I looked forward to seeing you everyday and how much I love you. You were always there for me. I will cherish all of our great memories. Rest in paradise ☐*



**Morgan Wall** - September 27, 2023 at 05:18 AM