



Philip T Belcher

January 9, 2014

Wantage - Philip T. Belcher, age 77, passed away on Thursday, January 9, 2014 at his residence while surrounded by his loving family. Born on June 12, 1936 in Vernon to the late Lewis and Beatrice Belcher, Philip had been a resident of Sussex County all of his life. He had served in the United States Army during the Vietnam Era. Mr. Belcher had been a machinist at Accurate Forming in Hamburg and had retired from Metaltec in Franklin at the age of 62. He was predeceased by his brother, Gilbert "Sonny" Belcher; his sisters, Alice Cahill, Pearl Holley, Rosamond "Bucky" Kaiser, Beatrice "Peachy" Smith, and Mae Karalfa. Mr. Belcher is survived by his wife of 56 years, Joan E. (Berghofer) Belcher; his three sons, Phil Belcher and his wife, Bernadine of Wantage, Gary Belcher and his wife Lisa of North Carolina, and Edward Belcher and his wife Jacqueline of Monroeton, PA; his two daughters, Janet Vealey of North Carolina and Jill Paddock and her husband Bob of Hardyston; his brother, Lewis Belcher of Florida; his grandchildren, Elora, Shane, Bobby, Amanda, Stephen, Michael, Jeffrey, and Jessica; his great grandchildren, Landon and Reid; and many loving nieces and nephews. Memorial services will be held at 6 p.m. at the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex. Friends may pay their respects to the family two hours prior to the service on Tuesday from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial donations may be made to Karen Ann Quinlan Center of Hope Hospice, 99 Sparta Avenue, Newton, NJ 07860 or to Wantage First Aid Squad, 888 Route 23 South, Wantage, NJ 07461. Online

condolences may be offered to the family at www.pinkelfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

DF

“ We are sorry to hear of Phil's passing

Darryl Slate and family - January 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ Jill and family - sorry to hear of the loss of your beloved father. I'm sure he will be missed.

Sincerely,

Maria E. Sasso

Maria E. Sasso - January 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ Our deepest sympathies to the Belcher family in this time of loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you

God Bless

Carolyn & Phil Skidmore

Phil Skidmore - January 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Dear Jill, I was so sorry to hear about your Dad. You and your family will be in my prayers and thoughts. I know from working with you all these years what a close and loving family you have. You always had wonderful stories about him and your family vacations and so on. I hope that those memories and good times will get you through this. It is not easy at all but he had to be a great man to have raised such a loving and caring daughter and family. May he rest in peace. I am sure he is already organizing fun events in heaven. Sincerely,
Joanne

Joanne Vanden Houten - January 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ Joan,

I was so very sorry to hear about your loss. I regret that I can't attend the viewing tomorrow. I would have loved to see you!

Know that you are in my thoughts and prayers...

Linda

Linda Ackerly - January 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Jill and Family,

We are so sorry for your loss. Keep your memories of your dad close in your heart and he will always be with you.

*Keeping the family in our thoughts.
Jenny, Robert & Roland Hockstedler*

Jenny and Robert Hockstedler - January 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM

NS

“ *Our prayers are for you and your family.*

Noreen and Tom Schuh - January 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ *Dear Jill and family,
We are so very sorry for your loss, a sign of a successful man is the love that surrounds him. Your Dad was a true success.*

Cindy and Tim Bachmann - January 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ *Sorry for your loss. He was a good man our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Dan Davis - January 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ *So sorry for your loss, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Joe and Tina Kempka - January 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ *Jill,
I am sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this very difficult time. May the many memories of your father help you find peace.*

Teresa Rowe - January 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ *Jill so sorry for your loss. Thinking of you all, especially your Mother at this time. Your father was a wonderful man. RIP.*

Rosa Coronado- Downey - January 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM