



FREDERICK A. ARNOLD

July 21, 1938 - February 12, 2024

Frederick A. “John” or “Barney” Arnold, born on July 21, 1938, died peacefully surrounded by his loved ones on Monday, February 12, 2024. He was predeceased by his parents; Frederick and Juanita (Gross) Arnold, two sisters; Anita Belden and Beverly Best, Brother; Donald Arnold, and his life-long partner; Rose DeCook.

Born in Syracuse, New York, he lived all of his life in Lakeland. Fred enjoyed being with family and friends and you would find him at the Lakeland Byrne Dairy having morning coffee with his friends, sitting by the lake watching the wildlife, watching a local baseball game or enjoying time with his family and friends. He is a Veteran of the US Army/National Guard and was retired from Allied Van Lines Moving Company. He was a member of Local Teamsters 317, then worked at the NYS Fairgrounds. He enjoyed volunteering at the local Rescue Mission. In his younger years he enjoyed hunting, fishing, camping and attending family gatherings. He was loved by his family and will be missed.

He is survived by his siblings; Shirley Mosher, Phyllis (Ray DeCook) Peters, Robert “Butch” (Elizabeth) Arnold, Norman (Kathy) Arnold, Edward (Karen) Arnold and Ronald Arnold, grandson; Daniel (Jennifer) DeCook and many nieces and nephews.

Family and friends may call from 3:00 PM–6:00 PM Monday, February 19, 2024 with a Memorial Service at 6:00 PM at BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, 2601 Milton Ave, Solvay, NY 13209. Burial will be private.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be in his memory to St Jude's Cancer Research or Syracuse Area Rescue Mission.

Please share online tributes and memories at bagozzitwins.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **19**. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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2601 Milton Avenue
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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Bagozzi Twins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of
FREDERICK A. ARNOLD*



BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC. - February 16, 2024 at 11:22 AM

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Beautiful !!

Karen Arnold - February 16, 2024 at 03:10 PM

DC

“ On behalf of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Comfort Tyler Chapter (Syracuse), we send our condolences to the family.

Forget Me Not

*Don't remember me not with sadness,
Don't remember me with tears,
Remember all the laughter,
We've shared throughout the years,
Now I am contented,
That my life it was worthwhile.
Knowing that I passed along the way,
I made somebody smile,
When you are walking down the street,
And you've got me on your mind,
I'm walking in your footsteps,
Only half a step behind,
So please don't be unhappy,
Just because I'm out of sight,
Remember that I'm with you,
Each morning, noon, and night.*

D. Kleinwaks, Comfort Tyler Chapter - March 16, 2024 at 08:50 PM

Jl

“ Have a good trip to HEAVEN, BOSS!
Your byrne dairy, friend Jim S

jim - February 20, 2024 at 09:00 AM

DD

“ I know Fred as Barney. He has been a part of my life from the day I was born. We lived in a little house next to Fred and my Grandmother, Rose DeCook. When I was around 18 months old, I was severely burned by scalding water. My mother was in a panic. I have no idea where my father was. Fred rushed me to the hospital where I stayed for over a month. He was there as much as he could be, it seems like Fred was in my life more than my own father, which was hardly ever. I remember when I got out of the army, I got a job at an auto parts store. I worked in the back. He came into the store and asked if he could talk to his son, they said "Sure you can just go out back to find him". He kept yelling out "Danny boy, Where are you, my Danny boy?" I heard him and started to laugh and said, "what's up Barney?", he said he "just stopped by to say Hi!" That's the way he was. He would just show up to say hi, stay for a few minutes or just a beep the horn as he went by. As a kid, I remember my brother and I going camping with him and my Grandmother. They loved to go camping, fishing, hunting. He loved the outdoors. Barney and my Grandmother have always been there for me. I remember one time I stopped by their house, and they had ham, I love ham, it was a spiral cut ham. I didn't know about spiral hams, but every year from that point on, they would buy me a spiral cut ham for Christmas. I will miss that kindness. I would drop by from time to time to see what's going on. They would say "we knew it was about time for you to stop by ha ha haven't seen you in a while just all the notes you left on our door when you came by, and we weren't home". In the last few years after my Grandmother, Freds one and only love, passed away and the "Evil One's" took my Grandfather's home and threw him into the street, my wife "Jenna" (my Grandma and Fred lovingly named her that, her real name is Jen) and I asked him to live with us. He told us "you guys are too young, live your lives, I'll be ok". So, we found him an apartment down the road not far from where he lived/grew up, he wanted to stay in his neighborhood. It was a nice apartment and perfect for him. He lived the in the same area his whole life. He loved the neighborhood and the people who live there, even the ones who took advantage of him and stole from him in his last couple weeks

of his life. He believed that people had good intentions, but we know the truth. When we used to go to visit with him, we would have to search for him. We found him either at the Byrne Dairy or he was at Onondaga Lake watching the wildlife or at the state fairgrounds visiting with friends or just parked along the side of the road in his neighborhood talking with neighbors. My wife and I could almost always find him, almost. He has a riding lawn mower. He used to cut his own yard at his home. When he moved to the apartment, he used it to help his apartment property manager cut grass and the yards in his neighborhood, that he loved so much. He loved helping people. Fred did not have any children of his own, but he considered me his grandson. I am so proud to call him my Grandfather and am not the only one he had so many "Grandchildren; Great Grandchildren and Great-Great-Grandchildren" who loved him and he loved them all back. I will truly miss going to see him and talking about the good old days and the days to come! We love you Barney. Love always and forever... Dan and your "Jenna"

Daniel E DeCook - February 16, 2024 at 04:13 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of FREDERICK A. ARNOLD.*



February 16, 2024 at 01:16 PM



“ 37 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC. - February 16, 2024 at 11:16 AM



“ *Fred came into my life almost 20 years ago at Lakeland byrnedairy he would have his morning coffee and be back for lunch he always wanted say goid morning how are you and to bring us girls flowers and even a cake for our birthday and we never saw him as just another customer but our family he'd drive past my house and beep I'd say Fred stop in he'd say no don't wanna disturb you just wanted you to know I'm checking on you and I love you Fred will be dearly missed he will always have a place in my heart thanks for the memories and the warm hugs I'll never look at a bouquet of flowers and not think of you connie*

connie - February 16, 2024 at 04:30 AM