



Carl R. Salzer

May 3, 2019

Salzer, Carl R.

Passed away suddenly on May 3, 2019 at the age of 93 years. Loving husband of Loretta (nee Walczak) of 70 years. Preceded in death by his son Mark, mother Louise Melody, grandmother Marie “Mor Mor” Thomas, sister Verona Fenzi, brother-in-law Dan Walczak and son-in-law John Smars. Survived by his children Bob (Cathy), Mike (Terri), Kathy (Jim) Borecki, and Sue (Jim) Smars-Krey; daughter-in-law Dawn; grandchildren Craig (Courtney), Samantha (Aaron), Sarah (Chris), Jeanna (Alex), Erin (Frank), Elyse, Alexis, Peyton, Jacee and Jalin; great-grandchildren Ethan, Drew, Gabby, Willa and Owen; brother Bob (Ruth); brother-in-law Bob (Marion) Walczak, other relatives and friends.

Carl graduated from South Division High School in 1943 and served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He was very active in Cub Scouting and was a recipient of the Silver Beaver Award: the council-level distinguished service award of the Boy Scouts of America. Carl was also a reader at Sunday Masses at St. Roman Church. He was a member of the “Fabulous Forties” and the “Church of St. Mac’s,” as well as being an avid baseball fan who was always ready to tell you how the game was so much better “back in the day.”

Carl respected and loved God, family, country and baseball. He probably has already told his son Mark how the grass in Heaven should be mowed or snow shoveled. Some things never change. But they just as likely have had several

games of catch in their own Field of Dreams. Carl will certainly be missed by all of his family and friends. His simple request in life and now in death is that people will say, "He was a good man."

In lieu of flowers, donations to St. Roman Parish or the Boy Scouts of America will be graciously appreciated.

Visitation Friday, May 10 at ST. ROMAN CHURCH (1810 W. Bolivar Ave.) from 9:00 – 11:00 AM followed by a Celebration of Mass of Christian Burial at 11:00 AM. Entombment St. Adalbert Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

St. Adalbert Cemetery

3801 S. 6th Street
Milwaukee, WI 53221

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 10. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Roman Church
1810 W. Bolivar Avenue
Milwaukee, WI 53221

Mass of Christian Burial

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Entombment

MAY 10. 12:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Carl R. Salzer.* ”



May 09, 2019 at 12:18 PM



“ *Simply Chic Mixed Plant Basket was purchased for the family of Carl R. Salzer.* ”



May 08, 2019 at 01:28 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Carl R. Salzer.* ”



May 08, 2019 at 08:42 AM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Carl R. Salzer.* ”



May 07, 2019 at 09:35 AM

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“ Carl was sure a favorite of our family. He welcomed us so generously to many family gatherings. We just loved hearing his interesting and funny stories and always learned something new. Carl had a special bond with both Frank and Ron. He was a special man and will be missed by all who knew him.

Carol Ambrosius - May 06, 2019 at 11:37 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Carl R. Salzer.



May 06, 2019 at 11:30 PM