



Walter Alexander Kowerduck

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Walter (Rush) Kowerduck, age 100, passed away on November 7, 2017 in Spring Hill, Florida.

Rush was born May 11, 1917 in St. Joseph, Michigan to Lydia and Dimitri Kowerduck. He married Geraldine Conklin in 1937. They were short of 75 years of marriage when Geri passed away at the age of 91 in 2012.

Rush lived in St. Joseph and worked at Whirlpool Corp. as an industrial mechanic. After retiring he moved to Zephyrhills, Florida.

Lifetime highlights included roller skating, speed boat racing, doing civilian work with the police dept. He started Higman Park Roller Rink, K&K Marine and was a lifetime member of Fraternal Order of Police chapter #96. As "The Can Man" he organized donations that were given to HPH Hospice in Pasco County.

His amusing personality will be remembered by many friends and relatives.

Rush is survived by four daughters, Nancy Hogerheide, Judy Granger, Shirley Kowerduck, and Mary Jane (William) Hoskin; 4 grandchildren, and 3 great-grandchildren; one living sister, Bernice Benford. In addition to his parents, Walter was preceded in death by his wife, Geraldine, and 7 siblings Elsie, Harold, Ann, Ruth, Esther, Robert, and Janice.

Services will be held at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Zephyrhills, Florida, on Monday, November 27, 2017 at 11:00 a.m.

Memorial contributions can be made to HP Hospice Foundation, 12107 Majestic Blvd., Hudson, FL 34667-2455. Memories and condolences may be left online at www.sunset-fh.com.



Events


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Memorial Service


 **Monday**, November 27, 2017

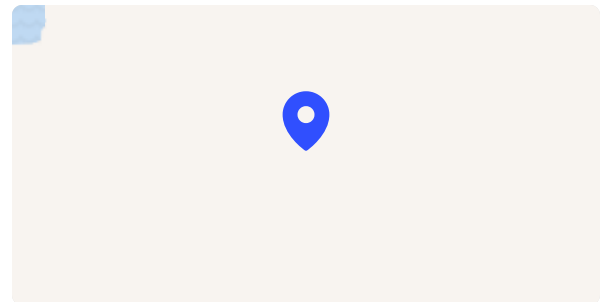
 11:00 AM ET

 **Our Savior Lutheran Church**
Zephyrhills FL



Cemetery Details

 **None**
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Tribute Wall

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Allen Sales posted:

I thought Rush would LIVE forever !! met him at Whirlpool in 1969, he was ALREADY a LEGEND! Rush, I know where you are today, I look forward to seeing you again!

November 19 at 1:30 PM

WS

Wanda Stevens posted:

Oh my I could not list all the memories of Rush as there are sooo many from his remembered train whistle at our Bingo games when #22 was called to his always helping me out when I might need a certain size nail, screw or to borrow his garden rake. Rush always had time to sit, share and chat. Rush ALWAYS had a plan and held fast to his plans and what he thought was the right thing to do. Like all of us are getting , Rush was set in his ways and not always subject to change which was fun to try and convince him to change. ha I still have to laugh at some of our conversations. He was "our" can man collecting for years all the aluminum and metal that he could, haul it to recycle (in the name of Tippecanoe Village) then donate it to the Local Hospice again in the name of Tippecanoe. He had a hard time slowing down and kept busy around the house even when he could no longer collect for Hospice. Great memories we all have here in Tippecanoe. I will NEVER forget my friend Rush! May He Rest In Peace! Poem of Life Author Unknown
Life is but a stopping place,
A pause in what's to be,
A resting place along the road,
to sweet eternity.
We all have different journeys,
Different paths along the way,
We all were meant to learn some things,
but never meant to stay...
Our destination is a place
Far greater than we know.
For some the journey's quicker,
For some the journey's slow.
And when the journey finally ends,
We'll claim a great reward,
And find an everlasting peace,
Together with the lord.
God Bless Shirley, Judy, Nancy, Mary Jane and all his family.
Wanda Stevens

November 13 at 7:38 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Walter by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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