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FROM THE DESK OF FATHER BLANEY...



We are just about finished in the construction of the memorial garden which is adjacent to the north side of the parking lot in front of the St. Timothy Center Camp Building. There are 33,000 bricks available in two sizes for a person's name to be engraved. The regular size brick (4" X 8") has space for 3 lines with a maximum of 15 characters (letters, numbers and spaces) per line. The larger brick (8" X 8") has room for six lines with 15 characters per line.

There are three small areas for flowers to be planted and two trees. They will be planted in the spring. And there are benches along the edges of the Memorial Garden. I think that you will find that it is going to be a peaceful and comfortable place to remember loved ones, past or present. Our memorial trees in the St. Timothy Center

are completely full. If you are interested in honoring or remembering a loved one with a brick in the Memorial Garden, please call the office at 219-778-2585.

Bob Nicksic, a member of Share Foundation's Board of Directors has engineered and supervised the project. And he has done a fine job!

WEBSITE

During the last month our website

sharefoundation.org

received 70,236 hits from people in the United States, China, Germany, Romania, throughout the United Kingdom, Canada, Israel and Spain. On this website there is important information on our mission and living at Sharing Meadows. Take a look for yourself.

Sharing Meadows now has a Facebook page on the Internet. You can access this page and like us at

[Facebook.com/Sharing Meadows](https://www.facebook.com/SharingMeadows)

This Christmas.....

Let's give a little Jesus, a thoughtful word or deed,
An act of generosity for someone who's in need.
Let's give a little Jesus to everyone we meet –
The salesclerk or the server, the person on the street.
Let's give a little Jesus, that's what really counts –
Not what's spent or bought, for whom, in what amounts.
Let's give a little Jesus, to everyone, large or small...
For Jesus, the Messiah, is the Greatest Gift of All!
- Lisa O. Engelhardt

FEAST of the HOLY INNOCENTS

In memory of the Feast of the Holy Innocents Father Blaney will celebrate Mass on Sunday, December 29th at 1:00p.m. at the St. Timothy Center at Sharing Meadows. This event is in remembrance of the children killed by King Herod in search of the infant Jesus. At Sharing Meadows we remember the many people who have supported us through memorials of their loved ones, both on the Trees of Life and, now, in the Memorial Garden.

After Mass, a potluck meal will be served. A meat entrée will be provided and we invite you to bring a vegetable, salad or dessert to share. You are most welcome to attend Mass and share a meal with us afterwards. We look forward to celebrating with you.

THOUGHTS FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

By Kathleen Kelly

Carols are playing on the radio, decorations are appearing on homes and businesses and stores are pushing their products as gift ideas so it's obvious that Christmas is on its way. While the music is enjoyable and the decorations are bright, I struggle to get beyond the commercialism to find the true meaning of Christmas. The birth of Baby Jesus gave us hope and we must always keep that hope alive not only during the Christmas season but throughout the year.

The simple Christmas message of peace on earth is a difficult one to embrace today amid news reports of random shootings in schools and shopping malls, the ongoing war in the middle east and the devastation left in the typhoon ravaged Philippines yet we must continue to hope for a better world. Each morning at our prayer service, one of the villagers always prays for world peace and their optimism gives me that hope. Our villagers enjoy a peaceful, loving home at Sharing Meadows and their wish is to share that peace with others. They reach out in friendship and love and they do their best to make the world a better place through their prayers.

Our villagers have the wonderful gift of affirmation and unconditional love and they aren't afraid to reassure others that they are loved. They let me know every day through their words and their actions that I am loved. When visitors come to Sharing Meadows, they leave with a renewed sense of hope and the realization that peace and love does exist in the world.

This Christmas I plan to celebrate the joy of the birth of Christ with my family and friends and, like the villagers, try to be an ambassador of peace to others. My wish for you is that your Christmas be joyful and that you know peace on earth the way God always intended it to be.

SHARE THE FUN TALENT SHOW



Lisa sang a lovely song

Our villagers proved once again that they are truly *other abled* when they presented the 2nd annual Share the Fun Talent Show to families and friends. Their talents were showcased and enjoyed by all as they sang, danced and had a good time. Their performances were amazing as they shared their many talents - Patti's piano solo, Shelby's song, Kelsey's dramatic reading where she played 2 parts, Becky's dance routine, Carol's ventriloquism act, Laura's comedy routine and David's rendition of Dancing With the Stars with his partner, Lynnette. Each villager participated - whether solo or as part of a group - and each one delighted the audience.

Thanks to steward Lynnette Fleming for organizing and directing the show and thanks to all of the villagers for sharing their talents with us. We are looking forward to next year's performance!



Colin, John, Chris and Tina entertained with a dance



Kelsey's dramatic performance was a crowd pleaser

19TH SHARE our DREAMS GALA



Bill & Anne Franz danced to Tom Milo's Big Band music

Oh what a time we had at the 19th Share Our Dreams Gala held November 1st at the Center for Visual & Performing Arts! We came with gratitude and to support Father Blaney's dream that began over 30 years ago for other abled people and their families that has blossomed into the community of Sharing Meadows.

The room was beautiful with soft lighting, red rose centerpieces on each table and a lovely assortment of gifts displayed in the silent auction. Our guests sipped on cocktails as they greeted old friends and perused the items offered for bidding. Emcee Marty Collins welcomed everyone and introduced Father Blaney who offered a prayer before we sat down to an elegant dinner graciously served by the staff at the Center for Visual & Performing Arts. The wine served with dinner and the delectable tiramisu dessert was provided by Giovanni's Restaurant in Munster and was certainly enjoyed by each guest. Tom Milo and his Big Band provided music throughout the evening and many couples enjoyed the music on the dance floor.

It was an evening of good food, good music and good company. More importantly, a substantial amount was raised to support the residential program at Sharing Meadows and our villagers join me in thanking everyone who contributed to the success of this event. We certainly are blessed to have so many supporters for the work being done here at Sharing Meadows! Hidden winner: Nikki Miklusak, Griffith, IN 46319



Margaret & Millford Christenson were among our many guests



Board member Larry Hussey enjoyed the Gala with his family



Father Blaney welcomes Ken & Mickie Blaney and Howard & Carol Struble to the Gala

CAMP SHARING MEADOWS

We'd like to offer a BIG shout-out to all those Campers and volunteers who helped make our respite weekend Mini-Camps so awesome this Fall! THANK YOU SO MUCH! It was wonderful spending time and serving with you, and we look forward to sharing the unconditional love and fun of our camps again. We have selected four dates for the Spring 2014 weekend Mini-Camps, and if you are interested in attending as a Camper or a Staff person (counselor, nurse, cook), please keep the following dates in mind as you plan YOUR upcoming Spring activities:

February 7-9 • March 7-9 • April 11-13 • May 16-18

Please contact Nick Roland at camp@sharefoundation.org or 219-778-2585 if you are interested in being a part of this wonderful experience. When we all come together at Camp Sharing Meadows, we share not just the fun of friends and good times, but also the joy of God's love that He has for each one of us. It is quite unique to see and feel this happening, and then you turn around and share it with others! Wow!

YEAR END GIVING

Please consider a gift to Share Foundation this month to take advantage of the tax deduction for your charitable contributions in 2013. Share Foundation is a tax exempt, 503(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Take a moment to see if a charitable gift would be advantageous to you and your tax liability. Any contribution you make would be appreciated!

Our website: <http://sharefoundation.org/getinvolved/donations.htm> has further details.

LIVING MEMORIALS

Wishing my "Old" Fishing Buddy, Keith Attar, a Happy Birthday on January 5, int. Uncle Bill

May God bless the Bach Family, int. Rose Bach

Happy birthday to Susan Bajusz, int. Ernie & Betty Bajusz

Happy birthday from heaven to villager David Ciastko, int. with love, Mom & Dad

Merry Christmas to our mom, Doris Demksi. You are a blessing and the best present! int. Love, Cass & Stacy

Health & God's blessings to Jim Fife, int. Anne & Freddie

Good Health and God's blessings to Gertrude Gawel, int. Genevieve Bolek

Health and God's blessings for our mother Marie J. Hagler for a very Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year, int. Love, Char and Diane

May God bless, Helen Hampel on Nov. 27th Birthday, and health and blessings for the New Year, int. Susan Hampel

Good health & blessings for the New Year to Helen Hampel, int. Mike & Ann Fugate

Christmas wishes to a very special young lady, Kelsey Helmer, int. Yvonne & Bob

For all the living members of the Angel and Hildebranski families. May our God hold you in His loving arms today and always, int. Connie

Lord, please grant good health for my daughter Diane, may she find a good job soon, please Lord help her, int. Thank you, Mom

Health and Christmas blessings for Aunt Delphine Jasinski, int. Ray and Anita

Health and Christmas blessings for Aunt Marie Kalemba, int. Ray and Anita

Merry Christmas to the best sister in the world, Ilene Kelly, int. Kathy

25th Wedding anniversary wishes to Sandy & Dave Kerr, int. TerryAnn Defender

Happy Birthday to Mary Kay Klassen on December 15th. Wishing you many more Healthy and Happy ones. Stan & Irene

Happy Belated "60th" birthday to my dear Nephew, int. Aunt Loretta Kujawa

Health and Christmas blessings for Aunt Loretta Kujawa, int. Ray and Anita

Congratulations on your wedding anniversary Tom & Sharon Laughran, int. Tom & Eunice Conway

Happy 60th Wedding anniversary Tony & Donna Maicher November 21st. God's blessing for many more years, special int. with love, John, Sharon, Nicole, & Curtis Vacendak

Health & Blessings for Norm Mastronicola, int. Tony, Lorry & Craig

50th Wedding anniversary wishes to Betsy & Denny McDonald, int. TerryAnn Defender

Health and Christmas blessings for Aunt Marge Ostrander, int. Ray and Anita

Good health and God's blessing to the Steve Palmer family, int. Tom Janicki

May God bless Mary Polak at Christmas and always, int. Al & Theresa Tucker

Health and God's blessings for Gayle Polakowski, int. Tom & Joan Lynch

Happy 80th birthday Katie Povlock, int. Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Bowmar

To honor St. Rita, int. S. Tomaszewski

Health and Christmas blessings for Aunt Mary Sikora, int. Ray and Anita

In thanksgiving to God for the graces received from making the Cursillo, 50th anniversary 11/3/1963 for my husband George deceased and for myself, the Cursillo added a new dimension of joy to our lives, and still continues, De Colores! int. Helen Sudicky

God's blessings for the health of Joseph C. Tomaszewski, int. Joe, Erin, Colm, Cadie

God's blessings to get well Angela Torrenga, int. Angela

25th Wedding anniversary wishes to Tom & Sharon Tucker, int. TerryAnn Defender

Congratulations on your wedding anniversary Gert & Irv Wojciechowski, int. Tom & Eunice Conway

Lord, Please grant good health for Barney & Jo & Happy Thanksgiving to both & family, int. The Hoyda & Avina Families

DECEASED MEMORIALS

Remembering my dear friend & neighbor, Carolina Alvarado, on the anniversary of her death, int. Dori, Jana & Dawn

Christmas remembrance of Victor & Mary Ancich, int. Loving Children, Grandchildren, and Great Grandchildren

In memory of Andrew Attar, int. Marlene Townsend

In memory of Stanley Augustyn, Sr. you will be missed by many, int. JR & DAL

Wishing my mother Othelia Austgen a happy birthday, Dec. 12th and a very Merry Christmas. You are always in our hearts and are missed every day. Love you, int. Carol Ferree

In memory of Patrice Austgen, int. Donna Stimac

In memory of Jerry Bacon, int. Bob & Delores Bacon

In memory of my cousin & God Child, Madeline Bacon, int. Bill Lambros

In loving memory of my husband, Frank Badalli, Sr during this Holiday Season, int. Mary Ann

In memory of Margaret Bajusz, int. Ernie & Betty Bajusz

Remembering John J. Balczo, int. Jim & Karen Miskovich

In loving memory of my husband, Richard J. Balka, who passed away December 16th, 2012. We were so blessed and everyday in some small way memories of you come my way, you are always near, always missed, and always loved, int. wife, Norbie and family

In memory of Myrtle Balsley, world traveler, as she departs on her final trip, int. Skip & Tess Bereolos

Sending our Love & Prayers on your 6th Christmas in heaven, Don Banik, we all miss you, int. wife Dolores, all the kids, grandkids and a new great grandson

In loving memory of son William A. Barber, Jr. on his birthday 12/12/03, greatly missed since he entered Heaven June 24, 2005, int. Mother, Kimberley Holt

In loving memory of Judy Beda, int. Aunt Helen

In memory of Lois Benich, int. Bishop Noll High School, Class of 1950
Mary Cloghessy Cassey
Dee Dee & Dick Reffkin
The Schreiner's

In memory of Samuel (Sam) F. Bianchi, int. Arnold G. Gough
Robert E. Johnson & family
Eileen Mooney Lopiccolo
Mrs. Marjorie Miller
Marcella Mooney

Remembering the deceased members of the Janowski, Bildhauser, and Marciniak family, int. Fred & Theresa Bildhauser & Jerry Janowski

In memory of my husband John Bobos, we miss you & love you on your favorite Holiday of the year, int. wife Theresa & family

In loving memory of my dear husband, Joseph Bobos, missing you so much, int. your loving wife, Dolores

In loving memory of my Gal, Mary Ann Bowen, during Christmas & New Year, int. Ed Bowen

In memory of Roberta Bradtke, int. The Adzia Family
Patrick & Judy Hynes

In memory of my dear friend, Mary Brezene on her 2nd anniversary (Dec. 19) and at Christmas in heaven, int. Rose Gacsco

In memory of my dearest Aunt, Jane Brooks, int. Bob & Judy Schallenkamp

In loving memory of my dear friend, Kathy Brown, on the anniversary of her death. Happy Birthday, Kathy, int. Love Freddie

In loving memory of Robert E. Bubacz, Husband, Father and Grandfather of the wonderful Christmas Holidays we had. We miss you, int. Rob, Scottie, Tom & Theresa, Christin & Jonathan & Mary

Remembering my husband Ted Buchler at Christmas with much love, int. Mary Ann

Christmas memories of Andrea Buell, wife, mother, & grandmother, int. Buell family

In loving memory of Debra Buikema, int. William Buikema

In memory of Deb Buikema as she celebrates her first Christmas in heaven, int. Ray and Anita

In memory of Thomas Bukowski, int. Lou & Aggie Zatorski

In memory of A. M. Bundschu, int. Nancy LoDuca

In memory of mom, Dorothy Bundy, during this holiday season, int. Ed Bundy

In loving memory of my Beloved Wife Janette Bundy, int. Ed Bundy

In loving memory of my husband, Leo T. Carrabine on his 15th anniversary in heaven, int. Trish

In loving memory of our Parents; Alex & Anne Janiak and Anthony & Vivian Chlebek, int. Bruce & Joann Chlebek

Remembering and greatly missing Chris Choncoff on his 10th anniversary in Heaven on December 11. Much love, int. Joyce, Greg, Tina, Terry, Jen, Christina and the four grandchildren

We remember Chris Choncoff on his tenth anniversary with our Lord, December 11, int. Al and Theresa Tucker

In memory of Peter Chovanec, int. Mary Daly

In memory of Dorothy Chuckla as she celebrates her first Christmas in heaven, int. Ray and Anita

In memory of Joan White Coleman, beloved sister, int. Sharon & Arlen Westphal

In memory of Robert Compton, int. Norma Bauer

In memory of Elizabeth Cooke, int. Calumet Lumber, Inc

In memory of Violet "Vy" R. Copp, int. Kvaerner North American Construction Inc.

Remembering our dear Dad and Grandpa, Alfred Coppolillo, on the 12th anniversary of his death. Rest in peace, Dad. We miss you so much, int. Ray, Paulette, Tom, Janet, Michael, Dawn, and Rick

Thinking of my loving husband, Alfred Coppolillo, on the anniversary of his passing, int. Clara Coppolillo

In memory of Mary Cubranich; mom, we love & miss you very much, int. Tony & Donna Maicher

In memory of Mary Ann Cullins, int. Sandy & Ray Feldmeier

In loving memory of Maureen Daher, int. Dr. John Daher

In memory of Jamie Daily, int. Linda Moran

Thinking of our dad, Chet Demski. You are missed everyday but especially at Christmas! int. Cass & Stacy

In memory of Bette Doherty on her first anniversary in heaven Dec. 6, 2012, int. Paul Doherty

In loving memory of my wife Therese Domasica, int. Mike Domasica

Lovingly remembering my husband, Chester Dominik, int. Wife Dorothy

In loving memory of my dearest husband George E. Doppler on our 68th wedding anniversary November 21, 1945. Love you & miss you everyday, int. your loving wife Bernice & family

In loving memory of my dearest husband, George E. Doppler on his birthday Dec. 7 in heaven, with our loved ones. Blessed Christmas to you and the family, we miss you, int. with Love & Prayers, your loving wife Bernice, our Children, Grand Children, Great Grand Children & Sister

In loving memory of my dear husband, Edward M. Dosen, int. Gloria Dosen, wife

In memory of Richard F. Drzewiecki, int. Bob & Barb Rosenbaum Family

In memory of Thomas Dubach, int. Betsy Kennedy
The Liddell Family
Mary Ann Merrion

In memory of John Dzura, int. Kvaerner North American Construction Inc.

Remembering William Early during this Christmas Season, int. Betty Early

In memory of Michael Eddy, int. Joann & Bruce Chlebek

In loving memory of my dear husband Don Edinger, int. wife, Eileen

In loving memory of Kathy Enos, int. sisters Jean & Joan Gregory

Remembering my husband Bill Erminger, December 31st on his Birthday, int. Love Cindy

In memory of Eugene Evancic, int. Joe & Elaine Rizzardo

In memory of my husband John Evanich, int. Mary Ann

In memory of Geoff Evert, int. Tom & Eunice Conway

In memory of Ralph & Anita Fabbri,
int. Ralph & Judy Fabbri

In loving memory of Anthony & Margaret Falaschetti. Merry Christmas mom & dad, int. daughter, Barbara & Family

In loving remembrance of my parents George and Virginia Faroh at Christmas time, int. Gloria

We want to wish our mom Kim Ferree a Merry Christmas in heaven and want her to know we love & miss her more & more every day. You are always in our hearts, int. Alyssa, Tyler & Jacob

Wishing my husband Thurman Ferree a "Very Merry Christmas", his 2nd in heaven. He will always be in our thoughts and forever in our hearts. Love you, int. wife Carol & family

In memory of Herb Fischer, int. Nate, Stacey, Oliver, Sam, Jon, Ann & George

In memory of Judith L. Frain, int. W. F. Frain Jr.

In memory of Carrie Frankowski, int. Bruce & Joann Chlebek

In loving memory of my sister Veronica Gabel, int. Mary and family

Remembering & loving you Bob Gacsko at Christmas and on your anniversary (1/1/06) in Heaven, int. wife Rose, daughter Laura, son Bob "Bummer" & Laurie, grandchildren Nicole (Tyler), Gabriel & Nina and great granddaughters Isabelle & Annalise

In memory of James E. Gaglio, int. Ernie & Betty Bajusz

In loving memory of my wife Marge Gauthier, for her Nov. 5th Birthday, int. Dick

Remembering our parents, John and Mary Georgas and Leigh and Grace Grant, with love on their December Birthdays, int. Paul and Mary Catherine Georgas

Wonderful Christmas memories of Jerry Giard, beloved husband, dad and grandpa, int. Gloria, Katy and Matthew

In memory of Mary Ann Gigac, int. Mary Daly

At Christmas, in memory of grandparents Joseph and Bertha Gish, int. Ray and Anita

In loving memory of my husband, Edward Kelly Golon, int. Lorraine Golon

Remembering Dad & Grandpa Donald Gomba, int. Don, Deb & Megan

In loving memory of my dear daughter Carol Lee Gorby on her 1st anniversary Dec. 13th in heaven, and Happy birthday Dec. 31st. Rest in peace & prayers. Love you forever, missing you everyday, int. mother, Margaret Gorby

Christmas Blessings in Heaven to our parents Jack & Angie Gregory, int. daughters Joan & Jean

In memory of Angie Gregory on her anniversary of death, December 17, 2011, int. daughters Joan & Jean

In memory of Ray Hamilton, int. Gene & Mona Pavey

In loving memory of my father Frank Hampel, int. Susan Hampel

In memory of Mary Belzeski Hanson, int. Kathy & John Emmett
J. Goldasich
Pat Martin
Lendell & Shirlee Rhodes
Tom & Pauline Sullivan

Respectfully remembering the life and work of Fr. Lawrence Heeg, int. John Kulesa and Mark and Mary Landry

Remembering a beautiful man and Priest, Fr. Lawrence Heeg, int. Tony & Lorry Lach

In memory of Rev. Lawrence S. Heeg, int. Peter & Margaret Appel
Ed & Becky Banashak
Regina P. Barack
Larry & Joyce Beishline
Steve & Cathy Berg
Jack & Babs Chevigny
Alton & Laurie Custer
Sam & Sandy Dominick
Richard & Joyce Dominoski
Phil Drescher
Norma Dvorscak
William & Anne Franz
Arnold & Roberta Gough
Lenny & Kathy Greco
John Hayduk
Patricia Huerta
Ray & Jan Klepitch
Janet & John Kovalan
Thomas & Rita Lauerman
Mary G. Lee
Jacqueline Lenburg
Don & Janet Mayersky
Dr. & Mrs. Norm Novak
Theresa Olszewski
James & Judy Pappas
James & Elayne Popovich
Maryellen & Maril Queen
Kathleen Ricca
Norm & Isabel Richard

Carol Rolfe
Jerry & Dawn Ruge
Ladies League of St. Patrick
Tom & Becky Shook
Aurelia M. Shrader
Charlyce Sitar
Pam Soltis & Nadine Soltis-Barnes
Helen Sudicky & Family
Paul & Jamie Sur
Mr. & Mrs. James Thorstad Sr.
Joan Warble
Regina Ward
Ed & Theresa Witek
Margaret Wolfe

In memory of Eleanor L. Hennessy, int. Sharon Wojciechowski, Judy Bush, Betty McCullough

Merry Christmas Delbert "Del" Henson, we love you and miss you, int. Bernie, Dennis, Gayle & Alice

In loving memory of our Mother/Grandmother Frances Hibser, int. Jean & Susan Tyrrell

In loving memory of our Father/Grandfather John Hibser, int. Jean & Susan Tyrrell

In memory of the deceased members of the Hildebranski and Angel families. May our God shine His perpetual light upon them, int. Connie

In memory of my sons, Steve & Jim Hilton, int. Karen Hilton

In loving memory of Ignac and Ann Hodakowski, int. Bernice Hodakowski

In memory of Frank Hodal, int. Ernie & Betty Bajusz

In memory of Helen Hodal, int. Ernie & Betty Bajusz

In memory of my parents, Marcel & Michalina Hodupski, int. Zochna

In memory of Henry, Jean & Ted Hodus, int. Zochna

Happy birthday to Peter Paul Holdaski in heaven, int. Ernie & Betty Bajusz

In memory of Maxine Miller Hoke, int. Loretta Krawczyk

In memory of our only sister, Denise Paucak Hruskocy, who passed away a few days after her 50th birthday. This is the fifth Christmas without her and we miss and love her, int. Bernie & Jerry Paucak

In memory of my sister Theresa Hunn, int. Joann & Bruce Chlebek

In loving memory of Augie Ignelzi, int.
The Ignelzi Family

In memory of Gene "Jake" Jacobucci,
int. Shirley & Stephen Bacztub
Mr. & Mrs. Bill & Barb Cammett
Dawn Fitzhugh
Dave and Robin Gibson
Stephen & Lauren Hahn
Sylvia Hupp
IU Health La Porte Hospital Executive Team
Emery W. & Jessica K. Johnson Jr.
Keith & Paula Lachmund & Family
Lori McClelland
David Muckway
Albert & Sandra Papai
Tony & Patti Pishkur
Leslyn Quartuccio
Dale & Pat Runnels
Charmaine Tompkins
Virginia Zahrn

Birthday prayer Oct. 18th for mom,
Josie (Kucia) Jaeger, int. Mary E.
(Jaeger) Marando

In memory of my brother Thomas
Janiak, int. Joann & Bruce Chlebek

In loving memory of my parents,
Frances & Julius Janicki, int. Tom Janicki

In memory of Eugene and Marian
Jasicki, missing you this Christmas
Season. You're always in our heart,
int. Love, your Family

In memory of Timothy Mark Jezak, int.
Georgette & Andy Vetroczyk

In loving memory of Theo Johnson,
int. Freddie Simms

In memory of Dorothy Jurkash, int.
John Jurkash & Family

At Christmas, in memory of Uncle Al
Kalemba, int. Ray and Anita

At Christmas, in memory of
grandparents Joseph and Bernice
Kalemba, int. Ray and Anita

In memory of Michael Kasper, int.
Maxine Conway

In memory of Roger Keene, int. Carol
& Darrell Cleek

In memory of Raymond Keilman, int.
Donald Klassen

In remembrance of our sister, Mary
Kelly, missing you at Christmas and
always, int. Kelly Kids Klub

In loving memory of our parents,
William & Harriet Kelly, as we
remember joyful family Christmas
celebrations, int. Kelly Kids Klub

Remembering Kathleen (Maggie)
Murphy Kelly, int. Dee Dee & Dick Reffkin

In memory of Mary Kielbasa, int.
David & Lisa Pegan

In memory of Nick Kinzer, int. Cyrus
Realtors, Inc.
Terry & Karen McMahon
George Novogroder / Novogroder
Companies, Inc
Scott and Marisa Smoljan
Marilyn Sorenson, children & families
Superior Petroleum Products, Inc.

In loving memory of Paul Klocek this
Holiday Season and his Birthday
Dec. 12th, int. Wife MaryAnn & Children

Remembering Mr. J. J. Kochis
celebrating His Birthday in Heaven
12/15. Stan & Irene

In loving memory of deceased
members of the Kolasa family;
mother Rose, father Andrew, sisters
Mary (Cyganek), Veronica (Bolka),
Clara (Hycner), & Josephine
(Janoski), brothers Fred, Henry &
Andy, may they rest in peace, int. of
Walter Kolasa, Martha (Kolasa) Michael,
and Lorraine (Kolasa) Pritz

In loving memory of my wife, and our
mother, grandmother, & great-
grandmother, Katy Komasinski on her
11th Christmas in Heaven. We miss
you very much, love ya, int. Husband
Ray & Family, Vicki, Kenny, Billy, Chrissy,
April, Austin, Addison & Amilia

In memory of Irene Komisarcik, int.
TerryAnn Defenser

Happy birthday to Helen Kovach in
Heaven, int. Ernie & Betty Bajusz

Happy birthday to Steve Kovach Sr.
in Heaven, int. Ernie & Betty Bajusz

At Christmas, in memory of mom &
dad Edna and Edwin Kozlowski, int.
Ray and Anita

At Christmas, in memory of Sister
Josephine Kozlowski, int. Ray and Anita

To my grandsons, John & Michael Krysz,
Merry Christmas, int. Love, Grandma

In memory of my husband John
Krzjewski on our 61st wedding
anniversary Nov. 27 always in my
heart, int. Wife Valerie

Loving memory of my husband, son,
parents and siblings, miss you all, int.
Loretta Kujawa

In fond memory of our dear friend
Stella A. Kulik. God grant her eternal
rest, int. Virginia & Stanley Depa

In memory of Mary Rose Kuric, int.
Mary A. Balestra
Paul Doherty Family

In memory of Sheila Lahaie, int.
Patricia A. Biedul
Dolores Dye
Carolyn Keegan
Marion M. LoVerde
Kathleen M. Mueller
Dorothy Popa
Peggy Popa
Judy Sullivan

In loving memory of our parents,
Joseph & Eileen LaMere, int. Eileen
Cox, Linda Danko, Al & Dick LaMere

In memory of Marylou Langer, int.
Diane Zurawiec & Family

In loving memory of our dear parents
John & Mary Lasics we miss you
deeply especially during the
Christmas season, int. Your loving
daughters Laura, Jean, Agnes & Julie
wish you a beautiful Christmas in heaven

Happy Birthday in Heaven to our
wonderful and kind mother Mary
Lasics. Thank you for the many
lessons you taught us in your gentle
way. We miss you very much, int.
With our love your daughters Laura,
Jean, Agnes & Julie

In loving memory of Bill & Charlene
LaVelle, int. Dave & Pam Walker

In memory of Peter Lekas, int. Emil &
Julie Baci

In memory of Peter Lekas, always a
gentleman, int. Skip & Tess Bereolos

In loving memory of our Cousin,
Peter Lekas. May his memory forever
be eternal, int. Fran & Stan Drozd

In memory of James Letsos, int. Ernie
& Betty Bajusz

Merry Christmas Marge & Ralph Lies,
we love you and miss you, int. Cindee
& Geoff Bethay

In memory of Thomas Long, int. Gene
& Judy Scheidt

In memory of my dear husband,
Edwin Losinski, int. Louise Losinski

In memory of Joan Ludders, int. Bill &
Dotty McLaughlin

In memory of Colleen Patricia Lusk,
int. Geri Murakowski
Jean Sidor
Pat & Janet Worries

Special memories of Melanie Mailander this month on Dec. 7th what would have been your 34th birthday. In our hearts you are as near and dear to us as the day you came into our lives. Miss you and love you always, int. Aunt Denise

In loving memory of Michele Mannion: Thinking of you so much these days, wishing I could have witnessed the beautiful woman you would have become and needing the friendship I know we would have had as sisters. Miss you and love you always Mickey. int. Your sister, Chrisanne

Remembering my wife, Marilyn, at Christmas, int. Earl Margraf

Merry Christmas to my husband, Tuffy. You're always in my thoughts and prayers. Miss you, int. Love, Sylvia

In memory of Joseph (Joey) Mayer III, int. Virginia Andrews
Mary Ann Buchler & Earl Margraf
John & Margaret Quinn

In memory of Stephen A. Mayernik, int. Pete & Fran Kovacic
Margaret Kuric

Lovingly remembering my beloved wife Phyllis McCampbell, int. Ralph J. McCampbell

In memory of Stewart C. McDonnell, int. The Criswell Family
Jerry & Lisa Fedorchak
Erika Schnick
Nora Werner & Family

With cherished thoughts of the McHale family; James, Alice, Jim, Tom, Jane, Patrick, Aunt Mary & Aunt Rose, always in our hearts and thanks for the memories! int. Ginny & Family

In memory of James "Jimbo" McLachlan, int. Pam & Tim Mallon

In memory of Dr. John Meyer, int. The Meyer Family

In memory of my husband Chester Michnal in heaven 8 years 11-27-05, int. Wife Bernice

In loving memory of Fred and Betty Miller, int. Fred and Yvonne

Happy Birthday Norval Miller in Heaven on your 88th birthday. Loving and missing you, int. your Family

In loving memory of Richard Miller on his 5th anniversary, 12-16-08, int. Wife, Helen, Children, and Grandchildren

In loving memory of Don Moats, husband, dad, and grandpa, we want to wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year in heaven. We love you and miss you very much, int. Love, Pat, Children, & Grandchildren

In loving memory of my wife, Pat and sons, Mark & David Molodet. I love and miss you, int. John Molodet

With cherished thoughts of the Monczka family; Joseph, Helen, Stanley, Rose, Leonard, Charlotte, Josie, Lillian, Bernice, Genivie, and Stephanie. Always in our hearts and thanks for the memories, int. Ginny & Family

In memory of Mark Mrozinski at Christmas, int. Mom

In memory of Thomas Muller, int. Louis & Susan Keen

In memory of Busia & Grandpa Murzyn, int. Mark & Paul

In memory of my beloved husband, Gene Murzyn, int. Sue

In loving memory of Frank Nierengarten, int. Wife Christine & Family

In memory of my dear cousin, Nancy Nordmann, int. Carolyn Milheiser

In memory of our long time friend, Nancy Nordmann, int. Your Card playing forever friends; Sandi Dian, Bobby Doherty, Connie Mitchell, Pat Owens, Carol Paska, Darlene Philips, Sue Ryder, Carol Shoy, Barbara Thomas

In memory of Nancy Nordmann, int. Mary Balestra
Trish Carrabine
Patricia R. Fischer
Henry S. Evans School
Mr. & Mrs. Delbert Franz
Carol Ann Goldsmith
Ray & Peggy Haack
New Horizons
Alice J. Hunt-Lounges
Winson, Marsha & Jones Family
Ava Lynn Kazonis
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Loretta Krawczyk
Shelly Nichols
Donna Nicksic
Sandi & Jim Pieniazek
Beatrice & George Pluard
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River Forest Teachers Association

"Remembering my husband Ken Noveroske on his 9th year in heaven 11/5/04", int. Lorraine

In loving memory of my dad, Eugene H. Nowak, int. Rev. David G. Nowak

In loving memory of my sister, Kathy Lynn Nowak, int. Rev. David G. Nowak

Lovingly remembering my dear friend, Ida Nutting, as she celebrates her first Christmas in heaven, int. Ilene Kelly

Merry Christmas to my dear husband Ed (Pepsi) O'Boy, miss you, int. Virge

In memory of Donald O'Dell, int. The Giannini Family

In memory of Dolores Olds, int. Thomas & Carey Gajewski

In loving memory of my wife Catherine O'Mara, int. Laurence O'Mara

In loving memory of Bernard Opinker, int. Ron & Pat Opinker

In memory of Eugene J. O'Reilly, int. John & Elaine Oakley

In memory of Bill Osborn, int. With deep sympathy Peg Kiernan & Family

At Christmas in memory of Uncle Ted O'Smulski, int. Ray and Anita

In memory of Gayza & Ann Pachuta, int. Patricia Buczkiewicz

In loving memory of Juli Palmer, "the Queen", int. Tom Janicki

In memory of the deceased members of the Panozzo Family, Barbara Rolla

In memory of the deceased members of the Pasko, Clark, Shanta & Underwoods families this Holiday Season, int. Jackie Pasko & Family

In memory of my parents, Paul & Lorraine Pastor, int. Peggy Barringer

At Christmas, in memory of mom and dad Jo and Steve Pasztor, we will miss you both especially on Christmas Eve, your favorite time of year, int. Ray and Anita

At Christmas, in memory of grandfather Steve Pasztor, int. Ray and Anita

In loving memory of Louis & Theresa Paunicka, int. Dolores J. Callahan

In memory of Millie Pena, int. Mr. & Mrs. Barney Zagrocki

In loving memory of my husband Richard Pers on his first Christmas in heaven with our dear daughter Cheryl. I love and miss you. I treasure all my wonderful memories and thank you for them, int. Dolores Pers

Happy Birthday in Heaven, we miss you Frank Petrusic, we will always miss you, int. Love forever, your Family

I love you, Joe Pieters, int. Wife, Joann

In loving memory of John & Anna Polak, int. Al & Theresa Tucker

In memory of my beloved husband Richard and my daughter Cathy who are soooo missed and especially at Christmas, int. Mary Poroska

In memory of Ann Potasnik, int. Ernie & Betty Bajusz

In loving memory of Sam Powers, Merry Christmas, int. Mom & Family

In loving memory of Margaret Prendergast, int. Children, grandchildren and great grandchildren

In memory of Margaret (Marge) Prendergast, int. Mr. & Mrs. R. Bados
Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Barker
Rita Bartell
Mr. & Mrs. Michael Prendergast
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Prendergast
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Rudzinski

In memory of Dorothy Puchowski, int. Chris & Katie Campbell
Evelyn C. Campbell
Jennifer Campbell-Meier and Steven Meier
Karen Danko
Carol Fesko
Deane Janjecic
Mr. & Mrs. Harold O. Shaw
Jim Shaw
Kim and Betty Sigler

In memory of Nathan Putz, int. Wm. M. Putz

In loving memory of my husband Dan Pyne, int. Maureen Pyne

Lovingly remembering my grandparents, Stanley and Mary Raczkowski at Christmas and always, int. Love, Sue

At Christmas, in memory of grandparents Stanley and Mary Raczkowski, int. Ray and Anita

In memory of Mrs. Laura Ransom, int. Mary Wojciechowski
Mary C. Wroblewski

In memory of Paul Vincent Ransom, int. Jerome T. Pizarek

In memory of our dear grandmother, Lillian C. Rebholz, int. Nathan & Jonathan

In loving memory of my brother Gerald Repka as he celebrates his birthday in heaven, int. Susan Sampias

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year Dear Ronnie Richardson on your Second Holidays in Heaven. I will miss our New Years Eve Dance. Miss you and love you so much, int. Love, Mom

In memory of Mary Beth Rincon, int. Sue & Ed Miller
Marlene Townsend

In loving memory of Ciocia, Wuja & Richard Rudzinski, int. Zochna

Lovingly remembering my parents, Joseph & Dolores Rusinek at Christmas and always, int. Love, Sue

At Christmas, in memory of Aunt Dolores Rusinek, int. Ray and Anita

Remembering Alice Sabo on her December birthday, int. Judy Grabarek

In memory of Stanley & Sophie Sambor, missing you at Christmas, int. daughter Julie, Mark & Family

In loving memory of Richard Samek, int. Helen & Children

In memory of Helen Saurborne, you are greatly missed friend, int. Donna

Remembering my dad & mom, Eugene & Veronica Schell as we celebrate Christmas, int. Love, Mary Ann

In memory of my husband Joe Schepanek at Christmas, no longer by my side but forever in my heart, int. Wife Genny

In loving memory of my wife Janice, int. Ed Schmelter

Loving thoughts and cherished memories of Joseph G. Sedey on his 14th anniversary in heaven 12-5-1999, int. wife Elizabeth & daughter Sandi Einigenburg & family

In loving memory of John & Tom Seremet, int. Fred & Eve

In loving memory at Christmas time for all our family, those still with us and those no longer here. Our loss brings sadness and we always miss their presence. Our Mom and Dad, Nicholas & Hannah (Donovan) Sharbak, our brother, Ed Sharbak & his wife, Florence (Soja), sister Mary (Sharbak) & her husband, Ed Madrzyk, sister Joan (Sharbak) Jones & her husband, Dr. Bill Jones (who survives). They will always be in our hearts, int. sisters, Irene (Sharbak) Soley & Ellen Sharbak

In loving memory of our only brother, Ed Sharbak, who celebrates his birthday on 12/31. He was a wonderful brother, and we will always miss him. He had a kind heart, int. sister Irene (Sharbak) Soley & Ellen Sharbak

In loving memory of Jim Shiel, int. Gloria Shiel & Family

In loving memory of our parents, Richard & Mary Shipley, as they celebrate their 3rd Christmas together in Heaven. We love and miss you both so very much, int. Love, Judy, Michael, Rick, and Families

In memory of Jason Shubair, int. The Nicksic Family

In loving memory of Ted V. Sidor, always in my heart, int. Love, Dolores

In memory of my husband Chester Sikora, & son Sylvester Sikora, love you both and miss you, int. Mary Sikora

At Christmas, in memory of Uncle Chester Sikora, int. Ray and Anita

Remembering you Leon Siorek, on your birthday, December 8th, int. Mike & Maryann Siorek

At Christmas, in memory of Aunt Ann Siwy, int. Ray and Anita

At Christmas, in memory of Aunt Jean Small, int. Ray and Anita

In memory of Ann Lane Smoljan, int. Shirley & Ardash Daronatsy

Remembering my mom and dad, John & Pauline Spear at Christmas and everyday. Love and miss you, int. Joann

In memory of John P. Spear who will celebrate his 90th birthday on 12-23 and another Christmas. We miss you, int. Wife Mary & Family

In loving memory of Marilyn and Tom Starr, int. Starr Girls and families

In loving memory of Ronald Stepanek Merry Christmas and happy birthday on January 2, int. Mom & Family

In loving memory of my wife Violette A. Straka, int. Ken Straka

In memory of my son Robert Strbjak, int. Marjorie Strbjak

In memory of Jean Suchor, int. Linda Moran

In memory of Helen Sulewski, int. Clem & Rita Sliwa

Remembering Catherine L. (Nastav) Sutko, at Christmas and always, int. Husband Jerry, Daughters, Cynthia, Pamela, and Laurene

In loving memory of Harry & Mary Szafranski, int. Dolores J. Callahan

In memory of Chester & Mary Szpak, missing you at Christmas, int. Son Mark, Julie & Family

In memory of Marty Szpak missing my twin at Christmas, int. your loving twin Mark

Lovingly remembering my husband Clarence Szymkowski, int. Mrs. D. Szymkowski

Lovingly remembering my son Larry Szymkowski, int. Mrs. D. Szymkowski

In loving memory of my husband, Greg Szyndrowski, int. Vivian

Lovingly remembering my husband, Terry Tokarz at Christmas and always, int. Love, Sue

In loving memory of Ken Tomaszewski, int. Rich, Sue, Matt, Beth and Families

In loving memory of Ethel and George Tomaszewski, int. Rich, Sue, and Families

Remembering our Dear Sister AGATHA TOTH as she celebrates her 90th Birthday in Heaven 12/18. MISS YOU and LOVE YOU! Jo & Irene

In memory of Helen "Babe" Trtan who is celebrating Christmas in heaven with Louie, Mom, Dad and the Boys. We miss you all, int. Love, Mary & Family

In memory of Richard Urban one more Christmas without you, we love and miss you, Merry Christmas, int. Love your Family

At Christmas, in memory of our good friends Bev and Wally Valag, missing you two and all the good times, int. Ray and Anita

In memory of Msgr. Albert Van Nevel pastor of Our Lady of Grace in Highland, who passed on 12/21/2000, int. Jerry Sutko and Daughters

In memory of Vigle Vanzo, Jr., int. Mrs. Helen Lewandowski

In memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vassar, int. Bernard & Rose Bock Marlene Townsend

In loving memory of Dorothy (Soja) Ventimiglia (passed 10/18/13) wife of Larry Ventimiglia, mother of Claire Ann, Bryan, Douglas, Sandra, Dan, & Tim. God has a very special place for her in Heaven, int. The Nicholas, Sharbak Family

In memory of Marguerite Vera, int. Alice Ryfa

In memory of Audrey Vidimos, int. Calumet Lumber, Inc.
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In memory of Guenther A. Vogt, int. Friends with Kvaerner North American Construction

In memory of Charles Voss, int. Barbara A. Sykes

In loving memory of Father Vrabely, int. Mary & family

In memory of Steve R. Vrlík on his 10th Christmas in heaven. Rest in Peace, int. Love, Marie, Cindy, Jennifer, Matthew, Stephanie, Alexa, and Jaden

Happy Thanksgiving Ollie Wadas, you are in my thoughts every day. Miss you, Love you, int. Mary

In loving memory of my beloved wife, JoAnne Wahl, on her 2nd anniversary in Heaven. Family and I miss you so very much, int. Love, Wally (Dennis)

In memory of Marguerite Waichulis, int. Bernadine Kezy
Family and Friends

In memory of Arthur Weiler on his birthday, December 2nd, and his fifth Christmas in heaven. With much love, int. Virginia and all your children

In memory of Mary Whelan, int. Eleanore & Rich Rycerz

In loving memory of our son John E. White, loving and missing you for 4 years, int. Mom & Dad

In memory of my son Terry Wienczek, int. Ted Wienczek

In memory of Ed Wietecha, int. Steve & Linda Slanina

In memory of Andrew J. Witvoet, int. Jim & Nicole Faroh
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In memory of Evelyn Wojas, int. Virginia & Stanley Depa

In loving memory of my husband, father, grandfather, John Wojciechowski on his 100th birthday and Merry Christmas, int. Wife Mary and family

In Memory of William D. Yothment May He Rest in Peace! Stan & Irene Oboy

In memory of William "Bill" Yothment, int. Loretta Krawczyk
Marlene Townsend

In loving memory of my husband Al Ziemkowski, int. Lois Ziemkowski

In memory of Millie Zimmer, int. Fred & Yvonne

In memory of Rev. John P. Zubak, pastor of Assumption Church in East Chicago, who passed on 12/26/76, int. Jerry Sutko and Daughters

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