



Walter H Demler

December 24, 1926 - December 22, 2018

Walter H. Demler

Of North Tonawanda, NY, passed away while under the compassionate care of Niagara Hospice on December 22, 2018 at the age of 91. Loving husband to Bernice (nee Vogt) for 68 years; devoted father to Deborah (Thomas) McCauley, John (Donna Licata) Demler, Margaret (John) Pasiak, Maryalice Demler and Elizabeth Demler. Proud pappa to his 14 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren. Son of the late Walter Carl and Lydia Demler; two late sisters Phyllis and Lois; survived by his brother Eugene (Lois) Demler.

Walter was a lifelong resident of North Tonawanda and retired from the City of North Tonawanda's Wastewater Treatment Plant in 1993 after 25 years of service.

He was a World War 2 veteran having enlisted in the U.S. Navy when he was just 17 years old. He served aboard the USS Thurston in the South Pacific during the key battles of Iwo Jima and Okinawa.

Walter's passion and pride was his wife and family. He enjoyed camping, hunting, tending his backyard garden and cheering on the Buffalo Bills and Sabres.

Visitation Wednesday 2-4 and 7-9 at Wattengel Funeral Home, 533 Meadow Dr., North Tonawanda. Family and friends are invited to a Mass of Christian Burial on Thursday at 10:00am at St. Jude the Apostle Parish on Niagara Falls Boulevard in North Tonawanda.

Interment at Mt. Olivet Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made

to NiagaraHospice.org. Online guest registry at wattengel.com

Cemetery Details

Mt. Olivet Cemetery

4000 Elmwood Ave
Kemore, NY

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **26**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Wattengel Funeral Home (Meadow Drive)
533 Meadow Drive
North Tonawanda, NY 14120
(716) 693-0440
wattengelfh@gmail.com
<https://www.wattengel.com>

Visitation

DEC **26**. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Mass of Christian Burial

DEC **27**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St Jude the Apostle Parish
800 Niagara Falls Blvd.
North Tonawanda, NY

Tribute Wall

DL

“ *Diane Lindbloom lit a candle in memory of
Walter H Demler* ”



Diane Lindbloom - January 10, 2019 at 09:51 AM

DL

“ Dear Demler Family

I'm so very sorry for your lost! Mr Demler (Wally) 😊 was an amazing man! I have nothing but great memories of him. He always told Margie and I to be careful when leaving the house! To me Mr Demler was a man of few words, but when he talked we listened. And not because of being stern, but Because of the pure respect he deserved ! He was a Patient, kind, and soft-spoken man. I never once seen him get angry. Even when we did really dumb stuff! Like the time we threw a snowball right at a passing cars windshield and the man got out of his car and chased us! We hid in the neighbors backyard, and then came back in the house laughing nervously ! Mr Demler asked us what we were up to? We stopped laughing and became quiet. He said I wasn't born yesterday you know., And with that we both started to laugh again . He told us to go have fun, but to be careful! I'm sure he probably knew, as we all know, parents have eyes in the back Of their head! Plus Somehow they always ended up being right, no matter what the situation was ! Which in turn, use to Aggravate Margie and !! 😊

I know how much Margie for one loved her Dad ! When she spoke of him it was always with pride! He truly was a great man! And it's a great loss he's gone now. But I know heaven is rejoicing! And I firmly believe that You all have your own beautiful guardian Angel looking down on you now! May the warmth and love of family and friends surround you all through this very difficult time.

Much love Diane

Diane Lindbloom - January 10, 2019 at 09:47 AM

NS

“ My Mom & I send our love & prayers to you, Maryalice & your family. Losing a parent is especially hard. He'll continue to watch over you.

Natalie M Slipko - December 27, 2018 at 12:50 AM

SB

“ *During the time of tremendous loss, please remember our loved ones are never really gone... so long as we keep them in our hearts.*
-Steve Brown

Steve Brown - December 26, 2018 at 10:52 AM

KK

“ *Thinking of all of you and remembering Mr. Demler.....from 9 and 11 Courtside Drive... I remember what a kind and gentle man he was.....I remember his chuckle and his voice.....He was a hero and a GREAT neighbor.....Love to all of you as you face this difficult time.....thankful for the memories and the time we shared.....will keep all of you in my prayers.....hugs and love to all.....Karen*

Karen Koepsell - December 26, 2018 at 09:56 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Walter H Demler.*



December 24, 2018 at 12:49 PM

WC

“ To the entire Demler family. I am truly sorry to hear about your loss. I have so many memories of our times together. From 7 and 9 Courtside Dr. to Cabin 10 and 14 on Hamlin Trail. I can only smile when I think about your father / husband. He was a wonderful person. May God comfort you in this difficult time.



Wayne Cozad

Wayne Cozad - December 24, 2018 at 11:37 AM

PR

“ Dear Demler family, I am so sorry to hear about your great loss. May God bless you all during this difficult time. - Paul Reidenouer

Paul Reidenouer - December 23, 2018 at 06:51 PM