



Frederick A. Ruzala

December 12, 1936 - December 3, 2017

Frederick A. Ruzala, 80, passed away peacefully on Sunday, December 3, 2017 at Baystate Medical Center. Born December 12, 1936, son of the late Fabian and Aniela (Papuga) Ruzala, he was a lifelong Chicopee resident and a communicant of the Basilica of St. Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr. Fred retired from the Danaher Corp. after many years of service as a toolmaker. He was fond of feeding and providing a safe backyard for the many critters that visited him. Fred was predeceased in 2000 by his beloved wife, Helen M. (Cygan) Ruzala, and is survived by his loving daughter, Jo-Ann Ethier and husband Jeffrey, of East Longmeadow; cherished granddaughter, Jessica; brothers, Stanley Ruzala of West Springfield, and Walter Ruzala and wife Alice of Chicopee; and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his sisters, Sophie Ruzala, Christine Bloniarz and Katherine Tsohonis, and brother, Anthony Ruzala. Funeral services for Frederick will be held Saturday at 10AM from Kozikowski Funeral Home, 565 Front St., Chicopee, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 11AM in St. Stanislaus Basilica. Burial will follow in St. Stanislaus Cemetery. Calling hours are Friday from 4-7PM. Memorial contributions may be made to Dakin Humane Society, PO Box 6307, Springfield, MA 01101-6307.

Cemetery Details

St. Stanislaus Cemetery-

800 Montgomery St.
Chicopee, MA

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 8. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Kozikowski Funeral Home
565 Front Street
Chicopee, MA 01013
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Service

DEC 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Stanislaus Basilica_
566 Front St.
Chicopee, MA