



## Dean N. Koppenhaver

March 12, 1945 - June 22, 2023

Dean N. Koppenhaver , 78, Pillow passed away at his home on Thursday June 22, 2023. Dean was born March 12, 1945 in Dalmatia, a son of the late Mary I. and Paul A. Koppenhaver. He was married to Judith A. Koppenhaver, who survives.

Dean was a proud member of the Mahanoy Joint class of 1963 and also a member of St. Lukes church, Malta. Kopyy spent his life peddling milk for East Malta Dairy and Brookwood Farms, sampling all the extra large soft serve ice cream cones and chocolate milk along the way. He was known as the guy with the sweet handlebar mustache of which he took great pride in looking sharp. Kopyy's passions in life were hunting ringnecks with his best Brittany Spaniels Glory and Bridget, the New York Yankees and listening to his hero Kris Kristofferson.

His biggest joy in life was playing baseball and slow pitch softball. Known to his teammates as 'the Blur,' Dean pitched and played in as many leagues around the area as he could, entertaining his teammates along the way with his on field antics and rendition of 'Big Bad Dean.'

In addition to his loving wife Judy, Kopyy is survived by his son, Mickey (Christina) of Trevorton, stepdaughter Michelle Witmer (Barry) of Lykens, grandchildren Haley Anne and Arik Koppenhaver of Trevorton and Ashley

(Kevin) Eaton of Wiconisco, Devin Witmer (Harrisburg.) Two brothers Harold(Hazel) of Dalmatia and Larry (Barbara) of Halifax and two sisters Marilee(Harry) Rood of Fairfield and Carolee(William)Chirillo of Dover, Del. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews whom all loved Uncle Dean. Kopyy was preceded in death by his parents and one son, Casey D. Koppenhaver.

A visitation with family and friends will be held on July 1, 2023 from 10:00 am to 11:00 am at St. Luke's United Church of Christ, Malta. Memorial service follow at 11:00 am.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Residential Hospice, 100 Sterling Pkw, Suite 100, Mechanicsburg, PA 17050.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Dean N. Koppenhaver.* ”



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June 26, 2023 at 09:19 PM



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June 25, 2023 at 02:00 PM