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Edward A. Schmidt, Sr., 81, of Cicero, passed away on Tuesday at Crouse Hospital surrounded by his loving family. He was born in Syracuse and graduated from St. John the Baptist School. Ed served with the US Army during the Korean Conflict. He was employed with Verizon for 43 years, retiring in 1991. He also found great pleasure in "working" behind the counter at Liehs and Steigerwald Meat Market. Ed was Past Vice President of Pinnacle Investment Club. He enjoyed his winters in Arizona and especially playing golf. An avid reader, he was well versed on a wide range of subjects. Ed will be remembered by all who knew him as one who brought a smile to everyone and to whom family meant everything. He was predeceased by 2 sisters, Edna Chilson and Beverly Filipkowski. Ed is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Rita J. (Malandra) Schmidt; 4 children, Janice L. (David) Panasci of Jamesville, Mark E. (Susan) Schmidt of Syracuse, Edward A. (Rebecca) Schmidt Jr. of Arizona and Sandi J. (Randy) Hill of California; 4 grandchildren, Kayla and Mark Schmidt and Luke and A.J. Hill; brothers and sisters, Kenneth Schmidt of New Jersey, Jean Pudney of North Syracuse, Carol (Arthur) Street of Manlius and Dorothy (Paul) McLaughlin of Liverpool; also several nieces, nephews and cousins. Funeral services will be conducted on Saturday at 9:00 am in the THOMAS J. PIRRO JR. FUNERAL HOME, 3401 Vickery Rd. (corner of Buckley Rd.) North Syracuse and 10:00 am in St. Rose of Lima Church, North Syracuse. Entombment will follow in Woodlawn Cemetery Mausoleum. Family and friends may call at the funeral home on Friday from 4 to 7 pm. Contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, PO Box 417005, Boston, MA 02241-7005.



Events

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Visitation

 **Friday**, September 2, 2011


 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM ET

 **Thomas J. Pirro Jr. Funeral Home**
3401 Vickery Rd, Syracuse NY 13212



Service

 **Saturday**, September 3, 2011


 9:00 AM ET


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3401 Vickery Rd, Syracuse NY 13212

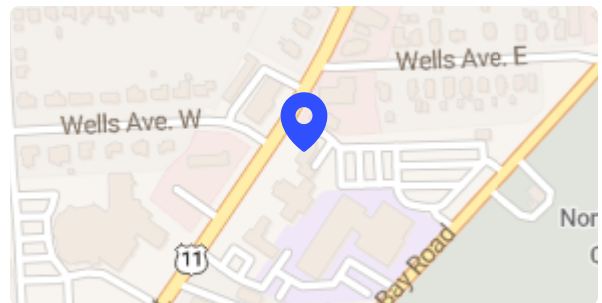


Funeral Mass

 **Saturday**, September 3, 2011

 10:00 AM ET

 **St. Rose of Lima Church**
409 S. Main Street, North Syracuse NY 13212





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CM

Cathy Meixner posted:

To Jan, David and family: Your Dad always had a smile for us when we saw him at the Cystic Fibrosis Golf Tournaments and in the more recent years at Leih's and Steigerwald's our David's favorite place to get pepperettes and ring baloney. We are so sorry for your loss. He will be missed by many and our family. Cathy, John and David Meixner

September 5 at 10:07 AM

JL

John Lotito posted:

To the Schmidt family, I am saddened by the loss of Eddie. I had the pleasure to work with him at Myers Rd garage where he made coming to work enjoyable. He had a welcoming smile and an infectious laugh. I will always remember "lil ol' Eddie". My condolences to you all. John Lotito

September 2 at 7:02 AM

JK

Jeffrey Kimber posted:

To the Schmidt family, sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. I remember working with Mr. Schmidt at the meat market. Jeffrey Kimber

September 2 at 2:27 AM

ER

Eloise Boshers Ross posted:

Rita & Family---My love and prayers go out to you at this sad time. I wish I were there to comfort you in person. Ed and you have always been so kind to me. Rita---he will never be forgotten. Know my thoughts and prayers are with you Rita. Love, Eloise

September 1 at 10:38 AM

KO

Kathy And Bob Orlowski posted:

Rita and Family, You all are in our thoughts and prayers. We will truly miss Ed and his great smile. He was always there to spread his positive feelings and thoughts whenever we talked. He will truly be missed by many. Remember all the wonderful times you had together and as a family. May God bless you and give you strength.

September 1 at 9:27 AM



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LC

Le Moyne College posted:

Please accept the sympathy of Le Moyne College on the occasion of the death of your father. Be assured of our prayers for him, for you and for your family.

September 1 at 4:49 AM

RD

Rose Defrancis posted:

Rita, my heartfelt sympathies go out to you and your family. Ed will surely be missed. He was a wonderful neighbor. Ron and I held him in the highest regard. He always had a smile and a warm greeting, I'm sure going to miss that. As a widow myself, both of you always were there to help. May the God of all comfort, comfort and wrap His loving arms around you at this most difficult time. Rose DeFrancis

September 1 at 3:34 AM

KO

Kathy And Bob Orlowski September 1 at 9:24 AM

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Memories only last if you share them

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



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