

Harry F. Collins

July 7, 2012

Harry F. Collins, 85, of Frackville, formerly of Philadelphia, died Saturday morning at Broad Mountain Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Frackville.

Born in Philadelphia, Oct. 21, 1926, he was a son of the late Harry and Mary Collins.

He attended Philadelphia schools.

He was a member of St. Hugh Catholic Church, Philadelphia, and was a lifetime member of the Loyal Order of Moose, Bucks Lodge 1169.

Harry was preceded in death by his wife of 56 years, Bertha T. Kawa Collins, on June 7, 2003.

He was the last member of his immediate family.

Surviving are his sister-in-law and caregiver, Antoinette Wonchalk, Frackville, sister-in-law, Mary Ludwig, Levittown; brother-in-law, Bernard Kawa, Ringtown; nieces and nephews.

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at St. Ann Roman Catholic Church, Frackville, with the Rev. Robert Finlan as the celebrant. Relatives and friends are invited to a visitation from 9:30 a.m. until the time of Mass at the church.

Interment will be in St. Joseph Parish Cemetery, Englewood, Frackville. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, 350 E. Erie Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19134-1013 or Women's Humane Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, 3839 Richlieu Road, P.O. Box 1470, Bensalem, PA 19020-5470 or St. Ann's Memorial Fund, 7 S. Broad Mountain Ave., Frackville, PA 17931. Albert L. Gricoski Funeral Home, Frackville, is in charge of arrangements.