



Mr. Erich J. Hegenbart

January 31, 1932 - October 7, 2019

Mr. Erich J. Hegenbart, 87, of Pittsfield, passed away on Monday, October 7, 2019. Born in Baden, Austria, on January 31, 1932, the son of the late Rudolf & Monika Maier Hegenbart, he graduated from high school and then went on to vocational school where he learned the trade of typesetting.

Erich worked as a color type printing pressman of Fine Arts for Max-Jaffe in Vienna, Austria. In 1960, he immigrated to New Jersey, where he began working at Triton Press in New York City. Mr. Hegenbart later settled in Pittsfield, MA, where he worked at Studley Press until his retirement in 2002. Erich was fond of art, and enjoyed both painting in water color, as well as pencil art. He was also an avid soccer fan who could always be found watching the game and cheering on his favorite team.

Besides his wife, Theresia Spindler Hegenbart, whom he married on July 23, 1955, Erich is survived by his children; Ingrid Kraska (Edward) and Erich Hegenbart (Kim). He also leaves behind his grandchildren, Christina Hegenbart and Erich A. Hegenbart. Erich was predeceased by his brothers, Rudy Hegenbart and Josef Hegenbart.

Funeral Notice:

Funeral services for Mr. Erich J. Hegenbart will be Friday, October 11, 2019 from Dwyer Funeral Home at 11 a.m. with a Liturgy of Christian Burial at 12 noon at St. Charles Church, celebrated by the Rev. A. Peter Gregory, Pastor Emeritus. Calling hours will be Thursday afternoon, October 10, 2019, from 4 p.m to 7p.m. A celebration of life will be held in New Jersey at a later date. In

lieu of flowers, donations can be made to HospiceCare in the Berkshires in care of the Dwyer Funeral Home, 776 North St., Pittsfield, MA 01201 in his memory. Donations CANNOT be made online, but may be made through the Dwyer Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **10**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Dwyer Family Funeral Home
776 North Street
Pittsfield, MA 01201
(413) 442-5094
info@dwyerfuneral.com
<https://www.dwyerfuneral.com/>

Service

OCT **11**. 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Charles Church
89 Briggs Ave.
Pittsfield, MA 01201
<http://stcharlespittsfield.org/>

Tribute Wall

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“ *My deepest condolences to Erich’s family. He was a big presence here at The Pines. We will miss seeing him out and about shoveling snow, trimming trees, replacing lightbulbs and just doing whatever needed to be done. He never asked for any compensation. Such a sweet man! Sandra Wilson*

Sandra Wilson - October 10, 2019 at 06:34 PM

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“ *My sincere condolences to the family of Erich Hegenbart. Erich was a kind and gentle man who will be dearly missed. I often spoke with him of the arts in our community here at the Pines where we both lived. Rest in Peace Erich,*

Daniel M. O’Connell, Pittsfield, Ma.

Daniel O’Connell - October 10, 2019 at 10:58 AM



“ *Glorious Grace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Erich J. Hegenbart.*



October 10, 2019 at 08:45 AM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Erich J. Hegenbart.*



October 10, 2019 at 07:32 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Erich J. Hegenbart.*



October 09, 2019 at 09:45 AM