



Mr. Frederick "Fred" Kowchuk

August 30, 1945 - February 28, 2025

Mr. Frederick "Fred" Kowchuk, 79, of Pittsfield, passed away peacefully at his home on Friday, February 28, 2025, surrounded by his loved ones. Born in Pittsfield, MA, on August 30, 1945, son of the late William and Valerie Karvowitz, he graduated from Ward School with the class of 1969, and later from autobody school in West Springfield in 1989.

Frederick enlisted in the United States Army in 1969 and proudly served his country until his honorable discharge in 1970. Following his time in the active military, he continued to the Army Reserves.

For the majority of his career, Fred was employed by Legacy Bank, where he worked, through their transition to Berkshire Bank, in the maintenance department. Prior to this, he worked at Eaton Paper, Eastover, Pittsfield Plastics, and County Ambulance.

Among many things, Fred loved antique cars and could always be found at a car show or two.

Fred is survived by his longtime significant other, Cynthia "Cindy" Nylic. He leaves behind his grandson, Kole Nylic, who brightened his life, as well as his sister, Linda Andrews (Thomas). Fred is survived by his niece, Cynthia Tristany, two nephews, Kevin Andrews and Brian Andrews, as well as several

cousins and friends.

Fred was predeceased by his wife, the former Judy Costello, who passed away in 2007.

Funeral Notice:

Funeral services for Mr. Frederick Kowchuk will be Monday, March 10, 2025, at 11am at the Dwyer Funeral Home, 776 North Street, Pittsfield, MA 01201. Burial will follow at St. Joseph Cemetery. There will be a time of visitation at the funeral home directly prior to the service, from 9:30am to 11am.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Fred's memory can be made to HospiceCare in the Berkshires, 877 South St, Pittsfield MA 01201.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Cemetery

222 Peck's Rd.
Pittsfield, MA 01201

Previous Events

Service

MAR 10. 11:00 AM (ET)

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