

ERIC BARTOLOWITS

Back in 2013, my husband of 59 years started to lose weight, off to the doctor, only to be sent to a second and third doctor, finally, we were told that he had cancer in five areas with only a few months to live. All of this information was given on the same day, sure enough, two months to the day, E.J. passed on October 22, 2013. Our firstborn son, Wayne became the "Rock of our Family. He was always active and enjoyed life, except he lived on "Tums" for indigestion. This eventually became a problem, he turned 68 on January 28th, 2018, and by August 24th, 2018, he passed away from cancer. We really relied on him to keep us in line.

Our family holds a reunion at North Park, this year was September 9, 2023, my son, Eric and his family arrived from California, we had a great time. Eric had to go to D.C. regarding his job. He planned to return to Pittsburgh, PA. During the week, he was not feeling his best, my daughter-in-law, who is a nurse at AGH, arranged an appointment, and within hours and tests, he was told he had cancer in four areas with only a short time left. He is a 55 years old man, served 20 years in the Air Force, has three grown sons; one grandson; and a home in California. His main concern was getting back home. There will be a Memorial Service on November 2nd in California, and then on December 2nd, a Celebration Of Life will be held in St. Boniface R.D. Church at 11 AM, with MSGR L. Dinarda officiating. If you wish to make a donation to The American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 1640, Hagerstown, MD 21741, or call 1-800-227-2345 to donate in Eric Bastolorvito's name, we humbly thank you, his sisters, their families; his brother, Jason and family; his mother, Francine Bartolowits; and many relatives. Join us to celebrate Eric on December 2nd, 2023, Saturday at 11 AM in St. Bonaventure Church on East St.

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