## PIETRO "PETE" BENNARDO



Age 81, of Sharpsburg. passed away peacefully on Sunday, November 24, 2024. Born to Davide Bennardo and Fortuna Turano, in San Pietro in Guarno Cosenza, Italy, He was preceded in death by his loving wife. Maria "Assunta" Rennardo: brothers, Franco Salvatore; sisters, Rosetta and Maria. Survived by daughter, Maria Paterra (Emidio): son. Salvatore Bennardo (Amy); nephew, Edward Newill (Jennifer):

niece, Angela Natoli (Ron). Loving "Nonno" to Angela Schillizzi (Ryan), Dante Paterra (Sara), Emidio Paterra, Nathan Bennardo and Kara Bennardo. Proud great-grandfather to Mabel Paterra and Andrew Schillizzi: and many nieces and nephews in Italy.

Pete came to the United States in 1967 and started Bennardo Construction, which he owned and operated for over 40 years. He was master stonemason a trade he learned in Italy. He was a generous, loving, kind man and his memory will live in all of us.

Pete's family would like to thank Concordia of Wexford's staff for their care and kindness and a special thank you to the angel caregivers at Good Samaritan Hospice in Wexford.

Visitation, Friday, November 29, from 2-6 P.M., at NEELY

FUNERAL HOME, 2208 Mt. Royal Blvd., Glenshaw.

Mass of Christian Burial, Saturday, November 30, at 10 A.M., at Christ the King Parish, Madonna of Jerusalem Church, 201 9th St., Sharpsburg, PA 15215. Everyone please meet at church.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Good Samaritan Hospice, 146 Neely School Rd., Wexford, PA 15090.

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