



## Anthony R. Paar

August 1, 1936 - June 21, 2017

Anthony R. "Tony" Paar, 80, passed away at the Chambersburg Hospital on June 21, 2017. He was born in Daguscahonda, Elk's County, PA on August 1, 1936, the son of the late Jacob and Anne Paar. Tony graduated from Gannon University and entered the US Army where he served for 22 years and retired at the rank of Lt. Col. in 1980. Tony had two tours of duty in Vietnam and various European and stateside tours. In his retirement years, he worked with his friend, Jack, at the Copper Kettle and was a tax preparer for H and R Block for 20 years. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, reading, doing word puzzles and was an ardent and loyal Pittsburgh Steelers fan. Tony was a member of Corpus Christi Catholic Church and the Military Officers Association of America. Surviving are his wife of 37 years, Linda (Smith) Paar, daughter, Dorothy (Kurt) Frey of Shippensburg; son, Raymond (Pat) of West Paris Maine and sister, Patricia. He is also survived by three grandchildren: Nicole Frey, Tara (Ben) Gallardy, Jacob Paar; three great grandchildren and many loving nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by brothers: Robert, Arthur, Phillip, Leonard and sisters, Doris and Mary. Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 1:00 PM on Wednesday, June 28, 2017 at Corpus Christi Church with Fr. Brian Olkowski officiating. There will be a visitation from 12 to 1 at the church. Private burial will be in Lincoln Cemetery with military honors conducted by the Charles Nitterhouse Post #1599 Honor Guard. Contributions in Tony's name may be made to: Saint Vincent Food Pantry, c/o Corpus Christi Catholic Church, 320

Philadelphia Ave., Chambersburg PA 17201. Online condolences may be expressed at [www.sellersfuneralhome.com](http://www.sellersfuneralhome.com)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *As you celebrate a life well lived may the God of all comfort and tender mercies also grant you peace and hope, "while you throw all your anxieties upon him because he cares for you" (1 Pet. 5:7).*

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**c. collier** - June 30, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Rest in Peace Uncle Tony. You were a good man and I am proud to be your nephew. May God hold you close.*

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**Steve Paar** - June 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ *My sincere condolences to the Paar family. May the fond memories of the times you shared comfort you, while God's promise of a future resurrection, found at John 5:28 & 29, brings you hope during this difficult time. My deepest sympathy to you all.*

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**Lora** - June 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM