



Robert "Bob" Eckardt

December 17, 1933 - August 8, 2023

Robert Clemens Eckardt, 89, of Columbus, passed Tuesday, August 8th. Preceded in death by his father, Arno C. Eckardt, mother, Lovina Asbeck (Eckardt) and stepfather, William Asbeck. Survived by daughter, Jane (Janie) Frances and sons Arno C. and Kurt C. (Br. Gabriel of the Incarnation). He is also survived by his brother, William (Bill) Asbeck and wife, Patty, sister, Marilyn Wilking (Asbeck) and husband, Glenn, as well as many nieces and nephews. He attended grade school at St. Aloysius in New Lexington, OH, Aquinas High School in Columbus and graduated in 1956 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration from the Ohio State University. He was a member of the Secular Order of Discalced Carmelites, former President of Mater Dei Academy, member of the Latin Mass community, and an employee in Cost Accounting for 30 years at the GM plant in Columbus. Calling hours are at RUTHERFORD-CORBIN FUNERAL HOME, 515 High St., Worthington, Weds., the 23rd from 2-4PM & 6-8PM with the Rosary beginning at 3:30PM. A Solemn High Requiem Mass will be Celebrated at 10AM on Thurs., the 24th at St. Leo's church at 221 Hanford St., Columbus. Burial at St. Joseph Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to: Holy Family Soup Kitchen, c/o Holy Family Church, 584 W. Broad St., Columbus, OH 43215

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Cemetery

6440 South High Street
Lockbourne, OH 43137

Previous Events

Calling Hours

AUG 23. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Rutherford Corbin Funeral Home
515 High Street
Worthington, OH 43085

Calling Hours

AUG 23. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Mass

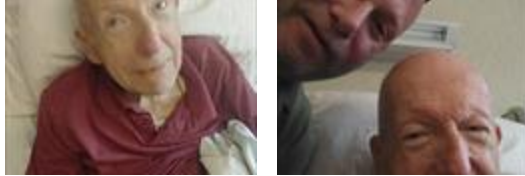
AUG 24. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Leo Catholic Church
221 Hanford Street
Columbus, OH 43206

Tribute Wall

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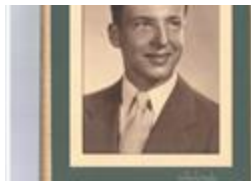
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Bob was a longtime Board Member at Mater Dei Academy. He was one of the founders who in 1971, had the foresight to build a school like Mater Dei Academy. All of my children attended Mater Dei. We are deeply indebted to Bob, the other founders and many parents and teachers who have supported the school. May God richly bless Bob and his wonderful wife. Kevin Reis

Kevin Reis - August 14, 2023 at 09:27 AM