

OBITUARY

Frederick William Juhls Sr.

Hackettstown: Frederick William Juhls, Sr., retired Mt. Olive Police Sergeant, dedicated and loving father and beloved grandfather, age: 64, died on Tuesday, Jan. 13, 2009 in the comforts of his own home with his children at his bedside, after battling a long illness. Mr. Juhls was born on Aug. 19, 1944 in Newark to his late parents, Carl and Greta (Beckmann) Juhls. In 1954, his parents moved the family to the Budd Lake section of Mount Olive Township, where the family owned and operated The Juhls Budd Lake Inn and Restaurant. Fred graduated from West Morris Regional High School in 1962. He was a volunteer for both the Budd Lake Fire Company and the Budd Lake First Aid and Rescue Squad, while working as Produce Manager for the Netcong Shoprite from 1962 to 1968. In 1968, he graduated from the State Police Academy in Sea Girt and joined the ranks of the Mount Olive Township Police Department. Fred was instrumental in starting the Neighborhood Crime Watch program in Mount Olive. He was also dedicated to protecting the township's youth by conducting numerous fingerprinting and photographing sessions for parents to use in the event that their child ever went missing. After retiring as Sergeant, he assisted both the United States Marine Corps Reserve and the Marine Corps League with their Annual "Toys for Tots" collection drives and collecting donations for use in creating care packages to support the troops deployed during "Operation Desert Storm." For his efforts, he received several "Letters of Appreciation" from both organizations. Fred later moved to Hackettstown and was an Officer with the Moose Lodge #816 and a "Son of a Legion" member with the American Legion Post #164.

Fred is survived by his brother, Carl Juhls and his wife Linda of Budd Lake; his son, Frederick William Juhls, Jr. and his wife, Heidi, their daughter, Rachael and their son, Evan of Randolph; his son, Michael William Juhls and his two sons, Michael Jr. and Jared of Budd Lake; his son, Mark William Juhls and his wife, Tammy, and their two sons, Matthew and Mason of Hackettstown; his daughter, Lori (Juhls) Otto and her husband, Kris, and their daughter, Brynn of Hackettstown; and his stepdaughter, Heidi (Hunger) Chowning and her husband, Steve, of Albuquerque, N.M. Mr. Juhls had seven grandchildren, Rachael Bethany Juhls and Evan Zachary Juhls of Randolph, Michael William Juhls Jr. and Jared William Juhls of Budd Lake, Matthew Ryan Juhls and Mason Alexander Juhls of Hackettstown and Brynn Emily Otto of Hackettstown. Memorial services will be held at the Cochran Funeral Home, 905 High Street (Route 517) in Hackettstown, NJ 07840. Viewing hours will be from 3 to 8 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 16. Interment will be private. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in memory of Frederick W. Juhls, Sr. to the Budd Lake First Aid and Rescue Squad, P.O. Box 761, Budd Lake, NJ 07828.

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