

**Pennsylvania Federation  
General Membership Meeting  
September 14, 2021**



Every two years, the Pennsylvania Federation had met in Convention somewhere within the Commonwealth. For many decades, one solemn and very moving activity that had been conducted during each Convention was a Memorial Celebration of Life for those members who had passed away over the preceding two years. This activity was notable for its two distinct features: the listing of the deceased members, by Chapter, in the official program booklet for the Convention and the recognition of those members by Federation Officers at a candle lighting event that was an integral part of the formal Convention proceedings.

Recent Bylaws updates have since changed the name, manner, and timing of all Biennial events. Further, the massive impact on daily life brought about by the Covid-19 Pandemic, resulted in the complete cancellation of our 2020 Conference. That Conference was to have been the first of the annual membership meetings replacing the biennial Conventions of the old Bylaws. We remember those members who died in the period prior to that cancelled event this year, at this meeting.

This General Membership Meeting, for 2021, has now gone into a Virtual Meeting mode that is driven, once again, by the Covid-19 Pandemic. Accordingly, the names of the 457 Chapter members listed as deceased in 2018-2019 are now posted on the Federation's website.

We acknowledge these members for their many contributions to our country, service in our government, and support of our Association. We miss each of them.

The names of deceased Chapter members from 2018 and 2019 are listed on the following pages, by Chapter, in the order that they were reported to NARFE.

## Deceased Members

Listed by Chapter, as reported January 1, 2018- June 30, 2019

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### Chapter 31, Philadelphia Center City

Geraldine M Smith  
Martha A Brown  
Lonnie C Davis  
Clarence Saunders  
Willie H King  
Wilhelmina Jones  
Helen L Tucker  
Gwendolyn Hooper

### Chapter 102, Harrisburg

William F Glase  
Anne B Buller  
Anne C Shepler  
Elizabeth L Ellenberger  
Phyllis Bernard  
David J Waters  
Mary Malinak  
Mildred Petrovich  
Mildred C Phoenix  
Frank Barber  
Mary L Smith  
Paul L Showers  
Laura A Beistline  
Ronald H Zimmerman  
Frances Rencevicz  
James T Phillips  
Catherine C Malesic  
Paul M Jones

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### Chapter 103, Reading/Berks

Karl J Angstadt  
Jack Nagle  
Arlene V Kausch  
W L Burkert  
Leonard W Harner  
Phillip J Giles  
Bruce D Fies  
Harvey L Schaeffer  
Ruth K Tabakelis

### Chapter 114, Pittsburgh Metro

James Hawrylak  
Frank B Zeno  
Anna Treemarchi  
Grace Hoellein  
Richard C Tappe  
Raymond J Kirstein  
Wanda L Hummer  
Audrey J Whitney  
Daniel J McBride  
R.P. Crowley  
Donna Ganley  
Mary J Rossi  
Dorothy E Kuhns  
Dorothy J Cardinal  
Emelda N Dedig  
Joan Schram  
Mildred F Vega  
Richard Evans  
John Lucas  
Donald J Dugas  
Val Kucher  
Frank A Novotny  
Betty Jane Stephen  
Marion G Drop  
Stephen Perdziola  
Martin Prex  
Harold T Bushey

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### **Chapter 114, Pittsburgh Metro (Continued)**

Herbert Keleman  
Rita Di Frank  
Donald J Myers  
Frances Gilmore  
George Petrosky

### **Chapter 129, Scranton**

John K. Beehler  
J Gerald Robling  
Nicholas A Maro  
J G Sullivan  
Ruth J Sirgany  
Joseph G Remmett

### **Chapter 143, Presque Isle**

Joyce M Nye  
Herbert L Combs  
Marjorie L Funkhouser  
Leona Holland  
Henry S Bender  
Nancy Leube

### **Chapter 301, Lancaster**

Stanley A Zell  
Clara P McCarraher  
Paul A Nagle  
Robert M Butts  
Robert H Buzzard  
Dale A Gallagher  
Anna Barto  
Jean S Miller  
June Guito

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### Chapter 328, Altoona

Sarah Raabe  
Eleanor Johnson  
August J Macedonia  
Ralph E Britten  
Harold C Eten  
Helen R Hanlon

### Chapter 331, York

Ramona M Diehl  
Florence A Gilbert  
Donald E Leik  
Richard H Britton  
Cecil R Gaynor  
Mary E Ruff  
Ruth N Koons  
Joyce L Drawbaugh

### Chapter 342, Wilkes Barre

Joseph Mattias  
Paul D Tourscher  
John J Simchick  
Theresa B Lastowski  
Josephine Castellani  
Evelyn R Woolbaugh  
Frances E Farrell  
Dorothy M Walker  
Jule Maceiko  
John Hrichison  
Lillian Shalkowski  
Charles H Petroski

### Chapter 372, Norristown

Salvatore Paschall  
Dennis M Brown  
George J Michini  
Doris Lackey-Pepp

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### Chapter 372, Norristown (Continued)

John W Manney  
Helen Highouse  
Walter Allen Wolfe  
Patricia A Gerberding  
E J McNutly

### Chapter 373, Carlisle

Theresa M Strzalkowska  
E Anita L Shires  
Betty F Miller  
Glenn E Railing  
Kay R Robinson  
Stanley A Tomlinson  
John E Roley  
Betty H Wilson  
Thelma P Harman  
Jerry M Loose  
Loretta Quinn  
Eugene C Breiner  
Harold E Otto  
Alice M Bitner  
Janet A Guise

### Chapter 377, Chester County

Robert H Reeder  
Miriam N Silverberg  
Ronald B Holtsberry  
William R Potance  
Vincent C Mackay  
Alonzo T Harding Iii  
Ethel P Cochran  
A Lindsay Moulton  
Betty J Bradford  
Elaine H Dickinson  
Joseph E Potts  
Frances M Groff  
Josephine A Brovey

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### **Chapter 377, Chester County (Continued)**

Thomas E O'Donnell  
Corina M Horn

### **Chapter 404, Delaware County**

Mary Marziano  
John Reihl  
Frank W Fasano  
Florida A Robinson

### **Chapter 412, Williamsport**

C Louis Wascher  
Omar E Dewald  
Kenneth Foucart

### **Chapter 413, Schuylkill**

Burton W Seiwel  
Sandy M Payne  
Wilbur E Baskin  
Helen Leskosky  
William A Bogden  
Scott S Dotterer  
John J Buchinsky  
Thelma A Salle  
William L Wiscount  
Clara Kurdziel

### **Chapter 458, Lebanon Valley**

Ruth G Osterburg  
Emma Gingrich  
Betty J Wildasin  
Arlene Fuhrman  
Elizabeth J Patches  
Donald F Zelek  
Robert Ristenbatt  
James L Hoffsmith

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### **Chapter 458, Lebanon Valley (Continued)**

George E Snyder  
Gloria Shirk  
Theresa Ferretti  
Richard E Slichter  
Dorothy P Goff  
Stella V Fortna  
Hugh W Seavers  
Josephine G Schriver  
Vincent C Krasnitsky  
Rosemarie Barry  
Helmut K Krueger

### **Chapter 657, New Castle Area**

Gladys I Ayers  
Thelma J Hall  
Marilyn J Maule

### **Chapter 664, Philadelphia Center Square**

Jean P Davis  
James R Lake  
Leroy Richardson  
Joseph M Faulk  
Martha M Eckert  
Roland W Purnell  
Arthur C Brown  
Daniel M Thompson  
Eugene Gay  
Carolyn L Stumpo  
Dorothy B Bernard  
Robert R Taylor  
Brian Mullane  
Helen J Janus

### **Chapter 1063, Chambersburg**

Bertha H Brown  
Joan M Collett  
James I Brooks  
Doris Koons



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### Chapter 1063, Chambersburg (Continued)

Adin R Ebersole  
Bernard J MacWilliams  
Nelle D Nelling  
Blair A Cornelius  
Phyllis K Crouse  
Jack C Young  
Rose S Lappo  
Patricia Cramer  
Jean E Kann  
Elizabeth Angle-Freeland  
Robert E Faust  
Melvin Fox  
Alan C Marion  
M Virginia Bartle  
Esther Swick McBride  
Evelyn S Shives  
John E Hippensteel  
Darwin G Barkdoll  
John M Hockensmith  
Patricia J Harrison  
Charlotte L Straley  
Richard E Rock  
Harold Frey  
Ara Himelick  
Clark E Smith  
Laura M. Cormany  
Doris C Hockensmith  
Dixie L Whitsel  
Vera F Lensbower  
Patricia A Hare  
Mildred M Miller  
Luman N Rensch  
Grace L Dubbs  
Margaret M Novak  
Jane Lamison  
William E Harris  
Rose M Hudson  
Mary G Martin  
Charles R. Pentz  
Grace R. Hess

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Iva Lee Mellott  
John Debross  
George S Leeper  
William Prentice  
M Louise Pile  
Anna Marie Majchrzak  
Emma M Loomis  
Jean M Wilson  
Jerry Lohr  
Ommir Rock  
John A Rothrock  
Gary K Dann  
Virginia Flora  
Robert Rogers  
Esther E Riley  
Garry O Heckman  
Earl L Deavor  
Gary Heckman  
Thomas O Marshall

### **Chapter 1102, Easton Area**

Dorothy Kale  
Dorothy A Todd  
Julia S Locascio  
Betty Jane Meyers  
Henry Critelli

### **Chapter 1130, Johnstown**

Margaret R McGrath  
Ronald E Gresh  
Donna Prince  
Bernice D Harrison  
Marilyn B Sandusky

### **Chapter 1189, Pocono**

Donald J Busteed  
La Dora M Bolcar

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### **Chapter 1212, Carroll County, (Maryland)**

William Hettel

### **Chapter 1287, Lower Bucks**

Charles W Everett  
John M Sabia  
Carmen Bellucci  
Robert E Brady  
James C Briggs  
Ardella Batchelder  
Nancy M Riley  
William Bogdan  
Emma L Lehrfeld  
Marge Stiffler  
John A Revell  
Charles F Hoeger  
Edward J Kiernan  
L Patria Morales

### **Chapter 1296, Butler**

Frances A Schmeider  
Gloria D Price  
Margaret Demucci  
Conrad J Geibel  
Hal Foss

### **Chapter 1301, Oxford Circle**

Mildred M Kaye  
Maryann F Carson  
William J. Hettel  
John C Domin  
Catherine Tweed  
Bernard Arinsberg  
Meyer Wagner  
Bernadette H Butler  
Eileen G Stengel  
Beatrice Mitchell  
Stephen Bush  
Mae Sweed

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### Chapter 1301, Oxford Circle (Continued)

Rita I Lahaza  
Hyman Jacobs  
George S Edwards  
Ann M Barth  
Leonard J Hackimer  
Margaret M McNeely  
Dolores M McNeal  
Estelle J Supreme  
Harriet Kirsch  
Faith S Kurtzberg  
Horace G Eggleston  
George Sager

### Chapter 1371, Lehigh Valley

Frank C Dickman  
Franklin W Reimert  
Dennis R Zellner  
Alton J Kies  
Richard A Frantz  
William R Mantel  
Edward L Borkowski  
Alfred G Bush  
Patricia J Snyder  
John N Brooks  
Nicholas Natysyn  
Charles E Koch  
Joseph J Barnas  
William J Mondjack  
Edward Parks  
F P Seabourne  
Clayton H Fritz  
William A Yenca  
Michael W Dorosh  
George P Abraham  
Edwin R Rohrbach  
Edmund A Karpinski  
Viola H Kavacky  
Frederick E Kern

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Joseph E Kozo  
John H Miller  
Mike Elchook

### **Chapter 1384, Montgomery County**

Frederick Kluxen  
Robert Waterstradt  
William J Cebular  
Helen A Watkins  
Stanley M Dean  
Theodore M Rogers  
Francis J Rice  
Mary Kay Mooney  
Geraldine Ingram  
Verlyn P Palmer  
Ruth Harvey  
Orlando J Morgnanesi  
Albert Schmidt  
Joseph M Sullivan  
Harry R Yeager  
Dolores M Saunders  
Arnold E Wilson  
Paul Stuhltrager  
William H McMillen  
George Hudicka  
Roy F McConnell  
David Ryalls

### **Chapter 1465, West Shore**

M Ellen Duffey  
Larue S Barner  
Richard L Heffner  
Doris Cavanaugh  
Dale M Stock  
Miguel Cadena  
Sandra L Book  
Vity J Grabauskas  
Ross C King

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George Mixell  
Leroy J Simmons  
Anna F Bair  
B McIntire  
Glenn A Wehler  
Arthur G Kelly

### **Chapter 1556, Allegheny-Kiski**

Carmela Rami  
Anne C Kovinsky  
Clementine R Percell  
Grace Boncuk  
Helen E Hrabovsky  
Vera V Viale

### **Chapter 1646, Susquehanna Valley**

Gladys M Haas

### **Chapter 1723, Greater Pittston Area**

Chester Rose

### **Chapter 1778, Kinzua Area**

Agnes M Songer  
Flora B Ray  
Blanche S Jenkins

### **Chapter 1797, Adams-Hanover**

Dorothy P Swisher  
George A Fream  
Barbara S Smith  
Irene K Hursh

### **Chapter 1816, Mechanicsburg**

Charles R Bohner  
James M Loscher

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Charles A Glessner  
Phyllis L Sgrignoli  
Joseph D Kissinger  
Arlene H Krah  
Miriam N Warfield  
Paul W McDonnell  
Esther E McDonnell  
Martin L Slusser  
Kenneth L Bixler  
Pearl M Myers  
Loretta Smith  
Beth Misakonis  
Jean S Fronk  
Olive L Horner  
Joyce Harman  
Virginia B Lerew  
Lowell E Heikes  
Suzanne F Clouser  
Mildred I Brantner  
William B Neff

### **Chapter 1855, Mon-Yough**

Carolyne Ressler  
Robert Kugler  
Frank H Graham  
Donald Uchnar  
William N Buszko  
Robert G Knupp

### **Chapter 1940, Media**

Ralph E Vining  
James M McKniff  
Stella A Simperts  
Dorothea A Moyer  
James E Brennan  
Paul R Kambies  
John J D'Apollo  
Evelyn M Driscoll

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### **Chapter 1940, Media (Continued)**

Cecelia M Kennedy  
William N Cousin  
Gloria Truax  
Walter A Manchin  
M Russell Toy

### **Chapter 2002, Fayco**

Donald Small  
Thomas McLendon

### **Chapter, 2093, Bedford County Area**

Dorlin W Hay  
Maureen Hannemann  
Warren A Byers  
Harry T Ritchey

### **Chapter 2124, Indiana Area**

Sally L Bence  
Phyllis A Martz

### **Chapter 2259, Pike-Wayne County**

Andrew E Love  
Margot H Tresslar  
Peter R Ierardi