



John M.L. Skelley

May 5, 1938 - July 21, 2017

John M.L. Skelley 79, of Hillsdale NY passed away Friday July 21, 2017 at his home in the company of his family. He was born in Hudson, NY on May 5, 1938 to the late John S. and Doris A. (Hoffman) Skelley. John was a graduate of Ockawamick High School and later a Machine Operator for Switzer Maudit International for many years. He was a life member of the Philmont Rod and Gun Club as well as an avid Turkey and Deer hunter. He was also a proud supporter of the Wounded Warrior Project.

He will be greatly missed by his beloved wife of 56 years Frances (Chambers) Skelley, 3 sons: Michael Skelley of Hillsdale, Scott and (Donna) Skelley of Claverack, Shawn and (Amanda) Skelley of Valatie, grandchildren: Brittany, Meagen, Josh, Katy, Aaron, Hannah and soon to be granddaughter Paisley, great-grandchildren: Michael, Layla, Peyton, Sophia, and soon to be great-grandsons Logan and (?), a close cousin Dave and (Jennifer) Boice, and his best friend and companion Bear - his Rottweiler.

Calling hours will be Tuesday July 25, 2017 from (4-7) PM at the Sacco-McDonald-Valenti Funeral Home 700 Town Hall Drive Hudson. Funeral services will be Wednesday July 26, 10:00 AM at the funeral home with Pastor Jonathan Hodges of St. Mark's Lutheran Church officiating. Burial will follow in Mellenville Union Cemetery. Family requests memorial contributions made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital 501 St. Jude Place Memphis, TN 38105 or to the Wounded Warrior Project PO BOX 758516 Topeka, KS 66675

Previous Events

Calling Hours

JUL **25.** 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Sacco Funeral Home
700 Town Hall Dr
Hudson, NY 12534
(518) 828-5000
smvfh700@gmail.com
<https://www.saccofuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

JUL **26.** 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Sacco Funeral Home
700 Town Hall Dr
Hudson, NY 12534
(518) 828-5000
smvfh700@gmail.com
<https://www.saccofuneralhome.com/>

Burial

JUL **26.** 11:15 AM - 11:35 AM (ET)

Mellenville Union Cemetery
769 NY Route 217
Mellenville, NY 12544

Tribute Wall



“ A memory, let's see. My husband, not husband at the time went to visit John and Fran. It was in the morning, sitting at a table they were eating chocolate cream pie for breakfast. Wow I couldn't get over that, well now I have no problem with pie for breakfast, thanks John. Hoping you are having chocolate cream pie. 😊: 1:

nancy dreyer - July 24, 2017 at 05:26 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of John M.L. Skelley.



July 24, 2017 at 04:11 PM



“ Tara Finn lit a candle in memory of John M.L. Skelley



Tara Finn - July 24, 2017 at 03:06 PM



“ Gaetano Balestra lit a candle in memory of John M.L. Skelley



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