



Leon Zulpo

May 21, 2010

Leon Ralph Zulpo (Mr. Tontitown), 82, of Tontitown died Wednesday, May 19, 2010 in Fayetteville. He was born February 10, 1928 to Adolph and Theresa Sbanotto Zulpo.

He was a business owner in Tontitown since 1955, owning and operating his own Service Station, Leon's Car Wash, and the Tontitown Z Mart, Inc., where he has been a partner with his son Mike for the last 20 years. He also farmed. He was a lifetime member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 4th degree Knights of Columbus, member of St. Joseph's Cemetery Committee, Eucharistic Minister, Chairman of the Tontitown Grape Festival, Served 46 years as a councilman for the City of Tontitown, he also help organize the Tontitown Volunteer Fire Department, where he served as a board member, volunteer fireman and held the position of Captain and Assistant Chief. Leon also served in the United States Army.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 49 years, Sally Verucchi Zulpo, a brother Jack Zulpo, and two sisters, Zelma Sabatini, and Mabel Aaron. Survivors include four sons, Adolph Zulpo and wife Debbie of Springdale, Doug Zulpo of Bentonville, Mike Zulpo and wife Toni of Tontitown, and Ben Zulpo of Fayetteville; four daughters, Linda Folladori and husband Jay of Ponta Vedra Beach, FL, Laura Reagan and husband Pete of Fayetteville, Lydia Bolen and husband Dick of Siloam Springs, and Lisa Clayton and husband Mike of West Fork; 11 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild; one sister Antoinette Pianalto and husband Richard of Springdale; several nieces

and nephews.

Visitation will be on Sunday, May 23, at St. Joseph Catholic Church from 5 to 7pm.

Rosary services will follow at 7pm.

Mass of Christian Burial will be Monday, May 24 at 10a.m. St. Joseph Catholic Church in Tontitown with Fr. Joe Marconi officiating. Burial will be in the St. Joseph Cemetery.

Pallbearers are Jason Folladori, Nathan Zulpo, Brian Reagan, Brad Reagan, Dustin Clayton, Dylan Clayton. Honorary pallbearers are Chuck Rexford, Duane Atha, Riley Tessaro, Henry Piazza, Todd Witzigman.

Memorial may be made to St. Joseph Catholic Church, P.O. Box 39, Tontitown, AR 72770 and Tontitown Area Volunteer Fire Department, P.O. Box 42, Tontitown, AR 72770.

Tribute Wall



“ *Leon Zulpo*

January 21, 2023 at 02:29 PM



“ *Dear Zulpo Family,
I was sad to read about the death of Mr. Zulpo. You are in my
thoughts and prayers.
Sincerely,
Jan Walker*

May 29, 2013 at 05:02 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss.*

May 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. I think of you all often.*

May 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *May God's comfort and peace be with your family during this time of
sorrow.*

*With continued prayers,
Donna Clayton*

May 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ I considered Leon a good friend & long time customer. He always had time for a visit..
I was unaware of his passing until after after the burial.....Art Morris

May 25, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Zulpo's and extended family: the Knights of Columbus 4th Degree Pope John Paul 1 Assembly 1783 extends its' sympathy to you. Leon was a Founding member of this Assembly and we will keep his memory in our prayers. For many of us Leon was not only an example of Columbianism but fine Ambassador for Tontitown and its famous families the memories will endure.

Vivat Jesus,
John Michael Young, Sr. Faithful Navigator Assembly 1783

May 25, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Laura sorry for the loss. Thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family!

May 24, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Adolph, we are so sorry to hear about your Dads passing. We know how hard it is to lose a parent. Just know you are in our thoughts and prayers.

May 24, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Mike & family, We are so sorry for your loss. Leon always made us feel part of the community of Tontitown. our thoughts and prayers are with you.

May 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Mike so sorry to here the death of your dad are thoughts and prayers are with you at this time

May 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM