



Emil Bohdan Korol

April 26, 1935 - July 26, 2025

Emil Bohdan Korol, age 90, of Newberg, passed away in his sleep early Saturday morning, July 26, 2025. He was born in Chortkov, Ukraine to the late Maria and Miroslaw Vladimir Korol. Emil immigrated to the United States at the age of 10 with his family, settling in Lancaster, Pennsylvania where Emil graduated from Lancaster Catholic High School and Franklin & Marshall College. In 1963 he and Peggy Van Cleve married at Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church, Lancaster, and they recently celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary.

Emil followed a dedicated career in the pharmaceutical industry, beginning as a chemist at Wyeth-Ayerst in Pennsylvania, promoting to the position of Director of Quality Control with American Home Products in Madison, New Jersey, then chose to retire to the Pacific Northwest. Emil enjoyed travel and road trips, soccer and tennis, and followed closely most recently "Putin's War" with his native homeland, The Ukraine.

Emil is survived by his wife Peggy and their children, Susan Tamara (Andrew Borrevik) of Bainbridge Island, Washington; Steven Van Cleve (Abbie Parker) of Dundee, Oregon and Boise, Idaho. And Grandchildren Spencer, Jillian, Matthew, Elsinore and Genevieve. Emil was predeceased by his sister Olga and brother George.

A Catholic Mass will be held on Thursday, July 31, 2025 at 11:00 at St. Peter's Catholic Church, Newberg, Oregon.

Rejoice and Be Glad!

Cemetery Details

Mt. Calvary Catholic Cemetery

333 SW Skyline Blvd.
Portland, OR 97221
<http://www.ccpdxor.com>

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

JUL 31. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (PT)

St. Peter Catholic Church
2315 N. Main Street
Newberg, OR 97132