



## Edward E. Collins

January 6, 1943 - November 18, 2021

Edward E. Collins, 78, of Fond du Lac, died on Thursday, November 18, 2021, at Hospice Home of Hope.

He was born on January 6, 1943, in Fond du Lac, the son of George E. and Gladys James Collins. On May 23, 1962, he married Shirley Ann Resop at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Fond du Lac. She preceded him in death on March 27, 2012. Edward served in the National Guard. He worked at Mercury Marine for over 41 years. He enjoyed watching John Wayne westerns, hunting, archery and taekwondo.

He is survived by his son, Daniel E. Collins of Fond du Lac, his sister-in-law Mary K. Dempsey of Mt. Calvary, his nieces and nephew: Jessica (Jonathan) Miedema of St. John, IN, Heather (Kevin) Campbell of Madison and Richard D. (Cassy) Dempsey of Fond du Lac; his great-nieces and nephew: Alexa Miedema, Grace Dempsey and Tyler Miedema.

He is preceded in death by his parents, wife, and his half-brother Edward.

VISITATION: Friends may call from 1:00 – 3:00 PM, on Sunday, November 28, 2021, at Kurki Funeral Chapel, 31 East Division Street, Fond du Lac.

SERVICE: Memorial Services will be held at 3:00 PM, on Sunday, November

28, 2021, at Kurki Funeral Chapel, with Chaplain Karen Kraus officiating.  
Trier-Puddy American Legion Post #75 will conduct graveside Military  
Services at Calvary Cemetery at 10:00 AM on Monday, November 29, 2021.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **28.** 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Kurki Funeral Chapel & Crematory  
31 E. Division Street  
Fond du Lac, WI 54935

## Service

NOV **28.** 3:00 PM (CT)

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## Graveside Service

NOV **29.** 10:00 AM (CT)

Calvary Cemetery  
686 Fond du Lac Avenue  
Fond du Lac, WI 54935

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Ed and Shirley were parents to a lot of us children a Fond du Lac. You will be missed but never forgotten. Love from your Fond du Lac children.*

Casey C. - November 26, 2021 at 12:58 PM

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“ *Casey C. lit a candle in memory of Edward E. Collins*



Casey C. - November 26, 2021 at 12:56 PM

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“ *EDDY AND SHIRLEY WERE BEST FRIENDS. THEY OWNED AN IRISH SETTER WHICH THEY BOUGHT FROM MY KENNEL. NEVER KNEW YOU. BUT KNEW YOUR GRANDPA GEORGE. FONDYS DOG CATCHER. MY DAD GOT ME A GREAT DANE REMEMBER GRANDPA GEORGE DELIVERED HER IN HIS MODEL TEE. PAID 5 BUCKS FOR DANE.. GOOD MEMORIES OF YOUR FAMILY DANIEL. MAY YOUR PARENTS RIP.*



MARY MARLOWE - November 21, 2021 at 09:57 AM