

## Frank C. Kozempel

May 3, 1929 - July 28, 2015

Frank C. Kozempel, a resident of Cinnaminson since 1962, passed away peacefully at his home on July 28, 2015. He was 86 years old.

Frank was the beloved husband of 52 years to the late Kathleen Marie Kozempel. Loving father of Rollin Kozempel of Maple Shade, and Marie Ferraro (Jay) of Townsend, DE. Dear grandfather of Christofer and Nicolas. Loving brother of Rebecca Hale.

Frank served for 4 years in the U.S. Air Force as a ground radar instructor. He worked for IBM for 35 years. He served on the church council at Bethany Lutheran in Palmyra for 6 years. Frank was an avid railroad historian that had countless photos and articles published in various aspects of railroad operations, facilities, and people. He had a lot of hobbies, including genealogy, model trains, and gardening. Frank and Kathleen did a lot of traveling around the U.S., including Alaska and Hawaii. They also enjoyed their time visiting Bermuda, Canada, and Jamaica.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend Frank's life celebration at Snover/Givnish of Cinnaminson, 1200 Rte. 130 N., on Friday from 9:30 am - 11 am. His prayer service will begin at 11 am. Interment will follow at Lakeview Memorial Park, Cinnaminson, NJ.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Frank's name may be made to Camp Haluwasa, 377 Ehrke Road, Hammonton, NJ 08037.

# Cemetery Details

## Lakeview Memorial Park

1300 Route 130 North  
Cinnaminson, NJ 08077

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 31. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Givnish Funeral Home Cinnaminson  
1200 Route 130 N  
Cinnaminson, NJ 08077  
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<https://www.givnish.com>

## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Givnish Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Frank C. Kozempel*



**Givnish Funeral Home** - July 29, 2015 at 03:00 PM



“ *Frank C. Kozempel*

September 09, 2022 at 01:27 AM



“ *My love goes out to Marie, Rollin and all the family. I have such fond memories of our families getting together through the years. My kids got to know your Dad and learn so much about trains from him when they were little.  
It was a blessing to know him.  
Sue (Stone) Haines*

**Sue Haines** - July 31, 2015 at 09:48 PM



“ *It was wonderful to get to know Frank through West Jersey Chapter. We also visited other groups and had many wonderful conversations. He was very proud of his family. It was a pleasure to meet Frank. Dave Homer - Moorestown.*

**Dave Homer** - July 30, 2015 at 08:10 PM

RD

“ It was an Honor and pleasure to have known Mr. Kozempel albeit for the last few years. We spoke at the West Jersey Chapter meetings and Railfan gatherings. His dedication to Railroad History was exemplary as well as an inspiration. He will be missed. Bob Doan

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**Robert R Doan** - July 30, 2015 at 01:49 PM

MD

“ You are all in our thoughts and prayers...we both have great memories of your parents, and memories last a lifetime! Hugs to all of you...Mare and Paul

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**Maryellen and Paul DeMille** - July 30, 2015 at 09:00 AM

NR

“ My family lived next door to Frank and Kathy for many years as our children were growing up. I used to love to watch his perpetual garden growing every spring and summer. It was beautiful! I also loved to watch his relentless pursuit of the illusive hummingbird. I can remeber one day calling him over to my yard so that he could determine what was flying around my plant out front. He was amazed to find a hummingbird at my flowers, He told me that he was always determined to have hummingbirds in his yard. He also shared a little more love for my dachshunds, Hansel and Gretel, I think he would be suprised to know that Gretel lived to 18 years and that Hansel is still working on 19. Joan Pitko had informed me a while ago that Kathy had passed. They were wonderful neighbors, and I always think of him and Kathy fondly. May your family find peace and love during this time of loss.

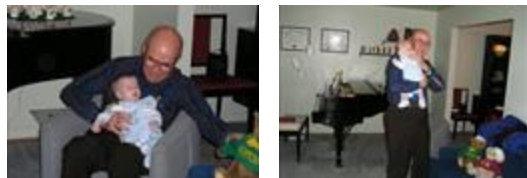
*Nancy L. (Waller) Rust, Austin and Natalie and Hansel Waller  
Formerly 104 sheraton Avenue*

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**Nancy.L. Rust** - July 30, 2015 at 07:20 AM

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Adam Merrill - July 29, 2015 at 09:04 PM

MF

Adam, the photos are beautiful!! Dad always enjoyed visits with your family. :-) Thanks for sharing!

Marie Ferraro - July 30, 2015 at 05:33 AM

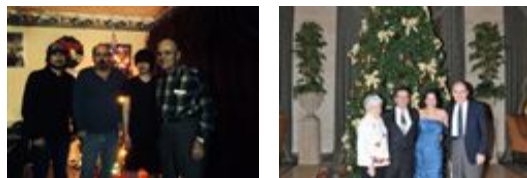
JL

I became acquainted with Frank back in 1959 and we've communicated frequently for the past 55 years. My thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of loss. He was a great friend, always helpful. An L&N RR loco engineer friend and co-worker here on the Gulf Coast put me in touch with Frank. I really enjoyed the RR photos he shared that he made on the Gulf Coast while he was stationed at Keesler AFB in Biloxi, 1949-1952. J. G. Lachaussee, Wiggins, MS

J. G. Lachaussee - August 16, 2015 at 10:58 PM



“ 2 files added to the album Life Tributes



Givnish Funeral Home - July 29, 2015 at 03:44 PM



“ *The Stipek and Lewis Families purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Frank C. Kozempel.*

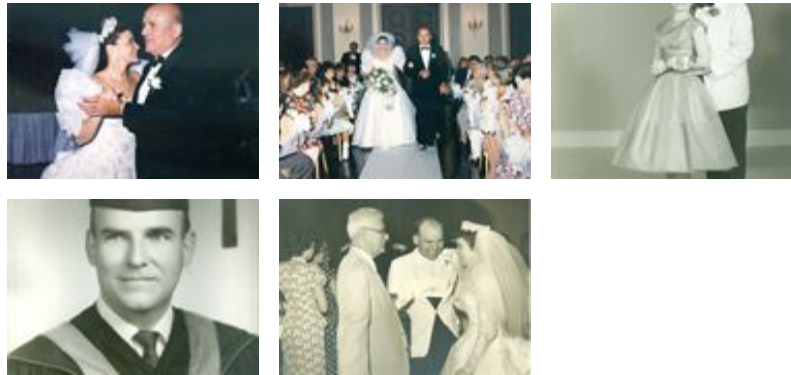


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**The Stipek and Lewis Families** - July 29, 2015 at 03:14 PM



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**Givnish Funeral Home** - July 29, 2015 at 02:27 PM