Walter Kozma

Nov. 30, 1927 - Sept. 23, 2023

Walter Kozma, 95, of Morganton, NC, passed away Saturday, September 23, 2023.

Born in Brooklyn, NY on November 30, 1927, he was the son of the late John Kozma and Olivet Kozma.

Walter was a veteran of the US Army and served in the south Pacific. He was awarded the WWII Victory Medal and Army of Occupation Medal. Mr. Kozma a member of Calvary Lutheran Church, was an electrical engineer at Bell Labs for many years, and an avid animal lover.

Walter is survived by his loving wife of 45 years, Judith "Judy" Kennedy Kozma; step-granddaughters, Michelle Hessian (Joseph) and Lexi Moje; and sister-in-law, Anita Kozma.
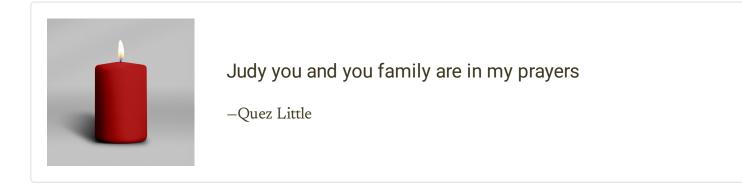
In addition to his parents, Walter was preceded in death by siblings, Donald and Eleanore; step-son, Christopher Moje and his wife, Jackie.

A celebration of Walter's life will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, October 7, 2023 at Calvary Lutheran Church, 119 N. King Street, Morganton with Rev. Paul Carlson officiating.

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Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family with the arrangements.

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Judy you and you family are in my prayers

—Quez Little

Judy, relatives and fiends, Thank you for sharing Walt with us over the years. He certainly lived a long life and I just know he was filled with gratitude to his Lord and Savior. He has gained a heavenly home. Lifting you and yours in prayer as you journey through this grieving season in life.

—Wayne and Leslie Giese

Judy, Praying for your peace and comfort. May you feel God's loving embrace. Love and hugs, Rebekah Poplin

—Rebekah Poplin

Judy, I'm so sorry to hear this news and want you to know I am holding you close in prayer.

—Devonna Ijames

Judy, You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. May beautiful memories fill your heart and give you comfort

during this difficult time. God is good all the time. And all the time, God is good. Grace Hartley

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