



## Joseph J. Vahalik

November 11, 1926 - December 4, 2018

Joseph J. Vahalik, 92, of Amsterdam passed away Tuesday morning December 4, 2018 at the Carroll Golden Age Retreat in Carrollton.

A son of the late Steve and Mary Gritser Vahalik, he was born November 11, 1926 in Amsterdam.

Joseph was a US Army veteran of World War II, having served in the Pacific Theater. He was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Amsterdam and a member of the Knights of Columbus.

He is survived by his wife, the former Catherine McLaughlin; three sons, Joe (Shelly) Vahalik of Kilgore, Dave (Marla) Vahalik of Amsterdam and Paul (Karen) Vahalik of Perrysburg, Ohio; a daughter, Tina Vahalik of Akron; five grandchildren Jaime Pepperling, Greg Vahalik, Elizabeth Vahalik and Brad and Nicole Vahalik; eight great grandchildren Steve and Hailey Vahalik, Adelyn and Adam Pepperling, Kain Hutchison, Abby Niece and Leighton and Lillian Bausell.

Along with his parents he was preceded in death by a son, Stephen, four brothers, Johnny, George, Steve and Robert and three sisters, Annie, Eleanor and Mary Louise.

Mass of Christian Burial will take place Saturday, December 8, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. in St. Joseph Catholic Church of Amsterdam with Fr. John McCoy officiating. Burial will follow in Bergholz Cemetery with full military honors. Visitation will be Friday evening from 5-8 p.m. in Dodds Funeral Home of Amsterdam with a Rosary Service at 7:30 p.m.

Donations may be made in Joesph's memory to St Joesph Catholic Church in Amsterdam, OH

# Cemetery Details

## Bergholz Cemetery

Township Highway 276  
Bergholz, OH 43908

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 7. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Dodds Funeral Home -Amsterdam  
207 S Main Street  
Amsterdam, OH 43903  
(740) 543-3555  
<https://www.doddsfuneralhomes.com/>

## Service

DEC 8. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Joseph Catholic Church  
333 North Main Street  
Amsterdam, OH 43903

# Tribute Wall



“ Joe Vahalik was the best uncle and the best of men. I will cherish my many memories of him. Our sympathy to his family. Jim and Tina Marshall

Jim Marshall - December 07, 2018 at 03:23 PM



“ Lavender & White Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Joseph J. Vahalik.



December 07, 2018 at 11:19 AM



“ Simply Lily was purchased for the family of Joseph J. Vahalik.



December 07, 2018 at 10:17 AM



“ Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Joseph J. Vahalik.



December 07, 2018 at 10:09 AM



“ *Healing Tears - All White* was purchased for the family of Joseph J. Vahalik.



December 07, 2018 at 09:16 AM



“ *With love, your neighborhood Poker Group* purchased the *Healing Tears - Blue and White* for the family of Joseph J. Vahalik.



**With love, your neighborhood Poker Group** - December 06, 2018 at 03:22 PM



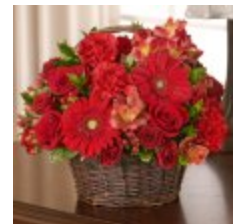
“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden* was purchased for the family of Joseph J. Vahalik.



December 06, 2018 at 02:26 PM



“ *Lisbon Dental Staff* purchased the *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All Red* for the family of Joseph J. Vahalik.



**Lisbon Dental Staff** - December 06, 2018 at 12:39 PM

Ruth  
Detchon

“ *Ruth Detchon lit a candle in memory of Joseph J. Vahalik*



Ruth Detchon - December 06, 2018 at 07:07 AM



“ *Simply Lily was purchased for the family of Joseph J. Vahalik.*



December 05, 2018 at 06:18 PM

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“ *Advanced Drainage Systems purchased the Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All White for the family of Joseph J. Vahalik.*



Advanced Drainage Systems - December 05, 2018 at 04:53 PM