



Richard P. Bishop

January 25, 1937 - October 20, 2011

Mr. Richard Prosper "Dick" Bishop, 74, of Cheshire, died on Thursday, October 20, 2011 at his home.

He was born in Adams on January 25, 1937, the son of the late Prosper and Mary (Paluch) Bishop. He attended schools in Adams.

Mr. Bishop worked for over 50 years as a barber, having worked for various barber shops in Berkshire county, most recently Mancy's Tonsorial Parlor in Pittsfield. He had also owned and operated his own barber shops in Adams and Cheshire. Mr. Bishop had also been employed by General Electric Co., Pittsfield and the former Brightwater Paper Mill, Adams.

He was a communicant of St. Mary of the Assumption Church, Cheshire. He was a longtime member of the Adams Lions Club and the Adams Turners. He was a former longtime member of the National Ski Patrol at Jiminy Peak.

He is survived by;

1 Son - Alan R. Bishop of Sebastopol, CA;

1 Granddaughter - Hennessee Bishop of Sebastopol, CA;

1 Sister - Carolyn Poirot and her husband Hank of Adams;

1 Aunt - Sophie Michalski of Adams, and many nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be on Wednesday, October 26, at 8:45AM from the PACIOREK FUNERAL HOME, 13 Hoosac St., Adams, followed by a Liturgy of Christian Burial at 10:00AM in St. Mary of the Assumption Church, Cheshire, celebrated by Rev. David R. Raymond, Pastor.

Burial will follow in Cheshire Cemetery.

Calling hours are Tuesday from 4:00PM to 7:00PM at the funeral home.

Memorial donations may be made to the Adams Lions Club or St. Mary of the Assumption Church through the funeral home.

Tribute Wall



“ I am sorry I could not make the calling hours. I would run into Dickie all the time at Price Chopper and he would let me know what was going on and how everyone was doing. He will be missed by everyone who knew him. Love, Lisa

October 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Uncle Hank,Aunt Carolyn and Family,
Condolences to all on the passing of "Dickie".I'll always remember him as a gentleman and a genuinely caring person. God Bless him...

October 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Cousin Dickie, always the joker and always willing to make time for a conversation. The personal barber for most of the county but Uncle Cudie had the best deal - "a haircut today for a jar of Kapusta tomorrow!" We are so sad and will miss him.

October 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM