



George Albert Schweich

July 29, 1939 - February 23, 2026

George Albert Schweich, age 86, of Centreville and formerly of Upper Marlboro, Maryland, passed away on February 23, 2026, after battling Parkinson's disease and cancer.

George was born on July 29, 1939, to William Michael and Agnes Catherine Myer Schweich. He grew up on his family's farm in Cannon Falls, Minnesota. After graduating from Cannon Falls High School in 1957, he enlisted in the United States Navy in 1958 and was stationed for two years in Washington, D.C. He met Shirley Barbara Walls in 1959, and they married in 1961. They settled in Clinton and then Upper Marlboro, Maryland, where they raised their three children. George began working for the District of Columbia Department of Public Works Transportation Systems Administration in 1961 and retired as a Parking Analyst in 1989. George was a hard-working man who often took on side jobs on the weekends to provide for his family. He moved furniture, drove mail trucks, and, with his son, cleaned chimneys. After retirement, George did survey work for road construction, volunteered as an election judge, and filed permits for a pool company.

George was extremely active in the Marlboro Boys & Girls Club and coached baseball, basketball, football, and softball. He was a devoted member of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church, in Clinton, Maryland, and then attended Our Mother of Sorrows after moving to Centreville in 2004. George enjoyed

taking his family on road-trip vacations across the United States and traveling back and forth to the condominium he and Shirley owned in Ocean City, with frequent stops at the casinos along the way. He enjoyed doing the daily crossword puzzle in the newspaper, reading the news, following sports, playing poker and cribbage with friends and family, and having a cold beer on his patio and porch.

George is survived by his loving wife of 64 years, Shirley; his children Teresa Ann Schweich (Allen) Via, Michael Allen (Lori) Schweich, and Vicki Ellen Schweich (Milton) Crump; his grandchildren Kathleen Via Makusky, Emily Schweich, James Via, Megan Crump, and Rachel Crump; his brothers Thomas and Daniel Schweich; and numerous nieces and nephews. George was predeceased by his brothers Michael Francis and William Charles Schweich and his parents William and Agnes.

A viewing will be held on Monday, March 9, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. and 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, 408 South Liberty Street, Centreville, Maryland 21617. Burial Mass will be held on Tuesday, March 10, at 11:00 a.m., at Our Mother of Sorrows, 303 Chesterfield Avenue, Centreville, Maryland 21617. Following mass, the Rite of Committal will be held at St. Peter's Cemetery, 5319 Ocean Gateway, Queenstown, Maryland 21658. A repast for family and friends will be at Our Mother of Sorrows' Corbaley Hall, located behind the church at 301 Homewood Avenue, Centreville, Maryland 21617.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 9. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Centreville Location
408 South Liberty Street
Centreville, MD 21617
(410) 758-1151
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Visitation

MAR 9. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Mass

MAR 10. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Our Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church
301 Homewood Avenue
Centreville, MD 21617

Interment

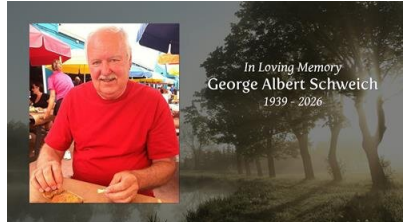
MAR 10. 12:30 PM (ET)

St. Peter's Catholic Cemetery
5319 Ocean Gateway
Queenstown, MD 21658

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of George Albert Schweich*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - March 09 at 08:50 AM

CA

What a beautiful video. So many pictures and so many memories. RIP Uncle George. Sending love and prayers to my family. I may be far away but my heart never left home. 💕🙏

Carrie - March 09 at 01:41 PM

LG

“ *Love, Carrie and Dan Gibson purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of George Albert Schweich.*



Love, Carrie and Dan Gibson - March 08 at 10:40 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of George Albert Schweich.*



March 08 at 10:18 PM

LD

“ Love, Glenda Yando and Michael Devine purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of George Albert Schweich.



Love, Glenda Yando and Michael Devine - March 07 at 10:18 PM

WP

“ With love, Dan and Paula Pitts purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of George Albert Schweich.



With love, Dan and Paula Pitts - March 07 at 09:52 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of George Albert Schweich.



March 05 at 03:22 PM

JC

“ Julie Crump planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of George Albert Schweich.

Julie Crump - March 01 at 02:52 PM

JC

“ Julie Crump purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of George Albert Schweich.



Julie Crump - March 01 at 02:52 PM

MS

“ 3 files added to the album Married 64 Years



Mike Schweich - March 01 at 12:21 PM

MS

“ 3 files added to the album Dad & Family 2



Mike Schweich - March 01 at 12:15 PM

MS

“ 3 files added to the album Dad & Family



Mike Schweich - March 01 at 12:04 PM

MS

“ 5 files added to the album George Schweich



Mike Schweich - March 01 at 11:46 AM

AV

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Al Via - February 28 at 11:12 AM

AV

When Terri brought me home to meet her family for the first time I remember how warm and kindly George treated me. Over the years that kindness grew and made me very happy and proud to call him my Father in Law. I will miss him greatly.

Al Via - February 28 at 11:13 AM

DS

“ Brother George left home when I was just a wee bit of a twerp. Between his trips home to Cannon Falls, MN, and my trips out to visit him in MD, I got to know him pretty well. (Shirley might have thought we had too much fun, though!) George was a good, kind, and caring, and a bit mischievous fun loving guy, and a wonderful brother. He will be missed. R.I.P., brother. Dan (& Deb)

Dan Schweich - February 28 at 11:00 AM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of George Albert Schweich.



February 28 at 10:42 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of George Albert Schweich.

February 28 at 10:42 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of George Albert Schweich.

February 28 at 10:40 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of George Albert Schweich.*



February 28 at 10:40 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of George Albert Schweich.

February 28 at 10:38 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of George Albert Schweich.*



February 28 at 10:38 AM

LC

“ My earliest memories of my Uncle George were at my Grandparent's home in Suitland, Maryland. When my uncle arrived to visit my Aunt Shirley my sister, brother and I would run to greet him. I was around three years old at the time. His presence and engagement forged through simple consistent quality time built a continuing bond of unconditional love. After my aunt and Uncle married, I spent a lot of time at their Clinton home. It was truly my happy place. My Uncle was kind and gentle. I struggled in my early school years. It was my Uncle George who tutored me in Math with guidance that gave me the confidence to learn. My Aunt Shirley and Uncle George always made me feel like a guest in all of their beautiful homes. My last visit with my Uncle George a month before he passed was a memory of him holding my Aunt Shirley's hand with love in his eyes. It is a memory I will always hold close to my heart. My Uncle George left a Legacy rooted in gratitude, discipline, humility and acceptance. May his life of immense quiet strength continue to uplift and inspire others. I will miss you Uncle George!
Love, Your Niece Linda

Linda Crosby - February 27 at 09:10 PM