



## Michael Cimba, Jr.

January 12, 1925 - March 26, 2010

Michael Cimba, Jr. of Green Cove Springs, FL passed away on March 26, 2010 at University of Maryland in Baltimore, MD. He was 85.

He enjoyed a long retirement and pursued his love of reading, classic car collecting, and WWII history. He was dedicated to his family and exemplified a life of success through a strong work ethic.

He was born on January 12, 1925 in Dunlo, PA the son of the late, Michael Cimba, Sr. and Mary Mihalacki Cimba. He graduated Adams Township High School, Class of 1943. Mr. Cimba served in the U.S.N.R. as signalman second class in the Atlantic and Pacific Theatre and was honorably discharged in 1946. He returned to Pennsylvania and earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Mining Engineering from the University of Pittsburgh in 1948. In 1950, Mr. Cimba married Clara Ann Sinar, they made their home and raised their family in Richland Township, PA. Throughout their life they enjoyed traveling. He worked as a mining engineer for Fetterman Engineering in Johnstown, PA. As a mining engineer, Mr. Cimba owned and operated several mining companies including Associated Drilling, Rushton Mining Company, Peggs Run Coal Company, Harmony Mining Company and Veon Coal Company. He was a Certified Surveyor in Pennsylvania and was a member of the Pennsylvania Society of Engineers.

After retiring in 1984, he moved to Prospect Bay in Grasonville, MD, wintering in Haines City, FL and later Green Cove Springs, FL. Mr. Cimba was a member of St. Benedicts Catholic Church in Geistown, PA. Mr. Cimba was also a member of Jefferson Davis American Legion Post # 36, Kent Island Yacht Club, Prospect Bay Yacht Club and Sweetwater Country Club, as well as the Annapolis Corvette Club and the Mayo Clinic Legacy Group. Mr. Cimba enjoyed boating and kept his boat "Micara" at Piney Narrows Yacht Haven.

His wife of 55 years, Clara, predeceased him in 2005. He was also predeceased by a brother, John Cimba.

Mr. Cimba is survived by his children, Robert Cimba and his wife, Dianne of Centreville, MD, Frank Cimba and his wife, Deborah of Centreville, MD, Monica McLaughlin and her husband, Rick of Austin, TX, and Richard Cimba and his wife, Valerie of Latrobe, PA; a sister, Maryanne Sklodowski of Eastlake, OH; a brother, Edward Cimba of Llanfair, PA. Also surviving are seven grandchildren, David Cimba, Michael Cimba, Christopher Cimba, Lindsay McLaughlin, Sean McLaughlin, Olivia Cimba and Collin Cimba.

Services will be held on Tuesday, March 30, 2010 at 3:00PM at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, 408 S. Liberty Street, Centreville, MD 21617 where friends and family may call one hour prior (2:00PM to 3:00). Relatives and friends may also call on Monday March 29, 2010 from 6:00-8:00 PM at the funeral home.

Interment will be in Chesterfield Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Mayo Clinic, Department of Development, 200 First Street, S.W., Rochester, MN 55905.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Michael Cimba, Jr.* ”



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**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - March 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Michael Cimba, Jr.* ”

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October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Michael Cimba, Jr.* ”

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January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Michael Cimba, Jr.* ”

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January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ My beloved cousins, it was with deepest sorrow I learned of your father and grandfather’s passing. As is testified by his obituary, he lived and loved to the fullest. It brings me joy to think he is again united with his beloved Clara as well as with our Lord. May your many memories of him, his great smile and his laughter, bring you much comfort in the days ahead. You are in my prayers now and always. With much love, Shelly###imported-begin###Shelly Cimba###imported-end##

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March 30, 2010 at 10:01 AM



“ DEAR CIMBA FAMILY,  
I'M GLAD I WAS IN THE COMPANY OF MR.CIMBA AND GOT TO KNOW HIM BETTER,AND YOUR MOM,  
I PRAY THAT MOM & DAD ARE UNITED IN SPIRITUAL HEAVEN.

HE WAS A VERY ACTIVE MAN,IN HIS LIFETIME,SO HE DIDN'T LET ANY GRASS GROW UNDER HIS FEET.  
GOD REST HIS SOLE.

LOVE TO ALL.

COUSIN,PHYLLIS###imported-begin###Phyllis M.Kotula###imported-end##

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March 28, 2010 at 02:29 PM



“ Hi Friends: Our deepest sympathy to you and your family at this time in the loss of your dad. We know you have many memories that will always remain in your hearts. God Bless you at this time and may God give you the strength and love to face each new day. Gene and Lynda Palmatary###imported-begin###Lynda H. Palmatary###imported-end##

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March 26, 2010 at 08:51 PM



“ Dear Family

*I want to express my sincere sympathy for the loss of your loved one. You can be assured that comfort and hope are found in the pages of the Bible. Revelations 21:4 speaks of a time when sorrow will be a thing of the past. I hope this message brings you a measure of hope. Please take care of yourselves.*

*Sincerely###imported-begin## Mrs Sandi Watkins###imported-end##*

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March 26, 2010 at 08:45 PM