



## Mr. Oskar Kofler

January 25, 1935 - May 12, 2016

Mr. Oskar Kofler passed away peacefully on May 12, 2016. He was born in Weissenstein, Austria on January 25, 1935 and immigrated to the United States in 1965. Five sisters, many nieces and nephews who all live in Austria survive him. Oskar leaves behind Helga Valcic, his beloved partner of 36 years, her two daughters, Maureen Rocco and Debra Hotaling and their children, Tyler, Kyle and Sierra. He loved and was loved as a stepfather and grandfather. When Oskar arrived in America, he resided in New York City where he worked for Karl Ehmer Quality Meats in Ridgewood Queens, New York until 1980 when he moved to upstate Cairo, New York. Oskar had the opportunity to express his artistic work as a stone mason building majestic fireplaces throughout Greene County, especially in Windham and Hunter Mountains. His passion was cooking meals for his family from his mother's recipes, golfing, skiing, dancing "up on the mountain", and watching sports, including golf, tennis, soccer, skiing and hockey. Oskar and Helga enjoyed the last 15 years together living in Boynton Beach, Florida, during the winter months. All his family and friends will dearly miss him.

There will be no public funeral services or viewing.

Arrangements are under the direction of Richards Funeral Home, 29 Bross Street, Cairo, N.Y.

Condolences may be made at [www.richardsfuneralhomeinc.net](http://www.richardsfuneralhomeinc.net).

# Tribute Wall

GJ

“ *May I express my sincere condolence for our missed uncle Oskar. It was always a pleasure when he visited us here in Vorarlberg/Europe. We will miss his kindness. Yours sincerely. Gerd Jelenik & Family*

gerd jelenik - May 31, 2016 at 01:49 PM

KH

“ *I always enjoyed seeing Oskar in the morning in sterling village, florida. He was so pleasant when I visited helga and Oskar . He was so well liked and respected in Florida. Rest in peace dear Oskar. Kathleen harrison*

kathleen harrison - May 17, 2016 at 07:59 PM

HS

“ *Hugh And Jean Schrowang lit a candle in memory of Mr. Oskar Kofler*



Hugh and Jean Schrowang - May 16, 2016 at 06:23 PM

KF

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Oskar was such a special person. His smile and laugh could light up a room. We had so much fun visiting with both of you in Florida. May the special memories of Oskar that you hold in your heart bring you comfort during this difficult time. Charlie and Kelly Famiglietti*

kelly Famiglietti - May 13, 2016 at 02:48 PM

RW

“ *Ms. Valcic, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Mr. Kofler. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.*  
*Sincerely, Robin @ Walenta & Co. Agency*

Robin Welsch - May 13, 2016 at 11:05 AM

KR

“ *Dear Helga,*  
*Just want you to know Kim and Kelly Ryan are thinking of you during your sorrowful time. We are right down the road if you need us in any way. I will miss Oskar seeing him mowing the lawn and doing other yard work around your home. I will miss his smile. Our small neighborhood will miss him.*  
*GOD Bless you and your family and may Oskar live on in your hearts and memories.*



Kim and Kelly Ryan - May 13, 2016 at 10:50 AM

TH

“ *Terry Hemmer lit a candle in memory of Mr. Oskar Kofler*



Terry Hemmer - May 13, 2016 at 09:12 AM

TH

*Oskar, You will always be remembered for all your kindness and help. You are missed by so many here. Helga, my prayer and thought are with you at this time. Your memories are your treasures. Love terry*

Terry Hemmer - May 13, 2016 at 09:21 AM

JC

“ *Jill Caddell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Oskar Kofler*



Jill Caddell - May 13, 2016 at 08:17 AM

FH

“ *Helga our deepest sympathy to you and your family on the loss of Oskar. Keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers with many wonderful memories*

Fran Heaney - May 13, 2016 at 08:03 AM

JC

*Helga, John and I are so sorry for your loss, Oskar was a fine man and a good friend to me.. We send our love and sympathies to you and your family. May you be at peace with a life time of memories and love, God Bless Oskar and all of you.  
Love Jill*

Jill Caddell - May 13, 2016 at 08:16 AM

PD

*Liebe Helga u.Lieben.Man weiß das für jeden mal die Zeit kommt,dass man von dieser Welt gehen muß.Doch wenn es ein geliebter Mensch ist,kann man ihn nie zulange bei ihn haben.So war es auch bei Oskar.Er wurde geliebt für seine Güte,und vor allem für seine Hilfsbereitschaft.Wir alle schätzten und liebten ihn und sagen auf diesen Weg ein letztes mal DANKE was er für uns allen getan hat.Wir werden ihn immer in unserem Herzen tragen.Möge er in seiner neuen Welt den ewigen Frieden finden.Peter,Ingrid,Tante Erna u.Monika m.Familien*

peter drußnitzer - May 19, 2016 at 08:32 AM