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Alfred Paul Gonshor

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Alfred Paul Gonshor, 76, of Dorrance Township, passed away Monday, April 13, 2009, after a yearlong struggle with diabetes and cancer.

Born in Alden, he was the son of the late Michalene and Adam Gonshor.

Alfred was a veteran of the Air Force, bravely fighting during the Korean and Vietnam wars, retiring in 1972. He continued his federal service at Tobyhanna Army Depot until his retirement in 1995.

He was a recent Post Commander of the VFW Post 7918 Slocum, a member of the American Legion Mountain Post 781 and a member of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church in Dorrance Township.

Alfred was preceded in death by five brothers.

Surviving, in addition to his wife of 44 years, Judy, are a son, Joe Gonshor and his wife, Diane, and children, Shannon, Shane and Kevin; a daughter, Jackie Lebbon and her husband, Lee, and faithful friend, Deuce; a brother, Norman Gonshor and his wife, Irene; sisters, Dolores Slosky and Geraldine Borucki; nieces, Judy Gonshor, Sue Gonshor, Marie Bohem and her husband, Kevin, and Cindi Duval and her husband, Bill; a nephew, Edge Slosky; and a sister-in-law, Eleanore Gonshor.

The funeral will be held Friday at 8:30 a.m. from Desiderio Funeral Home Inc., 436 S. Mountain Blvd., Mountain Top, with a Mass of Christian burial at 9 a.m. at St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Dorrance, with the Rev. Mark Honhart officiating. Internment in the parish cemetery. Friends may call Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m., at the funeral home.

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