



Otto "Al" Kirse Jr.

November 11, 1934 - June 15, 2024

Otto "Al" Kirse, 89 of Freehold, passed away peacefully at home on June 15, 2024.

He was born on November 11, 1934, in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Union Beach, NJ in 1973. Al was a devoted father and grandfather who enjoyed spending his time outdoors in places like Assunpink and the Delaware Water Gap walking, hunting and spending many mornings and evenings fishing at Sandy Hook.

He is survived by his son and daughter-in-law, Michael and Jaime Kirse of Toms River, NJ; his son and daughter-in-law, Thomas and Colleen Kirse of Hazlet, NJ; his daughter and son-in-law, Linda and James Hoffman of Howell, NJ; six grandchildren, Kaitlyn, Brandon, Thomas, Nicole, Christian, and Madison; and great-grandson, Paul. Al is additionally survived by his sister, Dorothy Dorosh of Brooklyn and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his wife Anna E. Kirse.

He will be deeply missed by all who crossed paths with him. May he rest in peace, forever remembered and loved.

"Though gone from sight, you're in our hearts, In Heaven's embrace, where all departs. Your spirit soars on wings of love, Guided by angels to realms

above."

Cemetery Details

Holmdel Cemetery

Holmdel, NJ

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **20**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Laurel Funeral Home
201 Laurel Ave
Hazlet Township, NJ 07734
(732) 787-0258

Service

JUN **21**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MI

“ His sense of humor was infectious. A hard-working decent man he was well liked and well respected. Your families in our hearts

Michael - June 19, 2024 at 09:14 PM

DM

“ Darlene and John McLaughlin purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Otto "Al" Kirse Jr..



Darlene and John McLaughlin - June 19, 2024 at 09:18 AM

LB

“ Deepest sympathy. Larry Bailey from (AMCAR REPAIR CENTER UB,NJ)

Larry Bailey - June 19, 2024 at 06:52 AM

PF

“ Phyllis and Chang family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Otto "Al" Kirse Jr..



Phyllis and Chang family - June 18, 2024 at 07:57 PM

PF

“ Phyllis and Chang family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Otto "Al" Kirse Jr..

Phyllis and Chang family - June 18, 2024 at 07:57 PM

PF

“ You were my mentor, dear friend, and brother in Christ. You were a loving companion, always caring for and supporting me. You taught me how to fish, hunt, hike, and appreciate nature, enriching my life with countless joyful memories. More importantly, you were my partner in pursuing the Lord. We always prayed together to bring you peace. I will always miss you and love you, Brother Albert.



Phyllis and Chang Family - June 18, 2024 at 07:50 PM

TM

“ The Church in Manalapan purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Otto "Al" Kirse Jr..



The Church in Manalapan - June 18, 2024 at 10:35 AM

TM

“ The Church in Manalapan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Otto "Al" Kirse Jr..

The Church in Manalapan - June 18, 2024 at 10:35 AM

TM

“ *The brothers and sisters of The Church in Manalapan remember Al fondly. A bouquet that symbolizes Al’s faith, love, and devotion will be delivered. May our Lord’s grace strengthen his family. - Chris on behalf of The Church in Manalapan, 667 Tennent Rd, Manalapan*



The Church in Manalapan - June 18, 2024 at 10:19 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Otto "Al" Kirse Jr..*



June 17, 2024 at 01:16 PM

DF

“ *Dorosh Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Otto "Al" Kirse Jr..*

Dorosh Family - June 17, 2024 at 01:16 PM

BS

“ *My deepest condolences to the Kirse family. Otto, having had the opportunity to get to know you and spend time with you these last few years was truly an honor and something I will forever cherish. Thank you for sharing stories with me and making me laugh.*

Bella Da Silva - June 16, 2024 at 05:30 PM

BD

“ *Bella D. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Otto Kirse.*

Bella D. - June 16, 2024 at 05:24 PM