

**Edward C. Hein**  
**November 20, 2014**  
**Age 60**  
**North Ridgeville, Ohio**

Edward C. Hein died at age 60 on November 20, 2014 in North Ridgeville, Ohio.

Often called "Big Ed," he was survived by his wife of 39 years and LHS '72 graduate, Barbara Shaughnessy Hein and their children Rick Hein (Christina) and Justin Hein. He had two grandchildren. Ed was also survived by his sister Mary Adams (Marty). He was preceded in death by his parents Richard and Mary Hein, as well as his brother Bill Hein.

Ed worked as a salesman and driver at Millbrook Bread Company for 27 years and was a proud member of the Teamsters Local 52. He loved coaching youth football, camping, and playing with his grandchildren.

One of our Lakewood High classmates wrote of Ed after his death, "Ed's heart was as big as he was. He never failed to be where you needed him to be no matter how inconvenient the place or the time. He was Santa to whatever family needed one and a man we were blessed to have as a friend."

Dressing up as Santa Claus started early for Ed! Check page 180 of the 1972 Cinema to see a photo of Ed dressed as Santa as he wandered the halls of LHS bringing us the Christmas spirit.

Ed was also on the varsity football team at LHS. Go Rangers!