

**DAANE, David Arthur Daane**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=david-a-daane&pid=169953929>)

David Arthur Daane, age 77, passed away February 24, 2014 after a long battle with cancer. David was born Oct. 1, 1936 and is survived by his wife Lois Jean Daane, four children, and 7 grandchildren. David will be laid to rest with a private service in Section C1C-4, Row C, Site 40 at the National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL.

**DABEK, Joseph Charles Dabek**

(Abstracted from [https://www.meaningfulfunerals.net/?action=obituaries.obit\\_view&CFID=7d92239d-0beb-4335-9cfd-4b25b501c65b&CFTOKEN=0&o\\_id=2654394&fh\\_id=14772](https://www.meaningfulfunerals.net/?action=obituaries.obit_view&CFID=7d92239d-0beb-4335-9cfd-4b25b501c65b&CFTOKEN=0&o_id=2654394&fh_id=14772))

Joseph Charles Dabek, age 87, died August 20, 2014. He was born March 13, 1927 in Pittsburg, PA, and lived in Bradenton for more than 20 years. He is survived by his wife, Ingrid and two daughters, Susan and Tiffany. He was preceded in death by one daughter, Sharon. He received a Bachelor's of Science in Mechanical Engineering from Carnegie Mellon and an MBA from UCLA and University of Hartford. He was employed by United Technologies as a service marketing engineer in the aviation industry, taking him around the world from Europe to Africa, Asia and the Middle East. He was a World War II U.S. Navy Veteran. During the Korean War he spent one year in Japan as a technical advisor to the U.S. Air Force. A Funeral service will be Thurs, Aug 28, in the Chapel at St Peter and Paul the Apostles Catholic Church in Bradenton. Arrangements by Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 26th Street Chapel. Burial Services will be in Section 5, Site 393 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DABILIS, Vasilios Andrew Dabilis**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?n=vasilios-dabilis&pid=176776967>)

Vasilios Andrew Dabilis, age 90, of Fort Myers fell asleep in the Lord on November 30, 2015. Born November 4, 1925 in Lowell, MA to Andrew and Fotina (Bouka) Dabilis. Vasilios, a [World War II](#) veteran, served in the [Army](#) as a member of 1155th Combat Engineers Unit involved in many campaigns including Battle of the Bulge. He was honorably discharged with a cavalcade of medals. He was a parishioner of Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church for 30 years. Vasilios is survived by his sons Andrew (Greece) and John (New Hampshire), daughters Deborah and son-in-law Gerald Daley (Massachusetts), Kim and son-in-law Mark Byrne and Samantha Dabilis (Florida); 11 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren. He is predeceased by his widow Margaret Gibbons, brothers James, George and Ozzie and sisters Eva Gavriel, Aphrodite Daileanes (Massachusetts). He is survived by his sister Joyce Starr (California). Services at Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church, 8210 Cypress Lake Drive, Ft. Myers. Funeral with full honor guard scheduled in Section 5, Site 1016 at Sarasota Veteran's Memorial Cemetery, Sarasota, FL.

**DABNEY, Karl Elvia Dabney**

Karl Elvia Dabney was born 01/22/1950, died 07/21/2011. Interment in Section 6, Site 287 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DABNEY, Melodye Lou Friend Dabney**

Melodye Lou Friend Dabney was born 11/12/1943, died 12/21/2010. Interment in Section 6, Site 287 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Karl Elvia Dabney.

**DABSKY, Michael Dabsky**

Michael Dabsky was born 05/18/1921, died 06/18/2012. Interment in Section C1C-1, Row C, Site 37 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DABSKY, Monica D. Dabsky**

(Abstracted from <http://www.tributes.com/obituary/show/Monica-Deloris-Dabsky-102269637>)

Monica D. Dabsky was born on July 20, 1920 and passed away on Tuesday, March 10, 2015. Monica was a resident of Cape Coral, FL at the time of passing. Monica was married to Michael. Graveside memorial services in Section C1C-1, Row C, Site 37 at Sarasota National Cemetery will be held at a later date.

**DABSON, Howard Le Compte Dabson Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=howard-lecompte-dabson-lee&pid=112988137>)

Howard Lecompte "Lee" Dabson Jr., age 68, Nokomis, formerly of Wilmington, Del., died July 6, 2008. The services will be private for family. Ewing Funeral Home in Venice is charge of arrangements. Survivors include his wife, Rose Marie; mother Mary of Dover, DE; a brother, Wayne of Dover; and a sister, Karen Ehrlich of Gainesville. He is also survived by his daughter Deniese and son-in-law Dan Kragel of Sarasota; daughter Dineen and son-in-law Doug Cochran of Wilmington, DE; and his

grandchildren, Kyle and Cole Kragel and Sean and Rosaleen Cochran. He was preceded in death by his father, Howard L. Dabson, Sr. Born Aug. 30, 1939 in Nassawadox, VA, Lee's family relocated to the area of Wilmington, DE. Lee achieved the rank of Eagle Scout in his teens prior to graduating from Conrad High School in 1957. Upon graduation, he served four years in the Navy and was stationed in Okinawa, Japan and Hawaii. Lee returned to Wilmington and worked for the DuPont Company before starting his career with the Nationwide Insurance Company. During his 27 years with Nationwide, he earned promotions while working in Maryland, Kentucky, Ohio and Pennsylvania. He retired in 1994 from the Butler, PA, office as regional sales superintendent. A year after retirement, he and his wife, Rose, moved to the Sarasota area. In his free time, Lee enjoyed hunting, fishing, woodworking and gardening. He often went fishing on Venice's North Jetty and was a member of the R/C Fliers of Venice. Lee also donated his time and his woodworking skills to Historic Spanish Point as a volunteer boat builder. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Historic Spanish Point, 337 N. Tamiami Trail, Osprey, FL 34229, or the Food Allergy & Anaphylaxis Network (FAAN), 11781 Lee Jackson Highway, Suite 160, Fairfax, VA 22033. Interment in Section 12, Site 47 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DADISMAN, Fred Sisson Dadisman**

(Abstracted from <https://www.horizonfunerals.com/obituaries/Fred-Dadisman-45621/#!/Obituary>)

Fred Sisson Dadisman, age 87, of Fort Myers, Florida passed away on July 10, 2015 at Hope Hospice in Cape Coral. Fred was born August 7, 1927. Interment in Section C1C-8, Row B, Site 39 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAFNIS, Alyce M. Dafnis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=169064041>)

Alyce Dafnis, age 87, went home to Heaven on Thursday, December 26, 2013, after a lengthy illness. Alyce was born Jun. 9, 1926. She was raised in Pierre, SD, and was awarded a B.S. degree from the University of South Dakota. She was a [journalist](#) and college magazine editor, a member of Alpha XI Delta. It was at USD that she met her loving husband of 65 years, David Dafnis. After they married she began her career as a Social Worker in South Dakota. In 1961 they joined her parents to live in Sarasota, FL. She was preceded in death by her parents, Homer and Bea Myers, and brother Jack. Alyce is survived by her husband David B. Dafnis, children David M. (Rayne), Dana, Judy (Robert), and Jeff. She was blessed with seven grandchildren Chase, Lara, Gaelan, Siobhan (Nicholas), Cuinn, Kylie, and Grady who gave her great joy. Alyce was an accomplished bridge player. She enjoyed writing poetry, singing, playing cards, and was an avid reader. She treasured her grandchildren, and loved the beach, shopping, and decorating. Alyce was a loving wife, mother, sister, grandmother and friend to all who knew her and will be missed deeply by those whose hearts she touched. A memorial service will be held in Section C1C-4, Row B, Site 18 at the Sarasota National Cemetery on Thursday, January 16, 2014. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Tidewell Hospice of Sarasota.

**DAGG, Elizabeth B. Dagg**

Elizabeth B. Dagg was born 08/31/1924, died 03/26/2005. Interment in Section 13, Site 401 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Robert E Dagg.

**DAGLEY, Patrick Paul Dagley**

Patrick Paul Dagley was born 03/17/1942, died 12/01/2014. Interment in Section 5, Site 514 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**D'AGOSTINO, Antonio V. D'Agostino**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=86269030>)

Antonio Vincent D'Agostino, age 86, Sarasota, died Oct. 13, 2003. He was born January 15 in 1917 in New York City and came to Sarasota in 1973. He was a cabinetmaker and a veteran of World War II who served in the liberation of the Philippines. He was a member of Gulfcoast Woodcarvers Association. Survivors include his wife, Lovelene; a son, Vincent of Sarasota; and a brother, Gerome of Maryland. No services are scheduled. Sarasota Memorial Funeral Home and Crematory is in charge. Interment in Section 12, Site 117 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**D'AGOSTINO, Lovelene E. D'Agostino**

Lovelene E. D'Agostino was born 02/17/1923, died 01/30/2015. Interment in Section 12, Site 117 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Antonio V. D'Agostino.

**DAHILL, Eleanor Mary Dahill**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/eleanor-dahill-obituary?pid=158260481>)

Eleanor Mary Dahill, age 84, Bradenton, died June 24, 2012. Mass 1 Thursday June 28, 2012 at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Catholic Church. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 26th Street Chapel in charge. Interment in Section 7, Site 434 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Joseph Stephen Dahill Sr.

**DAHL, Anne Margaret Dahl**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/payette-id/anne-dahl-6633032>)

Anne Margaret McCorquodale Dahl was born on August 4, 1935 in Schenectady, NY and passed away on October 8, 2015 in Boise, ID. [Shaffer-Jensen Memory Chapel](#), Payette, ID is entrusted with the arrangements. Interment in Section 12, Site 447 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Hans Erdeman Dahl.

**DAHL, Hans Erdeman Dahl**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/link.asp?i=ls000114709687>)

Hans Erdeman Dahl, Sarasota, died July 30, 2008. A service will be Monday at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Sarasota, followed immediately by a reception at the Meadows Country Club, Sarasota. Survivors include his wife, Anne; son Trygve Dahl; daughter Kristin (Timothy) Dahl Knight; grandchildren Nils August Dahl, Samuel Berdeman Johnson and Kenneth Kristian Johnson and stepdaughter Jessica Knight. Erd was a native of Scotia, NY, and received his B.S. degree from Cornell University and his M.S. from Central Michigan University. He retired from the U.S. Army as a lieutenant colonel, serving two tours of duty in Vietnam and assignments in Thailand, Germany and the U.S. After retirement, Erd served in the Development Office at Lafayette College and as director of development at Easton Hospital, Pennsylvania, and Amsterdam Memorial Hospital, New York. He was a passionate member and past president of the Sarasota Chorus of the Keys Barbershop Singers and a prolific fundraiser for his favorite service organizations. He received honors from SPEBSQSA, including Barbershopper of the Year, Presidents Award and Presidents Award for the Sunshine District, and from the Military Officers Association of Sarasota, and was Rotarian of the Year (Amsterdam Rotary Club). Most of all, Erd will be remembered as a beloved husband, father and friend to those he touched in his life. Memorial donations may be made to St. Patrick's Catholic Church, 7900 Bee Ridge Road, Sarasota FL 34241, or Chorus of the Keys Legacy Fund, c/o Dave Frantz, 5750 Old Ranch Road, Sarasota, FL 34241. Interment in Section 12, Site 447 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAHLGREN, Wanda Dahlgren**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=wanda-c-dahlgren&pid=127088728>)

Wanda C. Dahlgren, age 75, of Sarasota, formerly of Kenmore, NY, died May 7, 2009. Wanda was born Dec. 26, 1933. Toale Brothers Funeral Home, Gulf Gate Chapel is entrusted with the arrangements. A funeral Mass will be celebrated Monday at Christ the King Catholic Church. Interment will be in Section 8, Site 451 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include her husband, Ward Emerson Dahlgren; daughters Jennifer McClellan and Ellen Cranos; sons William W. and Thomas; and five grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to TideWell Hospice and Palliative Care or to Christ the King Catholic Church.

**DAHLIN, Duryne E. Dahlin**

Duryne E. Dahlin was born 03/15/1930, died 05/20/2015. Interment in Section C1C-8, Row A, Site 9 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Arnold L Dahlin.

**DAIGNEAULT, Patricia Daigneault**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=167695008>)

Patricia Daigneault, age 68, of Venice, FL formerly of Marlboro, MA passed away Tuesday, October 22, 2013 in Pinellas Park, FL. Patricia was born July 25, 1945 in Marlboro, MA the daughter of the late Roland and Lorraine (Rocheport) Toohey. Patricia is survived by her sons, Edmond (Kristin) of Watertown, CT and Jay (Lori) of Seminole, FL; brother, Rolond (Betty) of Northboro, MA; sister, Norma (Samuel) McNutt of Peoria, AZ; grandchildren, Madeline and Paige of Watertown, CT and Malerie and Simone of Seminole, FL and various nieces and nephews. Patricia was preceded in death by her husband William in 2007. Patricia was a member of the Epiphany Cathedral and the Venice YMCA. A memorial mass will be held for Patricia on Monday, October 28, 2013 at the Epiphany Cathedral. Ewing Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Interment in Section 13, Site 1262 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAIGNEAULT, William Francis Daigneault**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=87777180>)

William Francis Daigneault, age 65, Venice, formerly of Marlboro, MA, died May 1, 2007. William was born Aug. 1, 1941. A memorial Mass will be Thursday at Epiphany Cathedral. Ewing Funeral Home handled arrangements. William was a plant manager for the New England Confectionary Company for 23 years and worked the last eight years for Sarasota County as an operations supervisor. He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Patricia; sons Edmond (Kristin) of Watertown, CT, and Jean-Paul (Lori) of St. Petersburg; brothers Edmond and Joseph, both of Hudson, MA, and John of Sterling, MA; sisters Virginia Gutman of Clinton, MA, and Margaret Sullivan, Viola Romanelli and Mary DeBeradinis, all of Hudson; and two granddaughters, Madeline Ann and Paige Wallace. He was pre-deceased by a brother, Paul. Memorial donations may be made to the Arthritis Foundation, Florida

Chapter, 501 Village Green Parkway, Bradenton, FL 34209; or St. Jude's Children's Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38101. Interment in Section 13, Site 1262 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAILEY, Francis J. Dailey**

Francis J. Dailey was born 12/07/1929, died 05/14/2010. Interment in Section 13, Site 451 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAILEY, Johnnie Dailey**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=167588360>)

Rev. Johnnie Dailey went home to be with the Lord Monday, October 14, 2013, at Sarasota Memorial Hospital. Johnnie was born Apr. 27, 1919. His purpose in life was to do his best for the Lord. He had a willingness to work, and to pay the price was his ultimate goal. It made him a radiant Christian! His memory will forever live in the lives of his devoted wife of 35 years, Mrs. Marian Dailey; sons, Dorian and Adrian Dailey; 9 grandchildren; brothers, Herman Lee Dailey; James Dailey (Mildred) of Cleveland, Ohio, countless nieces, nephews and relatives. Rev. Dailey taught in the public school system for thirty - five years. Funeral services will be held at Bethlehem Baptist Church Saturday, October 19, 2013. Interment in Section 7, Site 1019 at Sarasota National Cemetery. The family entrusted their loved one to Jones Funeral Home.

**DAILEY, Patrick Dailey**

Abstracted from information found on the Bel Air Patch, Maryland website)

Senior Deputy Patrick 'Pat' Dailey was shot and killed in the line of duty while serving in Harford County. Patrick Dailey was one of two deputies in Harford County killed in the line of duty on Wednesday, Feb. 10. The 52-year-old, who worked in the court services division of the Harford County Sheriff's Office, was remembered as a hero. He was a former Marine and 30-year veteran of the sheriff's office, where he was instrumental in developing the Harford County Deputy Sheriff's Union in 1989, according to a statement from the union. He was also a life member of the Joppa-Magnolia Volunteer Fire Company. "Pat dedicated his life to protecting his community," the Joppa-Magnolia Volunteer Fire Company (JMVFC) said in a statement. Dailey joined JMVFC when he was 16 years old and his service to the fire company spanned 37 years, with positions including chair of the bylaws committee and nine years as a member of the board of directors. He is survived by two sons—17-year-old Tyler and 20-year-old Bryan—who have also joined the fire service. Additionally, Dailey is survived by his mother.

**DAILY, James Howard Daily Sr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=james-howard-daily&pid=125695976>)

James Howard Daily Sr., age 77, of Bradenton passed away March 28, 2009. He was born April 15, 1931 and was a retired 20-year Army veteran. He was preceded in death by his sons, Michael James Daily and James Howard Daily Jr. He is survived by his loving wife of 53 years, Virginia Louise Long Daily; daughter Kimberly Daily-Quinn (Bill); grandchildren Crystal Bourne (Kenric), Brittanie Gilliam, James Howard McManaway Daily and Kathryn McManaway Daily; and great-grandchildren Brandon, Taylor and Jorja. A memorial service will be Saturday at 53rd Avenue Church of Christ located at 3412 53rd Ave. E., Bradenton. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to 53rd Avenue Church of Christ. Interment in Section 12, Site 699 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAILY, William Frank Daily**

William Frank Daily was born 05/21/1943, died 06/02/2011. Interment in Section 6, Site 168 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAL CORTIVO, Leo A. Dal Cortivo**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=155207886>)

Leo A. Dal Cortivo Ph.D., age 83, of Venice, formerly of Long Island, NY died Dec. 15, 2011. He was born Sept. 16, 1928 and raised in New York City and received his early education in NYC public schools. He received a B.S. Degree at Fordham College, a M.S. Degree in biochemistry at Adelphi University and earned the Doctorate in Toxicology at Fordham. He served in the US Army at the First Army Area Medical Labs in NYC. He was a Senior Toxicologist in the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner of NYC until 1960 when he accepted the position of Chief Toxicologist and Director of Forensic Science Laboratories in Suffolk County on Long Island, NY. He held that title until his retirement in 1990. He was a consultant for the Department of Defense and for the Department of Health and Human Services, inspecting drug testing laboratories throughout the country and abroad. He also appeared as an expert witness in numerous cases, many of them of national significance. He was a Fellow of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences (AAFS), a co-founder of the Society of Forensic Toxicologists (SOFT), a former Treasurer and Trustee of the Forensic Science Foundation, a member of The International Association of Forensic Toxicologists (TIAFT), and many other societies and associations. He was the first secretary of the American Board of Forensic Toxicology and a Diplomate (emeritus) of that Board. In 1990, the AAFS honored him with the Alexander O. Gettler Award for excellence in Forensic Toxicology. He was author or co-author of many refereed papers in the scientific literature including chapters in books.

He is survived by his loving wife of 48 years, Patricia. He leaves a sister, Thelma Fusaro of Farmingdale, NY and a brother, Robert in Fincastle, VA. He also leaves many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews. Interment in Section 6, Site 618 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DALE, Carroll Dale**

Carroll Dale was born 10/16/1927, died 12/29/2013. Interment in Section 5, Site 75 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DALE, Daniel Eugene Dale**

Daniel Eugene Dale was born 10/16/1941, died 03/23/2013. Interment in Section 6, Site 1723 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**D'ALESSANDRO, Anthony D' Alessandro**

(Abstracted from <https://obits.lohud.com/obituaries/lohud/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=149049078>)

Anthony W. D' Alessandro, age 80, of Sarasota, FL died January 3, 2002. He was born July 20, 1921 in Tarrytown, NY. He moved to Sarasota from Somers, NY in 1981. He was a Retired Banker and Retail Merchant. He was a Staff Sergeant in the U.S. Army Air Corps during World War II. He was awarded the Good Conduct Medal; Air Medal with 3 Oak Leaf Clusters; European African Middle Eastern Theatre Medal with 3 Bronze Stars. He belonged to the Church Of The Incarnation. Survived by Rose, his wife of 27 years; two daughters Mary Anne Variano, Yorktown Heights, NY and Gloria D' Alessandro, Orcas Island, WA; three stepsons Vincent Terrone, Kingston, NY, Joseph Terrone, Sarasota and George Terrone, Apex, NC and four grandchildren. Funeral Mass Monday, January 7, 2002 at Church of The Incarnation. Burial in Section 8, Site 488 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Memorial donations Church of The Incarnation, 2929 Bee Ridge Road, Sarasota, FL 34239. Packer Funeral Home. 4020 Beneva Rd., Sarasota, FL 941-926-3922 is entrusted with the arrangements.

**D'ALESSANDRO, Rose M. D' Alessandro**

Rose M. D' Alessandro was born 10/15/1921, died 10/17/2012. Interment in Section 8, Site 488 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Anthony D' Alessandro.

**DALEY, Peter Joseph Daley Jr.**

Peter Joseph Daley Jr. was born 03/06/1930, died 11/14/2011. Interment in Section 6, Site 625 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DALLESANDRO, Anthony Michael Dallesandro**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=anthony-michael-dallesandro&pid=174646690&fhid=8480>)

Anthony Michael Dallesandro, age 78, of Bradenton, FL, formerly of Falls Church, VA, died on Apr. 11, 2015. Anthony was born Aug. 17, 1936. Services will be Friday, Apr. 17, 2015 at St. Martha's Catholic Church with burial in Section 5, Site 712 in Sarasota National Cemetery with military honors. Funeral arrangements by Toale Brothers Funeral Homes. Anthony is survived by his wife, Martha, his daughter, Kara Dallesandro & Barry Amrich Jr. and by his son, Mark & Rachael Dallesandro.

**DALLOS, Stephen Dallos Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.kays-ponger.com/obituary/176996/Stephen-Dallos/>)

Stephen Dallos Jr of Port Charlotte, FL passed away March 10, 2011 peacefully at Tidewell Hospice in Port Charlotte, FL surrounded by family and friends. Stephen was born January 10, 1953 in Butler, PA to the late Stephen Dallos Sr. and the late Wilma Ice Ealy. Stephen was an avid hunter and loved to ride his Harley Davidson. He had been employed by Lodge Construction of Fort Myers FL as a superintendent of construction for the past 10 years. Stephen also proudly served in US Marine Corps from 1971 to 1973. Stephen is survived by sister Mary Katherine Kauf of West Sunbury, PA, brothers Paul (Cindy) Dallos of Chesapeake, VA and Philip (Deb) Dallos of Port Charlotte, FL; by his step-father Richard Ealy of North Washington, PA, and special aunt Helen Sellers of Ashdown, AR and by nieces and nephews Michael Felix and daughter of Harrisville, PA, Kelly (Rob) Evans and children, Travis Dallos, Valene Dallos all of Chesapeake VA, Nicole Kauf of Butler, PA and Annie (Jesse) Hicks of Zephyrhills, FL. Stephen was also proceeded in death by his sister Barbara and nephew Erin Kauf. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Tidewell Hospice of Port Charlotte, FL. A memorial Service will be Friday March 18, 2011 at Kays-Ponger Uselton Funeral Home and Cremation Service Port Charlotte Chapel. Inurnment to follow in Section 13, Site 1202 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota FL.

**D'ALOIA, Eugene John D'Aloia**

(Abstracted from <http://www.farleyfuneralhome.com/obituary/eugene-daloia/>)

Eugene John D'Aloia, age 79, of North Port, FL died on September 7, 2009. He was born in Orange, NJ on June 24, 1930, and came to the North Port area in 2004. Mr. D'Aloia was an HVAC mechanic for the Passaic Valley Sewerage Co. until he retired in

1992. He was a member of the San Pedro Catholic Church in North Port. Mr. D'Aloia served in the Army during the Korean War. He was a member of the Orange Elks Club and was a mixologist for various establishments in NJ. He will be dearly missed. He is survived by his former wife and lifelong best friend, Ruth D'Aloia of North Port; son Steven D'Aloia of North Port; daughters Jennifer Roberts of North Port and Lori Iuso of New Jersey; sister Anita Tizio of New Jersey; and grandchildren Anthony, Giuliana, Nickolas, and Alexander. A mass of Christian Burial will be at San Pedro Catholic Church on Friday, September 11th. Burial will follow in Section 8, Site 237 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Tidewell Hospice and Palliative Care, 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238.

**DALTON, Frank Ronald Dalton**

Frank Ronald Dalton was born 12/19/1936, died 10/24/2014. Interment in Section C1C-6, Row C, Site 28 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DALTON, Sean Patrick Dalton**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=sean-patrick-dalton&pid=168574742>) Sean Patrick Dalton, born November 30th, 1964 in Amsterdam, NY, passed away on December 7, 2013 in Sarasota, FL. Sean was born Nov. 30, 1964. Graveside service will be held in Section 6, Site 2182 at Sarasota National Cemetery on Wednesday, December 18, 2013 with Marine honors. Sean, who proudly served as a Corporal in the U.S Marines, was a kind man, a gentle soul and a big kid at heart. A Master carpenter by trade, he combined his amazing gift as an artist with his pursuit of perfection in aesthetics. Sean previously lived in Babylon, Long Island, NY. He is survived by his father, John J. Dalton of Ballston Lake, NY; stepfather, William Freund of St. Louis, MO; sister, Alyson M. Dalton and her partner Phyllis Mehalakes of Babylon, NY; two brothers, Kevin Dalton of Brooklyn, NY and Marc Heywood of Orlando, FL. Sean shared a deep love with his mother, Margaret "Peggy" Armour (formerly Dalton; Baumann) of St. Louis, MO who preceded him in death. His talents are too numerous to mention, his heart was as big as the sky. All who knew and loved him are devastated by his sudden passing. May he rest in peace in the loving arms of his mom.

**DALVIN, Eli Dalvin**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=137973847>) Eli Dalvin, age 96, of Osprey, formerly of Scarsdale, NY, died Dec. 24, 2009. Services will be Thursday at Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home. Interment will be in Section 8, Site 151 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Leatrice; sons Robert H. of Tampa and Mitchell L. of Canfield, Ohio; brother Henry Dolnansky of Brooklyn, NY; sister Jean Brooke of Delray Beach; and four grandchildren.

**DALVIN, Leatrice Dalvin**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=146767866>) Leatrice Dalvin, age 81, of Osprey, formerly of Scarsdale, N.Y., died Nov. 18, 2010. Leatrice was born April 9, 1929. Services will be Monday at Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home. Burial will be in Section 8, Site 151 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of Eli Dalvin. Survivors include her sons, Mitchell of Canfield, Ohio, and Robert of Tampa; a brother, Herb Cohen of New Jersey; and four grandchildren.

**DALY, Charles Arthur Daly**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?pid=168006711>) Charles Arthur Daly, age 88, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of Syracuse, New York, died on Nov. 7, 2013. Charles was born May 17, 1925. A Memorial service for family and close friends will be Sun., Nov. 17, 2013 at Peridia Country Club in Bradenton, FL. Interment in Section 6, Site 2127 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DALY, David Michael Daly**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=174344764>) David Michael Daly, age 71 of Venice, FL died Saturday February 14, 2015. Born on May 21, 1943 in Bronx, NY and grew up in Winsted, CT. He retired from Bay Village of Sarasota after many years of service and served in the US Navy. He was a member of the American Legion Post 159. He is survived by sister, Barbara Nelson, son, Michael Daly, daughter, Cheri Huber, grandsons, Brandon Daly and Cory Daly; several nieces, nephews and great-nieces and nephews. David was preceded in death by father, James Daly; mother, Margaret Daly; brother, James Daly. A Celebration of Life will be Wednesday, March 18, 2015 with a service at Toale Brothers Funeral Home, Ewing Chapel, 140 East Venice, Ave. Burial will follow in Section 3, Site 772 at Sarasota National Cemetery with military honors.

**DALY, Olga Daly**

(Abstracted from <http://obits.syracuse.com/obituaries/syracuse/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=167818565>)

Olga Daly, age 89, passed from this life on October 17, 2013. My dear mother, known to all as "Olly", and "My Lady" to my dad, was born on August 4, 1924 in Hamilton, Ontario, Canada. She later moved to Meaford, Ontario where she owned a Beauty Salon with the support of her generous mother. Olly captured the heart of Charles (Charlie) Daly one night at a Dancehall in Buffalo, NY. She was the life of the party with beauty and wit and soon became the love of his life. They married in 1948, lived in Buffalo and later moved to the Syracuse area where she and Charlie lovingly raised two daughters. When the girls were older, Olly became a saleswoman, employed by Dey Brothers Department Store. In 1988, she retired with Charlie to the Peridia Golf and Country Club Community in Bradenton, Florida where life was nothing short of fun in the sun. During quieter times, Olly would write in her journal, read and do crossword and scramble puzzles. Over her lifetime, Olly enjoyed playing cards, bowling and golfing, walking, swimming, dancing, lunch with "the girls" and hearing what was new in the lives of her daughters and granddaughters. She loved entertainment, especially musicals, theater and comedy, as well as a good detective mystery, book or show. Her contagious laugh filled the air as she enjoyed shows like, Johnny Carson, Carol Burnett and more recently The Big Bang Theory. Although cooking was not an especially fond routine, her turkey roasted in a brown paper bag and famous cheese ball and cheesecake will live on in family tradition. Recreational travel around the world was a cherished gift Charlie gave Olly and the story of how she had left a journal in Italy and someone actually mailed it home for her was one of many we laughed about. She treasured and took great pride in her daughter's hand crafted gifts. These keepsakes along with family photos surrounded her and gave her great joy. Olly was blessed with a long life, full of joyful opportunities. It was quite a ride mom; how fortunate we were to be on it with you. You will remain, forever in our hearts. Olly was predeceased by her mother, Joanna Gaskey and daughter, Kim Daly. She leaves to cherish her memory, her devoted husband, Charlie of 65 years; daughter, Korie (Jim) Allen; three granddaughters she adored, Jessica, Kristen and Morgan; two brothers, Bill (Barb) Gaskey and Roy (Betty) Gaskey; nieces, Jennifer (David) Dobell, Heather (Kevin) Petty and Nadine (Mike) Vandenboom; and nephews, Bill Jr. and Thomas (Lynley) Gaskey. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Interment in Section 6, Site 2127 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAMIANO, Sheila Ann Damiano**

(Abstracted from <http://obituaries.niagara-gazette.com/obituary/sheila-damiano-1942-2016-753860511/print>)

Sheila A. (Bellina) Damiano, age 73, of Sarasota, FL, since 1985, formerly of Lewiston, NY passed away Feb. 21, 2016. Sheila was born June 19, 1942 and attended local schools and was a 1960 graduate of Niagara Falls High School. She leaves behind her husband, Thomas Joseph Damiano, and daughter, Stephanie and several nieces and nephews. Services were held in Sarasota and burial was in Section 3, Site 1450 in the Sarasota National Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Brown & Sons Funeral Home. Donations may be made to the American Cancer Society.

**DAMICO, Phillip Claude Damico**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=phillip-claude-damico&pid=167757673&fhid=18686>)

Phillip Claude Damico, age 69, of Fort Myers, FL, died on Oct. 17, 2013. Phillip was born April 22, 1944. Funeral arrangements by Gendron Funeral & Cremation Services Inc. Interment in Section 6, Site 2092 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**D'AMICO, Antoinette A. D'Amico**

Antoinette A. D'Amico was born 08/09/1923, died 05/24/2014. Interment in Section C1C-5, Row A, Site 33 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Santo D'Amico.

**DAMRON, Darrell King Damron**

Darrell King Damron was born 02/04/1946, died 12/10/2014. Interment in Section C1C-9, Row D, Site 39 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAMRON, John Luther Damron**

(Abstracted from <https://www.gendronfuneralhome.com/obituaries/John-Damron-34902/#!/Obituary>)

John Luther Damron, age 89, of Sarasota, FL passed away June 11, 2013. He was born January 3, 1924 in Township of Shelby Gap, KY the son of Crit and Eugena (Johnson) Damron. He proudly served in the United States Navy during WW II serving in the Atlantic and Pacific Theatres. He worked for Tropicana for many years. He leaves to cherish his loving memory, his loving wife, June Damron, 2 children, Brenda (Robert) Fritz and Johnny Damron, 2 brothers, William Bruce Damron and Frank Damron, sister, Sally Damron, 3 grandchildren, Jennifer Fritz, Jessica Nelson, and John Fritz, and 2 great grandchildren, Ariel Nelson and Coby Nelson. Services will be held at the convenience of the family in Section 6, Site 1932 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Funeral arrangements under the direction of Gendron Funeral & Cremation Services Inc., 135 N. Lime Ave, Sarasota, FL 34237 941-365-1767.

**DANA, Myrl Quick Dana**

Myrl Quick Dana was born 06/23/1932, died 04/28/2014. Interment in Section 3, Site 957 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Orrin Wells Dana.

**DANA, Orrin Wells Dana**

Orrin Wells Dana was born April 25, 1924, died 03/11/2010. Interment in Section 3, Site 957 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DANAHER, John Warren Danaher**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=168082760>)

John Warren Danaher, age 76, of Venice, FL, died on Nov. 15, 2013. John was born April 30, 1937. Funeral arrangements by Ewing Funeral Home. Interment in Section 6, Site 128 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DANCE, Harold Dance**

(Abstracted from <http://www.tributes.com/obituary/show/Harold-Dance-88958707>)

Harold Dance was born on July 27, 1925 and passed away on Sunday, July 4, 2010. Harold was a resident of Parrish, FL and married to Jeanne. Service Information: New Hope Baptist Church, 9422 Old Tampa Road, Parrish, FL 33219. Monday, July 12, 2010. Interment in Section 8, Site 698 at Sarasota National Cemetery, Sarasota, FL.

**DANESE, Edo Danese**

Edo Danese was born 03/29/1919, died 11/19/2000. Interment in Section 13, Site 382 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**D'ANGELO, Gabriel P. D'Angelo**

Gabriel P. D'Angelo was born 03/08/1933, died 05/17/2010. Interment in Section 8, Site 604 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DANHOF, Wayne Keith Danhof**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=wayne-keith-danhof&pid=105911005>)

Wayne Keith Danhof, age 81, Sarasota, formerly of Michigan, Canada and Chicago, died March 15, 2008. A celebration of his life will be Thursday at St. James United Methodist Church in Sarasota. Survivors include his wife of 50 years, Joyce; son Gary (Terry) of Savannah, GA; daughters Sylvia Bartman (Bryan) of Oconomowoc, WI, and Gail Rowland of St. Louis; brothers Jack (Gladys) Danhof and Jerry (June) Danhof, both of Cadillac, MI; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. After graduating from Cadillac High School, Wayne was drafted into the Army Air Corps, and served in Hawaii, Guam and the Philippines. After his discharge, Wayne attended Michigan State University. He began his career with Teledyne Continental Motors in Muskegon, MI, and after 40 years of service retired in 1991, having worked in Canada, Chicago, Mobile, Milwaukee and Memphis. Wayne proudly served as an SRQ Ambassador for the last 15 years. He was a man of great humor and intelligence who loved life. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. James United Methodist Church or the Salvation Army. Interment in Section 6, Site 97 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DANIEL, Lannie Marjorie Daniel**

Lannie Marjorie Daniel was born 12/16/1921, died 04/27/2013. Interment in Section 6, Site 1825 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DANIELE, Carmine C. Daniele**

(Abstracted from <https://obits.lohud.com/obituaries/lohud/obituary.aspx?n=carmine-daniele&pid=150056163>)

Carmine C. Daniele, age 87, passed away peacefully on May 7, 2010 at Naples Hospital FL. Carmine was born September 15, 1922. Surviving are his loving wife of 60 years Mary (Gerardi), daughter Tonia Maguire, son and daughter-in-law Bruce and Loretta Daniele, granddaughter and husband Stacey and Scott Boisvert, and grandson Kevin Ryan Maguire. Carmine is also survived by his brother Sam, his sister Rosemary Cassara, his sisters-in-law Jay Templeton, Millie Daniele, and Virginia DeBella, and countless nieces and nephews. Carmine was preceded in death by his parents Bruno and Philomena Daniele, his brothers Anthony, Ralph, and Joseph, and his deeply missed son-in-law Kevin E. Maguire. Carmine was cremated and a celebration of his life took place with a Mass at St. William Church and burial in Section 13, Site 444 at Sarasota National Cemetery. We love you Pop!

**DANIELEWICZ, Joseph Anthony Danielewicz Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=danielewicz&pid=175126618>)

Joseph Anthony Danielewicz, Jr., age 81, of Sarasota, FL (formerly of Jackson) passed away on May 8, 2015 following a brief illness. Joe was born March 22, 1934 and was a 1952 graduate of Jackson St. Johns High School and an Air Force veteran. He inherited his parent's work ethic, particularly his dad's mechanical aptitude, and was a skilled craftsman who could construct or repair virtually anything. An expert photographer, gemologist and appraiser, he eventually founded his own successful business



(Jozef's Estate Services) which he operated until his recent retirement. He was a devoted fan of the Tampa Bay Bucs and the Peanuts comic strip, with a special affinity for 'Snoopy'. In this regard, he was a charter member of the Charles M. Schulz Museum and Research Center in Santa Rosa, CA, and recently donated his extensive collection of Peanuts memorabilia to the museum. Joe was a loving and giving son, brother, spouse, father and friend. He was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph and Helen Danielewicz. Survivors include his life partner of 41 years, Joan Brothers, children, Alexis Thompson and Christina Danielewicz, grandchildren, Ashley, Ryan, Shayne, and Marissa, and great-grandchildren Alexandria, Annabelle, and Aiden. Joe is also survived by many other relatives, including his brother, John. Services were held on Friday, June 5 in Section 3, Site 935 at Sarasota National Cemetery. In Joe's memory, please perform a random act of kindness or just hug someone you love.

#### **DANIELS, Ardell Daniels II**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=ardell-daniels&pid=155145995>)  
Ardell Daniels II, age 29, of Raeford, NC formerly of North Port, died Dec. 18, 2011. Services will be Friday at Harvest Tabernacle Church. Burial will be in Section 7, Site 210 in Sarasota National Cemetery. Jones Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include wife, Abigail Lauren Daniels of Raeford, NC; daughters, Ava and Adriana both of Raeford, NC; mother, Linda McCloud and step-father James McCloud both of North Port; father, Ardell Sr. and step-mother, Kim both of Jacksonville; sister, Tiffoni N. of North Port; brothers, Elijah and Elisha both of Fort Lauderdale; paternal grandmother, Odessa Jackson and step-grandfather, Johnny Jackson both Miami; and paternal grandfather, Flozell of Delaware.

#### **DANIELS, Barbara J. Daniels**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=161968878>)  
Barbara J. Daniels, age 75, Fort Myers, was born 11/10/1937, died 12/24/2012. Arrangements by Gendron Funeral & Cremation Services Inc. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row A, Site 49 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Jerome Franklin Daniels.

#### **DANIELS, Donald E. Daniels**

Donald E. Daniels was born 03/20/1936, died 01/14/2014. Interred in Section 5, Site 101 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DANIELS, Joan Hill Daniels**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=173183315>)  
Joan Hill Daniels, age 88, of Nokomis, FL, formerly of Michigan, died on Nov. 12, 2014. Joan was born August 4, 1926 and is survived by her husband of 65 years, William Daniels; her children, Deborah (Gerald) VanGoethem of MI and Gary (Karen) Daniels of TN; 5 grandchildren; 6 great grandchildren; and a sister, Marian Dahlheimer of PA. Joan had 1000's of hours of hospital volunteering, Secretary at Ford Motor International Department, Director of Community Resources Crittenton Hosp. MI, and Rochester Chamber of Commerce Community Rep. In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to Tidewell Hospice, 5955 Rand Blvd Sarasota FL 34238. Interred in Section 3, Site 519 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of William H. Daniels.

#### **DANIELS, John G. Daniels**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=119773029>)  
John G. "Jack" Daniels, age 84, Sarasota, formerly of Cincinnati, died Nov. 3, 2008. John was born Aug. 12, 1924. Services will be at Friday at the Palm Terrace clubhouse, 3223 N. Lockwood Ridge Road., in Sarasota. Jennings Funeral Home and Crematory is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include his wife, Melody of Sarasota; sons Charlie of Virginia Beach, VA, and Michael Vuotto of Cincinnati; daughter Deanna Rio of Sarasota; seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Interred in Section 12, Site 868 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DANIELS, Josephine Laporta Daniels**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=172458699>)  
Josephine Laporta 'Joy' Daniels, age 86, died peacefully September 10, 2014 in Sarasota Florida surrounded by her family. Joy was born Sept. 13, 1927 and leaves behind her husband of 65 years, Henry M Daniels; daughters, Sandra Mathis (Kevin), Dawnmarie Daniels-Carsky (Jerry); 5 grandchildren, Teddy Hettich, Patrick Bassett (Maureen), Henry Hettich, Marina Mathis, Gregory Mathis; 3 great grandchildren, Adam, Jake, & Johnny. She was predeceased by her eldest daughter Catherine Hettich. Joy was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister and friend. She touched everyone's heart and will be missed by all who knew her. Memorial Service Sept. 20, 2014 at Bee Ridge Presbyterian Church, 4860 McIntosh Road, Sarasota, 34233. Charitable donations (in lieu of flowers) to Bee Ridge Presbyterian Church. Interred in Section 3, Site 448 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DANIELS, Ned E. Daniels**

(Abstracted from <http://www.tributes.com/obituary/show/Ned-E.-Daniels-102720593>)

Ned E. Daniels of Punta Gorda, FL was born on July 13, 1952 and passed away on Monday, July 27, 2015. Interred in Section 3, Site 1063 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DANIELS, Richard Anthony Daniels**

Richard Anthony Daniels was born 03/21/1951, died 11/21/2014. Interred in Section 3, Site 517 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DANIELS, Victor Galen Daniels**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Feb. 25, 2016)

Victor Galen Daniels, a retired veteran, of Pinellas Park, passed away Feb. 16, 2016. Victor was born May 9, 1962. He is survived by his wife, Zina Warner Daniels; daughter, Latasha Warner Mitchell; four stepchildren; nine grandchildren; mother, Algean Evans; sisters, Laura Evans, Loraine Long; brother, Lucious Long. Funeral service Monday, Feb. 29, at Mt. Pilgrim M.B. Church 4000 5th Ave S. Lawson Funeral Home is entrusted with the arrangements. Interred in Section 5, Site 1112 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DANIELS, Willie Herbert Daniels**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Apr. 5, 2013)

Willie Herbert Daniels, age 59, died April 1, 2013. Willie was born March 31, 1954. Funeral April 6, 2013 at Greater St. Peal MB Church. Burial April 8, 2013 in Section 7, Site 780 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Gee & Sorensen Funeral Home.

**DANIELSON, Elaine J. Danielson**

(Abstracted from [https://www.meaningfulfunerals.net/?action=obituaries.obit\\_view&CFID=7d92239d-0beb-4335-9cfd-4b25b501c65b&CFTOKEN=0&o\\_id=2932145&fh\\_id=14772](https://www.meaningfulfunerals.net/?action=obituaries.obit_view&CFID=7d92239d-0beb-4335-9cfd-4b25b501c65b&CFTOKEN=0&o_id=2932145&fh_id=14772))

Elaine J. Danielson, age 82, Bradenton, died January 23, 2015. Born May 30, 1932 in Aurora, IL she moved to Bradenton in 1991 from West Chicago, IL and she was a graduate of the Walton School of Commerce. She was a retired accountant for Florida Horticultural Co., was a member of the Humane Society of Manatee County, Manatee County Audubon Society, and the Emmanuel United Methodist Church of Bradenton. She was predeceased by her husband, Robert E. Danielson. Memorial Services will be at Emmanuel United Methodist Church of Bradenton at a later date. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 43rd Street Chapel in charge. Interred in Section 6, Site 1281 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DANIELSON, Robert E. Danielson**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=Robert-E-Danielson&pid=160248249>)

Robert E. Danielson, age 87, of Bradenton since 1978, formerly of West Chicago, IL, died on Sep. 30, 2012 after several years of illness. He is survived by his wife of 49 years Elaine. He is also survived by his sister, Mary Louise, his niece Margaret and his nephew Daniel, all from Iowa. Bob was born January 11, 1925 on a farm near Creston, IA to Emmett and Anna Danielson. Bob's father passed away on Bob's 12th birthday and he and his mother moved into Creston with his grandfather. Bob had a paper route and did errands for the hotel and drug store to help his mother with a little money. His best friend's father had a small greenhouse and Bob worked there part time which was to later be his life's profession - flowers and plant production. Bob graduated from Creston High School in 1943. The day after graduation, he took a bus to Des Moines to join the Navy. He went directly to training camp and then served for over 2 years in the South Pacific. When his enlistment was over in 1946 he went home to Creston and then enrolled in class at Iowa State University. With the help of the G.I. Bill and by working part time in greenhouses in Ames, he graduated in 1951 with a degree in Horticulture. Bob's first job was in Winona, MN where he managed a large greenhouse for 11 years. After that he was requested to come to West Chicago, IL to interview for a job managing a greenhouse and trial grounds for Geo. J. Ball, Inc. The Ball Company even at that time was a well known firm all over the United States for sales of seeds, plants and other supplies for greenhouses and florists. Bob was given the job that day. Mr. Victor Ball then took Bob to meet Elaine Booth because Elaine did the cost accounting for the greenhouse crops. Bob called Elaine two months later and asked for a dinner date. Ten months later, Bob and Elaine were married! They were able to celebrate their 49th anniversary August 2 this year. Bob was a very dedicated employee for Ball. He later worked for another Ball Company named Pan American Plant Co. which was primarily based in Cortez, FL and later Parrish, FL. Bob was a very hands on guy and helped set up standards for the production of Mums and later Kalanchoes and African Violets. These cuttings and plants were shipped to Ball customers all over the United States. By this time Bob was vice-president of production for Pan Am Plant. Bob was considered very much of an expert in plant production and trained many employees in proper procedures and for disease control. Bob traveled extensively for the Ball Co. to visit customers and suppliers. He was always able to solve disease and production problems. He also traveled with Ball salesmen and with Mr. Victor Ball to visit customers and suppliers. He was well known all over the United States and still hears from people that he has worked with and known in the business. Bob was a very active member of Emmanuel United Methodist Church in Bradenton for many years. He was on the Board of Trustees, the Memorial Contributions group, the Prayer and Share group, and the Thursday morning men's work group. He also was well remembered for the beautiful roses he had on the church grounds. Bob is also remembered at the church with his good friend,

Clarence, as the "Master Chefs" for the church turkey dinners and the picnics. Bob was also a member of the American Legion in Bradenton and the National Audubon Society. Bob and Elaine enjoyed helping support several animal and bird groups as well as numerous humanitarian groups including the Salvation Army. Bob and Elaine were able to do a lot of traveling prior to illnesses for both of them. In later years, as is the case with many older people, they traveled with cruises which are an easier way to travel. Rest in peace, my dear wonderful Bob! A Memorial service will be held at Emmanuel United Methodist Church, 5115 Cortez Rd. Bradenton, FL Thursday, October 4, 2012. Burial in Section 6, Site 1281 at Sarasota National Cemetery will not take place until the following week sometime - no definite date is known at this time. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 43rd Street Chapel 604 43rd Street West, Bradenton, FL 34209 are in charge. Memorial contributions may be made either to the church or to the Humane Society of Manatee County, 2515 14th St. West, 34205.

**DANIELSON, William C. Danielson**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/william-danielson-obituary?pid=144790842>)

William C. Danielson was born 12/29/1923, died 08/17/2010. Arrangements under the direction of National Cremation, Port Charlotte, FL. Interred in Section C1C-2, Row D, Site 12 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DANKS, Joseph Thomas Danks**

(Abstracted from <http://www.robersonfh.com/obituary/joseph-danks/>)

Joseph Thomas Danks, age 83, of Punta Gorda, FL passed away June 4, 2012 at his residence. Joseph was born February 16, 1929 in Philadelphia, PA to the late Sarah (nee - McFeely) and Thomas J. Danks. A veteran of the Korean War, United States Air Force and retired Penn Central railroad employee, Joseph moved to Punta Gorda from his native Philadelphia 38 years ago, and was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Punta Gorda. He is survived by two children, daughter Patricia (Dan) Shaneyfelt of NC, and son Joseph E. Danks of FL; one grandson, Travis Shaneyfelt; a sister-in-law, Lois O'Doherty, and numerous nieces and nephews. A Memorial Mass will be Friday, June 8, 2012 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Punta Gorda. A private committal will be held by the Danks family in Section 6, Site 1063 at Sarasota National Cemetery at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial bequests in Joseph's name are suggested to Tidewell Hospice Inc. Arrangements are by Roberson Funeral Homes & Crematory, Punta Gorda Chapel.

**DANKS, Margaret Jean Danks**

(Abstracted from the News-Press on June 5, 2010)

Margaret Jean Danks, age 80, of Punta Gorda, died June 3, 2010. Margaret was born March 8, 1930. Arrangements by Roberson Funeral Homes and Crematory. Interred in Section 6, Site 1063 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Joseph Thomas Danks.

**DANNER, Catherine R. Danner**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=162113559>)

Catherine R. Danner was born in Springfield, MA on August 19, 1918 to her parents Thomas A. and Rose B. Chambers. She passed away in Cape Coral, FL on January 2, 2013. Catherine married her beloved husband David R. Danner Jr. in 1948 in Berlin, Germany during their tour together in the US Army. They were both proud WWII veterans. They were residents of Cape Coral over the past 30 years. She was a member of the American Association of Medical Assistants, Inc. Catherine is preceded in death by her husband David. Catherine and David will be laid to rest at a later date in Section C1C-1, Row B, Site 23 in the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DANNER, David R. Danner Jr.**

David R. Danner Jr. was born 09/17/1924, died 11/07/2011. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row B, Site 24 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DANSER, John Danser**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/john-danser-obituary?pid=166045350>)

John Danser, age 79, passed away July 22, 2013. John was born July 5, 1934. Survived by his loving family. David C. Gross Funeral Home 6366 Central Ave/727-381-4911. Interred in Section 7, Site 910 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DANZIGER, Audrey Helene Danziger**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=audrey-helene-danziger&pid=153164509&fhid=8479>)

Audrey Helene Danziger, age 78, of Bradenton, formerly of Brooklyn, NY died August 17, 2011. Audrey was born Nov. 21, 1932. Services will be Friday at Toale Brothers Funeral Homes, Bradenton Chapel. Burial will be in Section 7, Site 58 in Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include her husband of 57 years, Sanford Judson Danziger; sons, Alan S. and Dr. Roger N. both of

Bradenton and four grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Hadassah or Temple Beth El of Bradenton.

**DARBY, William Cleo Darby Jr.**

William Cleo Darby Jr. was born 11/26/1947, died 07/09/2015. Interred in Section 3, Site 1019 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DARCY, Joseph Michael Darcy**

(Abstracted from <http://obits.newsherald.com/obituaries/newsherald/obituary.aspx?n=joseph-m-darcy&pid=170998939>)

Joseph Michael Darcy went to Heaven on Wednesday April 30, 2014 after battling Cancer for over a year. Joe was born in Portland, Maine on January 8, 1945. Joe joins his mother Mary; father Edward; brother, Eddy; sister Winnefred, and son, Bryan and is survived by his loving wife of 44 years, Ann; brother Jack; sisters, Beatrice and Peggy; sons Kevin and Richard; daughter Teri; and five grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. He graduated Chevrus High School in 1963. Joe served honorably for 27 years in the [U.S. Air Force](#) and also retired from the U.S. Postal Service. He was an active member of Parker United Methodist Church in Panama City, FL. Joe enjoyed spending time with his family and visiting his favorite place, Walt Disney World. A public Military Honors Service will be Friday, May 16 in Section C1C-5, Row A, Site 13 at the National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. A public Memorial Service will be held at Emmanuel Baptist Church in Parrish, FL, on Saturday, May 17. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Parker United Methodist Church 908 S. Tyndall Parkway, Panama City, FL 32404.

**DARLING, Edgar Eugene Darling**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=edgar-darling-bud&pid=146121381>)

Edgar "Bud" Darling, age 86, of Sarasota, formerly of Columbus, Ohio, died Oct. 16, 2010. Edgar was born April 8, 1924. A graveside service will be Friday in Section 13, Site 669 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Toale Brothers Funeral Homes, Colonial Chapel, is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include his wife, Shirley of Sarasota; a daughter, Sheri of Sarasota; a son, Ron of Memphis, TN; and one grandchild.

**DARLING, Leroy Raymond Darling**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=98961141>)

LeRoy Raymond Darling, age 78, Sarasota, formerly of Bethpage, NY, died Nov. 26, 2007. National Cremation Society handled arrangements. Born in Astoria, NY, on April 9, 1929, he moved to Florida in 1978. He was a Merchant Marine and retired as a detective with the Nassau County Police Department. He is survived by his wife, Irene; daughters Karen Miller (John) and Dawn Wriedt (Raymond); four grandchildren, Cameron and Bria Miller, and Landon and Mackenzie Wriedt; and three sisters, Wanda Delaney Miller, Joan Kern and Ann Love. He was preceded in death by his brother, Ira Grant Darling. At LeRoy's request, there will be no services. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made directly to the family. Interred in Section 12, Site 344 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DARLING, Richard Keith Darling Jr.**

Richard Keith Darling Jr. was born 09/20/1942, died 10/02/2011. Interred in Section 7, Site 122 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DARLING, Shirley G. Darling**

Shirley G. Darling was born 11/01/1924, died 08/13/2013. Interred in Section 13, Site 669 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Edgar Eugene Darling.

**DARTT, Allen George Dartt**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=174051895>)

Allen George Dartt of Sarasota, passed away peacefully on January 30, 2015 surrounded by his loving family. George was born Oct. 3, 1930 and is survived by his wife, Rebecca H. Dartt, his daughter, Amy Ashton of Sarasota, his son, James Robert Dartt of Saunderstown, RI, and four grandchildren; a step-daughter, Robin Cofer of NYC, two step-sons, Robert Cofer of Litchfield, CT and David Cofer of Cortland, NY, and two step-granddaughters. George will be remembered for his passion for life. While he worked in the securities business on Long Island and in NYC before retirement to Florida, his true love was for the people in his life and his extracurricular activities. He made a lasting impression on everyone who crossed his path. An enthusiastic tennis player, he was also a past president of the Eastern Division of the US Lawn Tennis Association (now USTA) and is credited for having started the 35 Age Men's Division. He was an avid admirer of fine automobiles and he sang in multiple choirs, most recently at St. Thomas More Catholic Church in Sarasota. A private memorial service will be held at a later date in Section 3, Site 744 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Donations may be made in lieu of flowers to the Humane Society of Sarasota.

**DASHIELL, Rosemary Dashiell**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=144873351>)  
Rosemary Dashiell, age 76, of Venice died Aug. 18, 2010. Rosemary was born March 23, 1934. A memorial service will be Wednesday at Christ United Methodist Church in Venice. Survivors include her husband of 56 years, Robert Eugene Dashiell; daughter Karla Gotch of Louisville, Ohio; son Kenton of Nairobi, Kenya; sister Franny Haworth of Venice; brothers Richard Haworth, of Orange City, Kenny Haworth of Noblesville, IN, and Garry Haworth of California; and five grandchildren. Memorial contributions may be made to Missions at Christ United Methodist Church, 1475 Center Road, Venice, FL 34292. Interred in Section 6, Site 688 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DASNEVES, Jeronimo Dasneves**

Jeronimo Dasneves was born 04/16/1923, died 12/09/2014. Interred in Section 3, Site 577 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DATSKO, Michael Joseph Datsko**

Michael Joseph Datsko was born 12/24/1942, died 12/10/2008. Interred in Section 8, Site 307 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAUB, Lloyd Byron Daub**

Lloyd Byron Daub was born 05/06/1919, died 09/08/2008. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row C, Site 43 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAUBENSPECK, Vincent Leroy Daubenspeck**

Vincent Leroy Daubenspeck was born 01/18/1938, died 08/28/2013. Interred in Section C1C-3, Row B, Site 17 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAUBERT, Melvin Dennis Daubert Jr.**

Melvin Dennis Daubert Jr. was born 09/21/1945, died 02/21/2014. Interred in Section C1C-5, Row D, Site 9 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAUGHERTY, Norbert John Daugherty**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=132072944>)  
Norbert John Daugherty 'Norb' Daugherty, age 78, of Venice died Aug. 19, 2009. Norb was born June 6, 1931. Services are private in Section C1C-2, Row B, Site 36 at Sarasota National Cemetery. He is survived by his wife of 38 years, Arlene; five children; four stepchildren; and nine grandchildren. He was an engineer for Westinghouse for 37 years, and after retirement was a tax preparer for H&R Block for seven years, and most recently was a volunteer tax preparer for AARP. He was a veteran of the Korean War, a member of the American Legion Post 159, a life member of the VFW, and a member of the Englewood Elks. Norb is remembered for his beautiful mind, spirit of adventure, Irish wit, and his love of dance.

**DAUGHERTY, William Dieroff Daugherty**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/tampabaytimes/obituary.aspx?n=william-d-daugherty&pid=135587011>)  
William Dieroff Daugherty, age 86, passed away November 5, 2009, at Lifepath Hospice in Sun City Center, FL. He was born August 6, 1923 in Philadelphia, PA, and moved to Florida in 1979. He was a member of United Community Church and is survived by his wife of 64 years, Olive, and will be missed by his loving family and friends. A small, informal graveside service will take place in Section 13, Site 17 November 18, 2009, at Sarasota National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to LifePath Hospice of Sun City Center, 3725 Upper Creek Drive, Sun City Center, FL 33573.

**DAUNT, Julia P. Daunt**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=julia-pearson-daunt&pid=141899175>)  
Julia Pearson Daunt, age 90, of Sarasota, formerly of Saluda, NC, died April 13, 2010. Julia was born Nov. 27, 1919. Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include her husband of 68 years, John Joseph Daunt Jr.; a son, John J. III of Sarasota; and 3 sisters Doreen Janicki of Saluda, Mildred Pearson of Saluda and Odessa Galda of Tryon, NC. Interred in Section 6, Site 1399 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAUPHIN, Joseph Albert Dauphin**

(Abstracted from <https://suncitycenterfuneralhome.com/tribute/details/92097/Joseph-Dauphin/obituary.html>)  
Joseph Albert Dauphin, age 85, passed away on July 26, 2013 after a long illness. Joseph was born 04/02/1928. He always felt it was an honor serving in the United States Air Force and after 23 years of proudly serving his country, he retired as a Master Sergeant in 1971. He is survived by his wife Anita Emond Dauphin, sister Marguerite (Eugene) Cormier, two brothers-in-law James Tuttle and Bernard Little as well as several nieces, nephews, and cousins. There will be no viewing. Funeral Mass will be Wednesday July 31, 2013 at Prince of Peace Catholic Church. Interment will follow with Military Honors in Section 7, Site 916

at Sarasota National Cemetery, Sarasota, Florida. In lieu of Flowers, memorials may be made to Sun City Center Hospice House, 3725 Upper Creek Drive, Ruskin, FL 33573.

**DAUS, Gloria D. Daus**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/bradenton-fl/gloria-daus-6110654>)

Gloria DeHart Daus was born on August 1, 1936 and passed away on September 3, 2014. Burial Monday, September 8, 2014. Interred in Section 5, Site 407 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Archie Henry Daus.

**DAUTEL, George Edwin Dautel**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?n=george-e-dautel&pid=133737619>)

George Edwin Dautel, (born September 24, 1930), age 78, of Cape Coral, FL, formerly of Long Island, NY passed away Sunday, September 20th, 2009. He is survived by his loving wife of 52 years, Eileen, son, Steven and wife Kathleen, daughter Denise Callahan and husband Joseph, brother of Dorothy Finger and husband Richard, and the proud grandfather of six grandchildren, Robert, Ryann, Daniel, Christopher, Dennis and Kimberly. George was a wonderful son, husband, father, brother, grandfather, godfather, uncle, brother-in-law and friend. We will truly miss him and cherish every memory we have of him. In keeping with his wishes there will be no funeral service. A remembrance ceremony will take place at a time and location when all of George's loved ones can be together. Interred in Section 12, Site 637 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVEY, Clifford C. Davey**

Clifford C. Davey was born 02/14/1944, died 02/28/2014. Interred in Section 5, Site 177 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVEY, Edward Oliver Davey**

Edward Oliver Davey was born 04/01/1916, died 07/14/2010. Interred in Section 13, Site 768 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVEY, Irene Davey**

(Abstracted from <http://www.tributes.com/obituary/show/Irene-Davey-90534549>)

Irene Davey, a resident of Bradenton, FL, was born on November 18, 1922 and passed away on Thursday, January 13, 2011. Interred in Section 13, Site 768 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Edward Oliver Davey.

**DAVID, Dale Clinton David**

(Abstracted from [https://www.meaningfulfunerals.net/?action=obituaries.obit\\_view&CFID=7d92239d-0beb-4335-9cfd-4b25b501c65b&CFTOKEN=0&o\\_id=3248697&fh\\_id=14772](https://www.meaningfulfunerals.net/?action=obituaries.obit_view&CFID=7d92239d-0beb-4335-9cfd-4b25b501c65b&CFTOKEN=0&o_id=3248697&fh_id=14772))

Dale Clinton David, age 90, Bradenton, died July 15, 2015. Born June 15, 1925 in Nashville, IN he moved to Bradenton in 2012. A Major in the US Air Force during World War II, Korea and Vietnam as a Pilot, he was a graduate of Nashville, IN High School, attended Indiana University, was a member of the Mosquitos and the American Legion. Predeceased by parents, Daniel and Violet (Moore) David; survived by wife of 3 years, Mary of Bradenton, FL; sons, Mark A. and Dennis of Nashville, IN; step-sons, David Smith of Chicago, IL and Bob Smith of Springhill, FL; step-daughter, Cathy Brown of Bradenton, FL; brothers, Pat of Franklin, IN and David of Bryan, TX; 3 grandchildren. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 43rd Street Chapel, 604 43rd Street West, Bradenton, FL 34209 is entrusted with the arrangements. Graveside Services Thursday, July 23, 2015 in Section 5, Site 844 at Sarasota National Cemetery, 9810 State Road 72, Sarasota, FL 34241. Memorial Donations made to Alzheimer's Foundation, 3277 Fruitville Road #1A, Sarasota, FL 34237.

**DAVID, Jerome Allison David**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?n=jerome-allison-david&pid=125444237>)

Jerome Allison David, age 66, of Lehigh Acres, passed March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2009. Jerome was born February 11, 1943. Funeral service Thursday, at Boyd's Memorial Chapel, 2966 Dr. M.L. King Jr. Blvd. James C. Boyd Funeral Home, (239) 337-5222, directing. Interred in Section 8, Site 278 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIDOFF, Manuel Abraham Davidoff**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=155751226>)

Dr. Manuel Abraham "Dave" Davidoff, age 100, of Siesta Key, formerly of Ft. Wayne, IN, died Feb. 1, 2012. Dave was born April 28, 1911. Services with military honors will be Monday in Section 7, Site 271 in Sarasota National Cemetery. Toale Brothers Funeral Homes is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include his wife of 44 years, Jeri; daughter Linda Lyon of Sarasota; two granddaughters, Stephanie Angel and Stacy Lyon; and his great-grandson, Jackson Angel. Manuel received his bachelor's degree from [Ohio State University](http://www.ohio-state.edu) in 1933, which included six weeks training at a Military Base. Commissioned 2nd Lieutenant in horse-drawn field artillery in U S Army Reserve. Received medical degree from University of Chicago in 1937. Interned at Jersey City

Medical Center. Two-year residency in psychiatry at Hudson County Mental Hospital. In 1939 received promotion to 1st Lieutenant, transferred to Navy and was commissioned Lieutenant JG in the medical corp. Served as Regimental Surgeon for the 1st Marine Parachute Regiment. Combat duty aboard the USS Massachusetts. Chief of Medicine at the Naval Hospital in Colorado. Made permanent Captain in 1957. Opened a country practice in Ossian, IN, in 1946. Co-founder of Physician's Plaza in Fort Wayne, IN. Practiced there until 1971. Moved to Sarasota, practiced until retirement in 1988. Enjoyed many years of sailing, golf and having the pleasure of being "up close and personal" with the big cats and many other animals thanks to the Rosaires at the Big Cat Habitat. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Big Cat Habitat and Gulf Coast Sanctuary, 7101 Palmer Blvd, Sarasota, FL 34240.

**DAVIDOWSKI, Leon J. Davidowski Sr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=leon-j-davidowski&pid=135158327&fhid=8486>)

Leon J. Davidowski Sr., age 89, of Sarasota, formerly of East Brunswick, NJ, died Oct 27, 2009. Leon was born Dec. 27, 1919. Services at Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home. Survivors include his wife, Edith; a son, Leon J. Jr. of Fairfield, CT; a sister, Stephanie Berish of Sarasota; and three grandchildren. Leon was a resident and passed away at Sunnyside Nursing Home. He was a Purple Heart recipient for his Army service during World War II. He participated in the China-Burma-India Theater. He was inducted into the Soccer Hall of Fame in Trenton, NY, and he was a member of the American Legion Post 159. Interred in Section 13, Site 92 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIDSMEYER, Orville Howard Davidsmeyer Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=orville-howard-davidsmeyer&pid=165857103>)

Orville Howard Davidsmeyer, Jr., age 90, of Sarasota, FL, died on July 9, 2013. Howard was born Nov. 30, 1922. Services will be Fri., at Sunnyside Village Chapel, 5201 Bahia Vista in Sarasota, FL. A highly respected Florida businessman, church leader, athlete, and philanthropist, Howard Davidsmeyer was above all, a devoted husband and father. Born in Shawnee, Oklahoma, Howard attended the [University of Iowa](#), playing on their football team. He left college to fight in [WWII](#). While training to be a pilot, he played football for [University of Georgia](#), among others. As an Ensign in the US Naval Air Corp, he flew Hellcats and Corsairs off carriers in the Pacific. In a 1944 wartime wedding, he married his childhood sweetheart, Dorothy Jean Yost. After WWII, Howard served as a plant manager for AT&T. He later developed several businesses in New York, Virginia, and Florida in the telephone, hardware and marine industries. He was cofounder of ComDev, Inc. which was bought by General Dynamics. Later, he was a telecommunications consultant and served on several Boards of Directors of emerging companies, most recently Phantasmic Home Entertainment. Always active in church, he served the Church of the Cross and Pine Shores Presbyterian Church in Sarasota. In New York, he headed the building committee for the Massapequa Reformed Church building dedicated in 1969 by Dr. Norman Vincent Peale. Howard volunteered on local foundation boards, including Players of Sarasota, as treasurer of the Pines of Sarasota, Chairman of the Board for University Club, and most recently President of Sunnyside Resident Association. He is survived by his wife of 68 years, Dorothy Jean Davidsmeyer, his son O. H. Davidsmeyer III of San Antonio, TX and daughter Jo Ann Davidsmeyer of Sarasota, FL. He was also the father of the late Dona Davidsmeyer Beale. He is also survived by a sister Margaret Sprenger of East Islip, NY and in-laws Darlene and Norman Yost of Sarasota. He has three grandchildren and five great grandchildren. He loved entertaining and sharing laughter with friends and those soon to be friends. Please, no flowers. Those attending the memorial, please wear happy colors in celebration of life eternal. Interred in Section C1C-3, Row C, Site 21 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIDSON, David Leon Davidson**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/tampa-fl/david-davidson-6279965>)

Mr. David Leon Davidson, age 81, of Foxchase Circle, Tampa, FL passed away at his home January 11, 2015. He was born near Wheaton, MO on August 13th, 1933. He earned a degree in Mechanical Engineering from Missouri State University, Springfield, MO. After graduation he served in the Army, stationed in Fort Carson, CO, where he met his wife of 55 years, Janet. (He earned the rank of 1st Lieutenant before he left active duty and later served 6 years in the Army Reserves.) They lived in Seattle, WA where he worked for Boeing, and then later moved to the Boston area. Eventually they settled in Sudbury, MA where they raised their four children. They later relocated to their lake home in Deerfield, NH. In 1988 they bought a home in Englewood, FL where they spent their winters. His biggest hobby was his family- he enjoyed having his children and grandchildren visit both at the lake in New Hampshire and in Florida, where he loved to go for boat rides. He spent the last several years of his life caring for his wife through a long and difficult sickness. She precedes him in death by less than a year. David is survived by his four children: Philip (Lorraine) Davidson of Deerfield, NH, Neal (Christina) Davidson of Sterling, MA, Marsha Davidson of Warsaw, Poland, and Joanne (Jens) Ibsen of Tampa, FL; 7 grandchildren: David (Kristen), Russell (Jennifer), Marshall (Christina), Joshua (Jillian), Benjamin Davidson, Daniel and Christina Ibsen; and two great-grandchildren: Jamie and John Davidson. When asked not long ago what he was most proud of in his life, his response, "My children and grandchildren,"

reflects his lifelong love for and commitment to his family. David is also survived by his brother Willard (Wanda) Davidson of Kansas City, MO and his sister Ruth (Wesley) Price of Springfield, MO. A celebration of his life will be held February 7th at the Blount and Curry Funeral Home Carrollwood Chapel, 3207 W. Bearss Ave, Tampa, FL with a graveside service to follow on February 9th in Section 6, Site 2 at the Sarasota National Cemetery, Sarasota, FL. Memorials may be made to: Baptist Global Response, 402 BNA Drive, Suite 411, Nashville, TN 37217. The BGR fund is used to respond to global crises and humanitarian relief projects.

**DAVIDSON, Dorothy Florence Davidson**

Dorothy Florence Davidson was born 02/20/1928, died 07/22/2004. Interred in Section 3, Site 235 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of John Henry Davidson.

**DAVIDSON, Ellen M. Davidson**

Ellen M. Davidson was born 05/29/1930, died 09/01/2011. Interred in Section 6, Site 337 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Warren E. Davidson.

**DAVIDSON, Henry Arnold Davidson II**

Henry Arnold Davidson II was born 09/09/1942, died 02/07/2015. Interred in Section C1C-7, Row B, Site 38 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIDSON, James Nathaniel Davidson**

James Nathaniel Davidson was born 08/13/1924, died 02/07/2009. Interred in Section 13, Site 197 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIDSON, Janet M. Davidson**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=janet-m-davidson&pid=169733470&fhid=8459>)

Janet M. Davidson, age 80, of Tampa, FL, formerly of Englewood, FL, died on Feb. 5, 2014. Janet was born Aug. 6, 1933. Memorial Service will be Tue., Feb. 25, 2014 at Lemon Bay Funeral Home in Englewood, FL. Interred in Section 6, Site 2 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of David Leon Davidson.

**DAVIDSON, John Henry Davidson**

John Henry Davidson was born 08/04/1927, died 03/10/2006. Interred in Section 3, Site 235 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIDSON, Phillip Earl Davidson**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/phillip-davidson-obituary?pid=178035956>)

Phillip 'Cowboy' Earl Davidson Jun. 7, 1962 - Mar. 10, 2016 Cowboy Davidson, age 53, of Nokomis, FL, died on Mar. 10, 2016. Funeral arrangements by Farley Funeral Homes & Crematory. Interred in Section 3, Site 1484 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIDSON, Robert William Davidson**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/dailyfreeman/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=159984840>)

SARASOTA, FL - Robert William Davidson, age 85, passed away in his sleep on Sept. 18, 2012, after battling bladder cancer and Alzheimer's. 'Bob' or Fred as his wife, June L. Davidson, called him, was born in Maspeth, Queens, on May 5, 1927. Bob served in the Armed forces during the Japanese/American war period. He served as a guard for internment camps in the U.S. He worked at Canfield in Kingston and lived in NY for many years before moving to Sarasota in 1990. He was a long time active member of the Olive Fire Department. He held the position as Captain and sat on the Board of Directors for many years. He is survived by his wife, June L Davidson, and by his two sons, Robert L. (Teresa) Davidson of Sarasota, FL, and William J. (Julianne) Davidson of Boiceville. He is also survived by his six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren, Denise, Lacy, CeCe, Mark, Kevin, and Sharon Davidson, Gabriella and Alexzander Zerbin and Mariah McMillan. Survivors also include many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his parents, Maria and John Davidson, as well as brothers, John (Jake) and Jim. Bob loved people and would talk to anyone who would listen. His smile was contagious. His wake and funeral will be held in Sarasota, FL. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Olive Fire Department, Alzheimer's Association or the charity of your choice in his memory. Interred in Section 7, Site 544 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIDSON, Ronnie Davidson**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/ronnie-davidson-obituary?pid=145758888>)



Ronnie Davidson, age 56, of Clearwater, died Sept. 29, 2010 at his residence. Ronnie was born March 10, 1954. He proudly served in the U.S. Navy as a Medical Corpman. There are no known survivors. A Life Tribute Largo 727-559-7793. Interred in Section 8, Site 736 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIDSON, Shirley B. Davidson**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/shirley-davidson-obituary?pid=176665626>)

Shirley was born September 23, 1925. Shirley B. Davidson, age 90, of Bradenton, FL, died on November 22, 2015. Services will be held privately in Section 13, Site 197 of the Sarasota National Cemetery at a later date. National Cremation and Burial Society in Sarasota is handling the arrangements. Wife of James Nathaniel Davidson.

**DAVIDSON, William Henry Davidson**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=168491622>)

William H. Davidson of Fort Myers, FL, died on Nov. 27, 2013. William was born Dec. 14, 1926. Funeral arrangements by Gendron Funeral & Cremation Services Inc. Interred in Section 6, Site 1160 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIES, Nancy June Davies**

Nancy June Davies was born 11/06/1922, died 03/20/2014. Interred in Section 13, Site 1243 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Reginald E. Davies.

**DAVIES, Reginald E. Davies**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/national-cremation/obituary.aspx?n=REGINALD-DAVIES&lc=2784&pid=149186524&mid=4590685>)

Reginald E. Davies, age 91, born September 20, 1919 in Ynysddu, Wales to parents Ernest Davies and Millie Saye. Reginald passed away March 4, 2011. He was preceded in death by son, James. He has left his beloved wife for 63 years Nancy, his daughter, Barbara, Nashua, NH, grandson, James, Glastonbury, CT, grandson Christopher, Ayer, MA and daughter-in-law, Roxanne, Ayer, MA. He served with the 101st Airborne Division, World War II. He was in D-Day invasion of Normandy, Holland, Bastogne and Ardennes. He received the Silver Star, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Presidential Unit citation with cluster. He was a member of the American Legion, Kirby Stewart Post 24, the VFW and the DAV. He was a past President of the 101st Airborne Assoc. He was an active member of Upper St. Clair Lions Club. There will be a memorial service for Reginald on March 16 at the Kirkwood Presbyterian Church. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Kirkwood Church. Interment will be in Section 13, Site 1243 at Sarasota National Cemetery at a later date. Arrangements under the direction of National Cremation & Burial Society, Sarasota, FL.

**DAVIES, Ruby K. Davies**

Ruby K. Davies was born 01/25/1937, died 01/24/2015. Interred in Section 3, Site 911 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Ronald Payne Davies.

**DAVILE, Daniel S. Davile**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/daniel-davile-obituary?pid=167755102>)

Daniel S. Davile, age 71, of Clearwater, passed away on Oct. 24, 2013 at home. Daniel was born Dec. 1, 1941. There are no known survivors. A Life Tribute Largo 727-559-7793. Interred in Section 7, Site 1044 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Alice Milligan Davis**

Alice Milligan Davis was born 09/07/1935, died 04/11/2013. Interred in Section 5, Site 829 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Charles Howard Davis.

**DAVIS, Charles Howard Davis**

Charles Howard Davis was born 11/6/1930, died 6/26/2015. Interred in Section 5, Site 829 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Chester Arthur Davis Jr.**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/chester-davis-obituary?pid=178227910>)

Chester Arthur Davis Jr. was born on December 13, 1921 and passed away on Sunday, April 12, 2009. Chester was a resident of Arcadia, FL at the time of his passing. He was formerly from Elkhart, IN. Chet was a US Marine serving in the South Pacific during WWII. He was married to Raeola. The service in celebration of Chet's life will be Wednesday, April 15, 2009 in Section 8, Site 358 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. Larry Taylor Funeral and Cremation Services Obituary, Punta Gorda, FL is entrusted with the arrangements.

**DAVIS, Clarence E. Davis**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/clarence-davis-obituary?pid=145325027>)

Clarence E. Davis of Northport, FL was born 7/3/1918, died 9/8/2010. Arrangements under the direction of National Cremation & Burial Society, Ruskin, FL. Interred in Section 13, Site 828 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Coy Lee Davis Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=147779930>)

Coy Lee Davis, age 77, of Bradenton died Jan. 10, 2011. Coy was born Sept. 23, 1933. Memorial service will be Friday at Congregational United Church of Christ. Inurnment will be in Section 13, Site 990 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Griffith-Cline Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include his wife, Betty of Bradenton; sons Andrew of Dacula, GA, Robert of Auburn, GA, James Andrews of Tampa, and Erik Andrews of Olivebridge, NY; and four grandchildren.

**DAVIS, Daniel Edward Davis**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/ellenton-fl/daniel-davis-6606832>)

On Tuesday, September 22, 2015, Daniel Edward Davis passed away at the Bay Pines VA, in St. Petersburg, FL, at the age of 79 years. Dan was born October 3, 1935. A loving father and grandfather he is survived by his 4 children, Gene, Jeanette, Kathy, and Rick; grandchildren Eric, Nick, Connor, Adam, Taylor, Ashley and Olivia; brothers Harvey and Dewitt; sister Edna Elliott; sisters-in-law Jessie, Sarah and Marie; as well as numerous nieces and nephews. Daniel was predeceased by parents Dewey and Fannie, brother Doyle, and brother-in-law Robert Elliott. Dan served in the US Army for 3 years. Services for Dan will be held Monday, September 28, 2015, at Groover Funeral Home, 1400 36th Ave E, Ellenton, FL. Interred in Section 5, Site 920 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, David M. Davis**

David M. Davis was born 08/19/1944, died 12/27/2014. Interred in Section 5, Site 573 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Donald Lee Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=donald-lee-davis&pid=165147460>)

Donald Lee Davis, age 85, of Sarasota, FL, died on Jun. 1, 2013. Donald was born Nov. 29, 1927. Services will be June 4, 2013 in Section 7, Site 845 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by Toale Brothers Funeral Home. Mr. Davis is survived by his wife, Dori, and her four children; seven grandchildren; and his sons, Paul and Scott Davis.

**DAVIS, Donald R. Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=Donald-R-Davis&pid=174386130>)

Donald R. Davis, Sr., age 88, of Bradenton since 1956, formerly of Chattanooga, Tennessee, died on March 10, 2015. Donald was born 08/10/1926. Services will be Sat., March 14, 2015 at Northwest Baptist Church in Bradenton, FL. Funeral arrangements by Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 43rd Street Chapel. Interred in Section 3, Site 868 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Doris M. Davis**

Doris M. Davis was born 12/18/1931, died 10/28/2015. Interred in Section 7, Site 845 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

Wife of Donald Lee Davis.

**DAVIS, Evelyn Giro Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.brownandsonsfuneral.com/obituary/2428817>)

Evelyn Giro Davis, born 03/03/1928, died 05/16/2010 survived by husband of 64 years, Walter John Davis; daughters, Linda Pernigotti, Peggy Lee Olsson; five grandchildren; three great-grandchildren. Graveside services Wednesday, May 19, 2010 in Section 8, Site 603 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 26th Street Chapel in charge.

**DAVIS, Felix Lee Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=felipe-lee-davis-felix&pid=174856854&fhid=8483>)

Felipe 'Felix' Lee Davis, age 56, of Palmetto, FL, died on May 6, 2015. Felix was born Sept. 30, 1958. Services will be Sat., May 16, 2015 at St. John First Baptist Institutional Church, 1108 29th Street East in Palmetto, FL. Funeral arrangements by Westside Funeral Home, 204 7th Street West, Palmetto, FL. Interred in Section 5, Site 748 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, George Dewey Davis**

George Dewey Davis was born 07/07/1924, died 04/07/2014. Interred in Section C1C-5, Row D, Site 3 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Harley Blaine Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=harley-blaine-davis&pid=153120345&fhid=8477>)

Harley Blaine Davis, age 82, of Sarasota formerly of West Virginia passed away August 11, 2011 from pancreatic cancer. He was born Aug. 7, 1929 Zailia, WV. Stationed in Sarasota with the Air Force during the Korean conflict, he met his bride, Lois of 57 years. Together they raised three children, Michael, Terri and Renee, who gave them five grandchildren. He was a big sports fan and spent several years coaching his son's Little League and Babe Ruth teams. Spending their summers in the mountains of North Carolina and their winters in Sarasota was their way of life after Harley retired from General Mills as an Account Manager for over 30 years. They shared a life full of travel, a close family, and great friends. He had an incredible sense of humor and had the ability to make others laugh no matter the situation. He was a wonderful man, husband and father, leaving behind family and friends with everlasting memories of laughter and love. Only a private family memorial service is scheduled. Interred in Section 6, Site 306 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested any desired donations be made to TideWell Hospice of Sarasota.

**DAVIS, Herman C. Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=herman-davis&pid=134606033>)

Herman C. Davis, age 91, of Venice, born April 13, 1918, formerly of Long Island, NY, died Oct. 8, 2009. Services will be at Colonial Oaks Baptist Church. National Cremation & Burial Society of Sarasota is handling arrangements. Survivors include his companion, Nina Bailey; and a son, Michael of Venice. Interred in Section 12, Site 803 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Humberto Antonio Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=humberto-a-davis&pid=171566806&fhid=9073>)

Humberto Antonio Davis, age 58, of Punta Gorda, FL, formerly of Wichita, KS, died on June 1, 2014. Humberto was born August 5, 1955. Services at Roberson Funeral Home Chapel in Port Charlotte, FL. Interred in Section 5, Site 328 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**NOTE: His tombstone marker says he died on June 24, 2014 while his obituary which was published in Herald Tribune from July 1 & July 2, 2014 says it was June 1, 2014.**

**DAVIS, James Douglas Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/tampabaytimes/obituary.aspx?n=james-douglas-davis&pid=177120784&fhid=4630>)

James Douglas Davis, age 84, of Sun City Center, passed away Jan. 1, 2016. James was born June 23, 1931. He retired from the United States Air Force after 20 years of service with the rank of Technical Sergeant. He was a member of the German Club of Sun City Center and Cape Coral, and a member of the World War II 96 Bomb Group. He was preceded in death by his two sisters, Bettye Blankenship and Mary Jane Pierce and by his brother, Baker Jack Davis, Jr. Survivors include his wife of 59 years, Doris Davis; his daughter, Susan (Jay) Seagren; his son, Douglas James (Debra) Davis; his grandson, Joseph Seagren; his granddaughter, Nicole Seagren; his brother, Harold (Nancy) Davis; his sister, Nancy (William) Earwood, and numerous nieces and nephews. Graveside service with military honors will be Wednesday, Jan. 6 in Section 5, Site 1054 at Sarasota National Cemetery, Sarasota. Arrangements by Sun City Center Funeral Home.

**DAVIS, Jay Rasor Davis**

Jay Rasor Davis was born 03/18/1924, died 10/07/2013. Interred in Section 6, Site 2114 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Jimmie Lee Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=145390725>)

Jimmie Lee Davis, age 57, of St. Petersburg, formerly of Sarasota, died Sept. 9, 2010. Jimmie was born August 21, 1953. Jones Funeral Home is entrusted with the arrangements. Services will be Saturday at The House of God. Burial will be in Section 8, Site 719 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include his wife, Sandra L. Crenshaw of Sarasota; daughters Melinda Evans of New York, Addie, Christina and Krystal, all of Sarasota; sons Jimmie L., Clifton, Jeremiah, Elijah, and DeMarcus, all of Sarasota; brothers Willie and Carl, both of Sarasota, Steve, Kevin, Danny, and Eddie, all of Century and Ben of New Jersey; sisters Elmire, Betty, and Sandra, all of New York, and Gloria of Century.

**DAVIS, John James Davis**

John James Davis was born 11/16/1932, died 06/10/2009. Interred in Section 8, Site 563 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, John Joseph Davis**

John Joseph Davis was born 12/20/1920, died 10/27/2009. Interred in Section 8, Site 40 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Joseph H. Davis Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=joseph-davis-bud&pid=138149274>)

Joseph "Bud" Davis, age 81, of Sarasota since 1979, formerly of New Haven, CT, and Cape Cod, MA, died Dec. 30, 2009. Bud was born May 12, 1928. Services will be Friday at Incarnation Catholic Church with inurnment in Section 13, Site 276 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include his wife of 24 years, Charlotte; sons Joseph of Wyoming and Gregory of Melbourne; a grandson, Gregory; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Ruth Chamberlain Davis, and a brother, Thomas. A veteran of the U.S. Army, Bud was a manufacturer's representative of lighting and furniture lines for many years in New England and Florida. He worked for the past 19 years at Tatum Ridge Golf Pro Shop where he made many wonderful friends who shared his passion for golf. Memorial donations may be made to TideWell Hospice Inc., 5595 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238.

**DAVIS, Justin Joseph Davis Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=justin-joseph-davis-bud&pid=128481234>)

Justin Joseph "Bud" Davis of Sarasota died May 29, 2009. Justin was born Feb. 23, 1922. A graveside service will be June 24 in Section 12, Site 938 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Toale Brothers Funeral Homes is handling arrangements. He was a graduate of Messick High School in Memphis, TN, and Mississippi State University, where he had an athletic scholarship in football and golf and received his degree in civil engineering. In 1943 he joined the Navy and was in the V12 Program at Tulane and Annapolis and the NSD Program at Harvard. He served as a Navy ensign on a minesweeper in the Pacific from 1944 to 1946. He leaves one daughter, Gail Davis Laughlin, and two grandchildren, Erin Laughlin and Will Laughlin, from Memphis; and four stepchildren in Florida, Kim Brothers (Jeff), Kerry Kuntz, William Kuntz (Kathy) and Britt Kuntz. The family requests that memorials be sent to the cat rescue group Cat Depot in Sarasota.

**DAVIS, Lillie Mae Davis**

Lillie Mae Davis was born 09/19/1934, died 11/20/2014. Interred in Section C1C-7, Row B, Site 4 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Charlie Davis.

**DAVIS, Marjorie E. Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=161515836>)

Marjorie E. Davis, age 88, of Sarasota, FL died Dec. 3, 2012. Marjorie was born Feb. 8, 1924 in Brooklyn, New York and worked in The Navy Ship Yard, before she joined the Army at the age of 18. She served in WWII in Germany, as a dental hygienist and a German interpreter. While in the war she met Raymond Davis and married in France. In 1946 she moved to Florida to start a family. One of her many accomplishments was she received her pilots license and loved flying at little Sarasota Airport. Marjorie worked hard her whole life but still helped others. Our mother was a great lady and will be missed dearly, but we celebrate her new life. She said, in her last few months, that she wanted everyone to be happy. She leaves behind a daughter Linda Crosby; a son Roger (Brenda) Davis; a daughter Adrienne (Greg) Bryant; 13 grandchildren, 29 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great-grandchild. She was predeceased by her parents Paul and Minna Hofmeister, immigrants from Germany also, 2 brothers and 3 sisters. Funeral services will be at Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home. Graveside Services will be Wednesday, December 12 in Section 6, Site 1434 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Marlin Jackson Davis**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?n=marlin-jackson-davis&pid=152253308>)

Marlin Jackson Davis was born on October 25, 1934 in Cottonwood, AL to Wilsie Marlin Davis and Mary Julia Shirey Davis. A [Korean War](#) Veteran, he served in both the [US Navy](#) and the [US Army](#) for 21 years, retiring as a Sergeant First Class. A Florida resident for most of his life, he settled in Lee County, FL in 1976. He is survived by his wife of 50 years Jean Davis, sons John (Debbie) and Anthony Davis, daughter Rita Effing (Greg), and three grandchildren, Katherine Wilhelm, Riley Davis, and Cooper Effing. He is also survived by his sister, Elizabeth Passmore Angus along with several nieces and nephews, and was preceded in death by his brothers Glenn Davis, Robert Davis, and James Davis. A service will be at Harvey-Engelhardt Funeral Home, 1600 Colonial Blvd, Fort Myers. Marlin will be laid to rest with honors in Section 8, Site 844 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Hope Hospice in memory of Marlin.

**DAVIS, Melvin Davis**

Melvin Davis was born 06/27/1928, died 07/18/2010. Interred in Section 13, Site 812 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Mickey Joe Davis**

Mickey Joe Davis was born 06/25/1932, died 09/02/2012. Interred in Section 6, Site 1263 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Preston Augustus Davis Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=164304838>)

Preston Augustus Davis, Jr., age 63, of Bradenton, FL, formerly of Morristown, NJ, passed on Apr. 15, 2013. Services will be at Woodland Community Church at 9607 State Road 70, Bradenton, FL, 34202. Funeral arrangements by Toale Brothers Funeral Home. Preston was born Jul. 28, 1949. Burial on Monday, April, 22, 2013 in Section 7, Site 802 at Sarasota National Cemetery, 9810 State Highway 72, Sarasota, FL, 34241. Survived by his loving wife, Michelle; two daughters, Monique-Lewis and Ashley Davis; son, Preston Davis, III; by his father, Preston A. Sr.; three sisters, Gwen Dyess, Karen-Heggs and June Thornton and three grandchildren, Asia, Jasmin and Timothy, Jr. Preceded in death by his mother, Helen Davis. In lieu of flowers please send contributions to Center for Building Hope, 5481 Communications Parkway, Sarasota, FL, 34240.

**DAVIS, Raeola G. Davis**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/raeola-davis-obituary?pid=178686594>)

Raeola G. Davis, age 86, of Port Charlotte passed away Friday, September 30, 2011. She was the daughter of Norman and Florence (Garber) Brant, born on March 9, 1925 in Goshen, IN. Raeola was an Environmental Tech for Fawcett Hospital before retiring. She and her husband, Chester were members of Good Sam's RV Club and the Hi-Lo Club and enjoyed traveling across the United States. Raeola attended First Baptist Church of Port Charlotte and will be remembered as a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and friend. She will be greatly missed by her daughter, Pamela Foley of Arcadia; son, Ronald (Joan) Davis of Port Charlotte; sister, Sharon Hunt of Port Charlotte; 8 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, 2 great-great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews. Raeola was preceded in death by her parents, husband of 63 years, Chester Arthur Davis, Jr and sister, Ardu Mansfield. Larry Taylor Funeral and Cremation Services is entrusted with the arrangements. Burial to follow in Section 8, Site 358 at Sarasota National VA Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Richard Dennis Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=richard-dennis-davis&pid=167011449&fhid=18688>)

Richard Dennis Davis, age 76, of Port Charlotte, died on Sep. 13, 2013. Richard was born July 13, 1937. Funeral arrangements by Kays-Ponger Uselton Funeral Home and Cremation Services Port Charlotte Chapel. Interred in Section 6, Site 2009 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Richard Valentine Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.farleyfuneralhome.com/obituary/richard-valentine-davis/>)

Richard Valentine Davis, Jr., age 78, on November 18, 2009, in Venice, FL, formerly of New York City and Rockland County, NY, as well as Ft. Lauderdale, FL, succumbed to complications from Multiple Myeloma. Dick was born March 20, 1931 and served in the Marine Corps and later was a financial executive at New York Life and ITT. In retirement, he was elected Commandant of the Marine Corps League Intracoastal Detachment 1058 in Fort Lauderdale, where he was also on the Board of Governors of the Coral Ridge Yacht Club and volunteered at The Freedoms Foundation of Valley Forge. He is survived by his wife Anna, children Adriana and Richard, son-in-law Andy, daughter-in-law Nuala, grandchildren Kerri and Richie, siblings Robert, Jack and Loretta and brother-in-law Bob. Funeral services will be a high mass at Our Lady of Lourdes in Venice on Monday November 23rd. Burial will be a military ceremony with full honors in Section 8, Site 462 at Sarasota National Memorial Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to TideWell Hospice of North Port at 800-959-4291. Farley Funeral Home in Venice is handling the arrangements.

**DAVIS, Robert Eugene Davis**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=115510913>)

Robert Eugene Davis of Fort Myers, Florida passed away on Sunday Aug. 10, 2008. Robert was born Nov. 4, 1922 in Keytesville, MO and proudly served in the U.S. Navy during WW II, He graduated from Bradley University in Peoria, IL. Robert was a member of the Araba Shrine Temple and was past commander and chaplain of the Legion of Honor Guard. He is survived by his wife, Joanne Davis of Fort Myers, a daughter T. Gay Little of St. Charles, MO, son Marc Davis of Sebring, FL and two grandsons Brian Carlstrom of Florissant, MO and Adam Carlstrom of O'Fallon, MO. A memorial service will be held on August 19th, at the Araba Shrine, 2010 Hanson Street, Fort Myers. In lieu of flowers, friends wishing to honor Robert's memory are asked to

forward memorial gifts to the Transportation Fund, Araba Shrine Club, 2010 Hanson St., Ft. Myers, FL 33901. Arrangements by Harvey-Engelhardt-Metz Funeral Homes. Interred in Section 12, Site 137 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Robert William Davis**

Robert William Davis was born 08/31/1931, died 08/24/2011. Interred in Section 7, Site 109 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Roy A. Davis**

(Abstracted from <https://www.griffithcline.com/notices/Roy-Davis>)

Dr. Roy Allen Davis, age 91, passed peacefully into the arms of his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, whom he so faithfully loved and served, on Sunday, Aug. 31, 2014. He was born March 4, 1923 and is survived by his 5 children, Martha Dezwaan, Roy (Amy) Davis, Bonnie (Mark) Hornby, Nancy Ann (Mark) Hall, and Mary (Jack) Klunder, 17 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Jane (Reus) Davis and his second wife, Vivian (Smith) Davis. Roy served as a Navy Captain in World War II. He then served as a medical missionary to Nigeria. He practiced medicine for over 30 years in a private family practice, Ferris State College, and Kent Community Hospital in Grand Rapids. After he retired he served as a short term missionary to Niger and Nepal. He volunteered at the Bradenton Salvation Army for many years. In lieu of flowers, donations can be sent to TEAM Mission [PO Box 969 Wheaton, IL](#) and Highlands ARP Church [PO Box 847 Grayson, GA](#). Interred in Section 5, Site 404 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Virginia Viola Davis**

Virginia Viola Davis was born 01/05/1914, died 12/30/2000. Interred in Section 13, Site 828 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Clarence E. Davis.

**DAVIS, Warren Earnest Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=174955092>)

Warren Earnest Davis, age 79, of Sarasota, FL, died on May 22, 2015. Warren was born March 3, 1936. Services will be Sat., May 30, 2015 at Harvest Tabernacle in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by Jones Funeral Home. He leaves a wife of 59 years, Ruthe C. Davis of Sarasota; children, Lynnetta Davis-DeJerinett, Warren E. Davis, Jr., Pamela Davis-Cokley and Juan Davis; sister, Alfreida L. Davis of Sarasota; nine grandchildren; four great grandchildren and 2 great-great grandchildren. He was a veteran of the [U.S. Navy](#) and Past Worship Master of Sarasota Lodge 314. Interred in Section 5, Site 773 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Wayne Lewis Davis**

Wayne Lewis Davis was born 01/04/1938, died 10/05/2008. Interred in Section 12, Site 489 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, William Eugene Davis**

William Eugene Davis was born 08/05/1932, died 10/11/2011. Interred in Section 6, Site 422 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAVIS, Wyman D. Davis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/national-cremation/obituary.aspx?n=Wyman-Davis&lc=2784&pid=151245170&mid=4680515>)

Wyman Davis, age 90, of Venice FL, formerly of Adrian, MI, died May 19, 2011. Wyman was born Sept. 22, 1920 and served in the Navy from 1942-1946 in the South Pacific Theater. He will be interred in Section C1C-2, Row A, Site 22 in the Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. Wyman and his twin brother played baseball and football at Michigan State University from 1938-1941. Both became veterinarians in southeast Michigan. Survivors include his wife Harriet of Venice; son Tom Davis of Lansing, MI; daughter Debbie Gippert and her husband Michael of Venice; and grandchildren Lance Davis of Lansing, MI, and Kara Davis of Dallas, TX. Memorial donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, PO Box 1000, Dept. 142, Memphis, TN 38148. Arrangements under the direction of National Cremation & Burial Society, Sarasota, FL.

**DAVISSON, Jack Edward Davisson**

Jack Edward Davisson was born 09/30/1925, died 03/23/1996. Interred in Section 6, Site 150 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAWSON, David Edward Dawson**

David Edward Dawson was born 04/17/1942, died 04/30/2014. Interred in Section C1C-5, Row A, Site 16 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAWSON, James R. Dawson**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=141485168>)

James Radcliff Dawson, age 87, of Sarasota, formerly of Ravenna, Ohio, died March 31, 2010. James was born Nov. 3, 1922. Services are by National Cremation and Burial Society, Sarasota. Inurnment will be in Section C1C-7, Row D, Site 42 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include his loving wife of 59 years, Zlata (Goldie). He was preceded in death by his daughter, Julie Ann in 1996. Memorials may be made to TideWell Inc., or to the D.A.V.

**DAY, Clifford E. Day**

Clifford E. Day was born 08/08/1926, died 07/02/2014. Interred in Section 3, Site 272 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAY, Danny Eskell Day**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/theledger/obituary.aspx?n=Danny-E-Day&pid=153393923>)

HAINES CITY - Danny Eskell Day, age 64, died 8/30/11 from heart failure. Danny was born 11/27/1946. Memorial service Sat. 9/3 at Eastside Baptist Church, Haines City. Arrangements by Oak Ridge F.C., Haines City. Interred in Section 6, Site 703 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAY, Dennis Keith Day Sr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/theledger/obituary.aspx?n=dennis-k-day&pid=171839954>)

WINTER HAVEN - Dennis Keith Day, Sr., age 68, passed away from heart failure 7/21/14. He was born 3/1/1946 and is preceded in death by his wife Phyllis Day. He is survived by his sons Michael Day of Lake Alfred, FL, (wife, Angel Day), John Vona of Winter Haven, FL, and Dennis Day, Jr. of California; along with 11 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. A military service will be held in Section C1C-6, Row D, Site 2 at Sarasota National Cemetery, Monday, 8/11/14.

**DAY, George Norman Day**

George Norman Day was born 12/30/1922, died 12/25/2009. Interred in Section C1C-3, Row B, Site 39 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAY, Phyllis Day**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/theledger/obituary.aspx?n=phyllis-day&pid=156727826>)

WINTER HAVEN - Phyllis Day, age 64, died of cancer on Monday (March 12, 2012) at Lakeland Regional Medical Center. She was born in New York City, NY, on September 7, 1947, to Michael and Victoria Zafrano. She was a longtime resident of Long Island, NY, before moving to Florida in 1984. Phyllis is preceded in death by her mother and father. She is survived by her husband of 47 years, Dennis Keith Day, Sr.; along with her 3 sons: Dennis Day, Jr., Michael Day (wife, Angel), and John Vona, all of Winter Haven; 12 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; 2 sisters: Sandra Edwards of Rhode Island and Francine Coleman of New Jersey; 2 nieces: Brenda Edwards Haynes of Plant City, and Theresa Edwards McFadden of Fort Lauderdale; and 1 nephew: Michael Coleman of New Jersey. Phyllis was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and friend; and she loved to play Bingo. Interred in Section C1C-6, Row D, Site 2 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DAY, Virginia P. Day**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=169007885>)

Virginia P. Day, age 86, Fort Myers, was born 11-11-1927 and died 1-8-2014. Arrangements by Anderson-Patterson Cremation and Funeral Services. Interred in Section C1C-3, Row B, Site 39 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of George Norman Day

**DAY, William Paul Day**

(Abstracted from <https://www.inglewoodfh.com/obituaries/William-Day-8/#/Obituary>)

William Paul Day, age 66, succumbed to his illness and passed away 12/7/2014 at Tidewell Hospice, Port Charlotte, FL. Bill, as he was fondly known, was born to the late Clayton and Doris Day, 6/12/1948, at the 98th General Army Hospital in Munich, Germany. Bill graduated from Forest Hills HS, West Palm Beach, FL, obtained his BA from Saint Leo College, Saint Leo, FL, and his MA in Administration from Central Michigan University, Mount Pleasant, MI. Bill was a Captain in the U.S. Air Force (ret.) and a decorated Vietnam Veteran. He was a computer programmer who also loved physical exercise. In his younger years he was a triathlete who did several century bike rides. Even late into his life, Bill rode his bike upwards of 20 miles a day. He will be remembered as healthy, active, and strong by his friends and family. Bill was an outgoing, fun-loving person who was often the life and center of the party. He could tell a joke or a funny story like no one else. Bill retired early and spent several years traveling the globe on many a cruise. He enjoyed his life to the fullest. Bill is survived by and will be greatly missed by his wife,

Mary, his children, Adrienne and James, and his siblings, Judith, Joseph, and Bonnie. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made in Bill's honor to the military or Veteran's organization of your choice. Bill will be laid to rest in Section 3, Site 657 at the Sarasota National VA Cemetery on Friday, January 9, 2015. Englewood Community Funeral Home with Private Crematory has been selected to handle arrangements.

**DEBOER, Donald F. DeBoer**

Donald F. DeBoer was born 11/27/1926, died 04/17/2011. Interred in Section 13, Site 1315 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE BOER, Raymond Gene DeBoer**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/dailyrecord/obituary.aspx?n=raymond-g-deboer&pid=174088067&fhid=8481>)

Raymond Gene DeBoer, age 68, of Bradenton, FL, formerly of Rockaway, NJ, died on Feb. 5, 2015. Burial in Section 3, Site 696 at Sarasota National Cemetery, Sarasota with military honors. Funeral arrangements by Toale Brothers Funeral Homes.

Raymond was born Nov. 19, 1946 and is survived by his wife, Terry his brother, Ronald (Helen), nephew, Jason and niece, Jeneen. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the MD Anderson Cancer Center, in honor of Raymond G. DeBoer, P.O. Box 4486, Houston, TX 7720-4486 or the Harvest United Methodist Church, Bradenton.

**DE FILIPPI, Vincenzo James De Filippi**

Vincenzo James De Filippi was born 05/20/1925, died 09/27/2013. Interred in Section 6, Site 2208 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEFILIPPO, Alphonso DeFilippo**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=155416426>)

Alphonso DeFilippo, age 87, of Englewood died Jan. 9, 2012. Lemon Bay Funeral Home is entrusted with the arrangements. A Mass of Christian burial will be at St. Raphael's Catholic Church with burial to follow in Section 7, Site 237 at Sarasota National Cemetery with Military Honors. Alphonso was born May 14, 1924. Survivors include his wife, Gretchen; daughters, Debra Amato of Ramsey, NJ, Donna Kendall of Belchertown, MA, Denise Brady of Dover, TN; a son, David of Milton, MA; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

**DE HAAS, Ingeborg Katharina De Haas**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/tampabaytimes/obituary.aspx?n=ingeborg-katharina-de-haas&pid=163799706>)

Ingeborg Katharina de Haas, age 78, of Tarpon Springs, passed away March 18, 2013 due to complications of heart disease. She was born November 10, 1934 and is survived by her husband of 60 years, Gerrit Lieuwe de Haas of Tarpon Springs; son and daughter-in-law, Herbert and Jennifer de Haas of Littleton, CO; daughter and son-in-law Sylvia de Haas-Phillips and Richard Phillips of West Hartford, CT; and son and daughter-in-law, Christopher and Debra de Haas of Palm Harbor. She is also survived by her sister, Helga Self of Columbia, SC; nine grandchildren, Andrea, Nicholas, Monica, Alexander, Mareika, Gerrit, Larisa, Caleb and Jadynd and one great-grandchild, Aliyah, whom she adored. Inge will be remembered as an extremely supportive and devoted wife and mother, a loyal, caring and dependable friend, and as a resilient person who took on each challenge with determination and courage. A private memorial service will be held Tuesday, March 26, 2013. Interred in Section 3, Site 53 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE JONGE, Charles Pierre deJonge**

Charles Pierre deJonge was born 06/14/1925, died 07/18/2007. Interred in Section 6, Site 2137 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE JONGE, Hedwig Maria deJonge**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ashevillemortuaryservices.com/notices/Hedwig-deJonge/services>)

Pisgah Forest - Hedwig Maria "Hedi" deJonge, 75, of Pisgah Forest, NC passed away peacefully on Saturday, June 8, 2013 at Transylvania Regional Hospital. A native of Trier, Germany, she was born April 17, 1938 a daughter of the late Albert and Anna Maria Brand. She had called Transylvania County home for the last 12 years, and was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Brevard, NC. In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by her husband, Charles Pierre deJonge. Surviving are her children, Marcus Pierre deJonge and his wife, Christiane, Earl Chalmer deJonge all of Bradenton, FL, and Annette Maria Travis and her husband, Brian, of Pisgah Forest, NC; siblings, Arnold Brand and his wife, Pauline, of Biersdorf, Germany, Maria Rinken of Altrichimbunert, Germany, and Cilly Kloos and Matti of Trier, Germany, and three wonderful grandchildren, Joshua, Bradli, and Stephany, and nieces and nephews in Germany all of whom adored her and whom she loved and



enjoyed greatly. A memorial service will be held at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Interred in Section 6, Site 2137, of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE KOVEN, Anthony L. De Koven**

Anthony L. De Koven was born 07/28/1937, died 06/07/2014. Interred in Section 5, Site 300 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE LUCA, Elaine Mary DeLuca**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=155768816>)

Elaine Mary DeLuca, age 71, of Port Charlotte died Jan. 26, 2012. Elaine was born Dec. 8, 1940. Arrangements handled by Kays-Ponger & Uselton Funeral Home and Cremation Services. Interred in Section 12, Site 777 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of Gaetana Anthony DeLuca.

**DE LUCA, Gaetana Anthony De Luca**

Gaetana Anthony De Luca was born 07/02/1939, died 10/23/2006. Interred in Section 12, Site 777 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE MARTINI, Edward John De Martini**

Edward John De Martini was born 5/30/1932, died 4/10/2004. Interred in Section C1C-4, Row B, Site 29 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE Martini, Patricia Morgan De Martini**

Patricia Morgan De Martini was born 02/10/1934, died 07/18/2006. Interred in Section C1C-4, Row B, Site 29 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of Edward John De Martini.

**DE MILIA, Margaret De Milia**

Margaret De Milia was born 05/08/1921, died 02/10/2015. Interred in Section 6, Site 868 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Pasquale De Milia.

**DE MILIA, Pasquale De Milia**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=86265372>)

Pasquale "Pat" De Milia, age 88, Bradenton, died March 7, 2004. He was born April 15, 1915, in Cambridge, MA, and came to Manatee County in 1988 from Barre, MA. He was a lifetime member of the American Legion and a member of the Elks. He was an Army veteran of World War II. He was a Catholic. Survivors include his wife of 63 years, Margaret; a daughter, Marie Backhoff of Bradenton; a son, Jim of Omaha, NE; a sister, Jenny Di Gregario of Cambridge; brothers Mike of Mineola, TX, and Anthony of Rockport, MA; seven grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren. No visitation is scheduled. A memorial gathering will be at Trailer Estates Small Hall, Bradenton. Brown and Sons Funeral Home, 26th Street Chapel, is in charge. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Southwest Florida, 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238. Interred in Section 6, Site 868 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE POL, Richard Allen De Pol**

Richard Allen De Pol was born 04/28/1936, died 08/14/2015. Interred in Section C1C-9, Row D, Site 2 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE PRIEST, Clyde Eugene DePriest**

(Abstracted from <https://www.gendronfuneralhome.com/obituaries/Clyde-DePriest/#!/Obituary>)

Clyde Eugene DePriest, age 82, of North Fort Myers, FL passed away on Monday, April 20, 2015. He was born in Manassa, CO on Sept. 1, 1932 the son of William and Anna (Slonkier) DePriest. He served our country in the U.S. Navy and specialized in construction and roofing during his working years. He is survived by his companion, Marie Wimberly; children: Carol Chason of N. Ft. Myers; Clyde (Lisa) DePriest of Buckingham; Charles (Karen) DePriest of Colorado; Connie (Donald) Brooks of N. Ft. Myers; Carlton DePriest of Punta Gorda, FL; Candith (Bobby) Rogers of N. Ft. Myers and Tina (Matt) Lindsay of N. Ft. Myers; grandchildren: Michelle (Karl) Gregory, Robert DePriest, Constance (Mathew) Kincade, Orie (Devan) Brooks, Charley DePriest, Kyle DePriest, Cain DePriest, Carlton (Brandy) DePriest II, Ashton (Bubba) Crawford, Creighton DePriest, Anna Brooks, Donald Brooks, Cannon DePriest, Elizabeth Rogers, Nicole Rogers, Timothy Chason, Jaden Chason, Thomas (Debbie) Chason, Michael (Angel) Chason, and Cara DePriest; great grandchildren: Tiana Gregory, Briana Hines, Daniel Stafford, Novaley DePriest, Colt Crawford, Emma Crawford, Clayton Brooks, Patrick Kincade, Olivia Sanchez, Sonny Chason, Chasity Meckenstrum, Justin Pearce, James Greary, Ellie Sanchez and Ryan Sanchez; great-great grandchild, Ridley Schmidt; many other extended family members.

He will be truly missed! He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Edgar and Donald S. DePriest and son-in-law, Charles Chason. Funeral services will be Monday, April 27, 2015 at the Fort Myers Latter Day Saints Stake Center, 3105 Broadway, Fort Myers, FL. Burial will follow with military honors in Section 5, Site 723 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE RAUD, Donald Walter DeRaud**

(Abstracted from <https://www.horizonfunerals.com/obituaries/Donald-DeRaud-45621/#!/Obituary>)

Donald Walter DeRaud, age 81, of Fort Myers, Florida was born September 22, 1931. He passed away on November 28, 2012 at Hope Hospice in Fort Myers. Interred in Section C1C-5, Row C, Site 18 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE ROSE, Edward Carroll DeRose**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=125500257>)

Edward Carroll DeRose, age 82, Sarasota, formerly of New York, died March 25, 2009. Services will be at Jennings Funeral Home in Sarasota. Edward was born March 26, 1926 and his survivors include wife Gloria of Sarasota; daughters Carol Greco of Tampa, Lori O'Neill of Maine, Eva Reilly of New York, Donna Hagedorn, and Laurie Welch, Linda Carbone and Gerie Tartaglia, all of New York; 14 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. Edward was a medic in the U.S. Navy. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Doctors Hospital Auxiliary. Interred in Section 3, Site 152 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE ROSEAU, Russell J. De Roseau**

Russell J. De Roseau was born 03/19/1917, died 12/07/2002. Interred in Section 6, Site 609 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE VELEZ, Angelina A. De Velez**

Angelina A. De Velez was born 08/13/1929, died 06/03/2013. Interred in Section 6, Site 1827 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Marcel De Velez Jr.

**DE VELEZ, Marcel De Velez Jr.**

Marcel De Velez Jr. was born 12/07/1926, died 09/19/2014. Interred in Section 6, Site 1827 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE VOLDER, Martha G. De Volder**

Martha G. De Volder was born 02/01/1922, died 02/19/2014. Interred in Section C1C-4, Row D, Site 47 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Maurice Julius De Volder.

**DE VOLDER, Maurice J. De Volder**

Maurice J. De Volder was born 03/28/1922, died 05/16/2015. Interred in Section C1C-4, Row D, Site 47 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DE WITT, Emma J. De Witt**

Emma J. De Witt was born 10/12/1942, died 11/09/2015. Interred in Section C1C-9, Row D, Site 34 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of William Pershing De Witt.

**DEAN, John Paul Dean Jr.**

John Paul Dean Jr. was born 09/11/1933, died 10/26/2014. Interred in Section 3, Site 459 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEAN, Mell Vernon Dean**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=135825567>)

Mell Vernon Dean passed away on Wednesday, Oct 21, 2009 in Sebring, FL. He was born May 12, 1927 and was the loving father of Carol Mauldin (Don), Keith Dean (Stephanie), and Gary Dean. Mr. Dean was retired from the Seabees and a veteran of WWII, the Korean Conflict, and two tours of Vietnam. His last duty was to serve under Henry Kissinger for the Department of State. Services will be held in Section 13, Site 6 at the Sarasota National Cemetery, Friday, Nov 13, 2009. In lieu of flowers the family asked that donations be made to the Shriners Hospital in Tampa.

**DEARY, Gary Earl Deary**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=151563986>)

Gary Earl Deary, age 62, of Sarasota, born October 6, 1948, formerly of Grosse Pointe Park, MI died May 29, 2011. Services will consist of a military ceremony in Section 6, Site 123 at Sarasota National Cemetery, June 6 followed by a Celebration of Life at the Irish Rover Pub, 6518 Gateway Ave. Survivors include his wife, Debbie Keeton; mother, Sylvia; sister, Deborah

(Tony) Reese; sister-in-law, Linda (Wayne) Wilson; brother-in-law Michael (Cheri) Keeton; two step-daughters; two nieces and three nephews. Gary served his country as an Air Force musician for four years and continued his musical career at local clubs and restaurants on the Gulf Coast. He was probably THE most naturally talented musician and he polished all that with an incredible sense of humor and graciousness that affected everyone around him. He will never, ever be forgotten.

**DEBENEDETTO, Michael A. Debenedetto**

Michael A. Debenedetto was born 03/27/1930, died 01/05/2011. Interred in Section 8, Site 822 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEBENEDETTO, Ruth E. Debenedetto**

Ruth E. Debenedetto was born 02/26/1932, died 12/22/2014. Interred in Section 8, Site 822 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of Michael A Debenedetto.

**DEBITETTO, Rita Ann Debitetto**

(Abstracted from <http://www.farleyfuneralhome.com/obituary/rita-ann-debitetto/>)

Rita Ann "DiGeronimo" Debitetto, age 84, of Venice, FL and former resident of Winchester, MA, Leominster, MA and Sarasota, FL passed away on March 13, 2012. She was born to James V. & Carmella M. DiGeronimo on January 1, 1928 in Fitchburg, MA. She graduated from Leominster High School in 1945 and then attended Larson Junior College. Rita and her husband, Michael F. Debitetto were co-owners of Debitetto Insurance Agency. She was a member of the Winchester Boat Club, Oak Hill Country Club, Orchard Hills Tennis Club, Bent Tree Country Club in Sarasota where she had two hole in ones, and Prestancia C.C. Rita also enjoyed Bocce, Bridge and playing cards. She is survived by her devoted husband of 60 years, Michael; loving children, daughter, Diane Debitetto of Orleans, MA; and son, Michael (Cheryl) Debitetto of Venice; a beloved sister, Dorothy A. (DiGeronimo) and her husband Ronald J. St. Laurent of Venice, a sister-in-law Gloria DiGeronimo wife of Arthur, and a brother James DiGeronimo Jr. both of Leominster, MA; 4 adoring grandchildren, Max J. (Sable) Weisman, Nathan Debitetto all of Sarasota and Jake V. Debitetto of Fitchburg, MA; numerous nieces, nephews and cousins. Rita was preceded in death by her brothers, Michael J. DiGeronimo and Arthur P. DiGeronimo. Interred in Section C1C-2, Row A, Site 15 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEBRUYNE, Scott Dennis Debruyne**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=scott-dennis-debruyne&pid=152799921>)  
Scott Dennis Debruyne, age 62, of Sarasota, formerly of Phoenixville, Pa. died July 24, 2011. Scott was born on June 16, 1949. Services will be at Faith Baptist Church in Sarasota. Interred in Section 7, Site 60 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DECHAMBRE, Joseph Peter De Chambre**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=86273092>)

Joseph Peter De Chambre, age 80, Holmes Beach and formerly of Sarasota, died April 15, 2003. He was born March 22, 1923, in Chicago, lived in Sarasota for 13 years and moved to Holmes Beach in 1972. He owned Gateway Marina. He was a member of American Legion Kirby Stewart Post No. 24. He was an Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of St. Bernard's Catholic Church, Holmes Beach. Survivors include his wife, Dorothy L.; a daughter, Yvonne M. Markiewicz of Bradenton; and two grandchildren. Memorial services will be Monday at St. Bernard's Catholic Church. The Good Earth Crematory, Bradenton, is in charge. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Southwest Florida, 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238. Interred in Section 13, Site 938 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DECKER, Chester Russell Decker**

Chester Russell Decker was born 04/16/1920, died 04/09/1993. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row A, Site 33 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DECKER, Dorothy Alma Decker**

Dorothy Alma Decker was born 05/10/1920, died 07/27/2012. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row A, Site 33 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Chester Russell Decker.

**DECKER, Jacqueline Marie Decker**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=jacqueline-marie-decker&pid=138489514&fhid=5832>)

Jacqueline Marie Decker, age 56, of Bradenton, formerly of Fort Myers, died Jan. 8, 2010. Services to be at Woodland Community Church, 9607 State Road 70 East, Bradenton. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes and Crematory, 43rd Street Chapel, is in charge of arrangements. Interment in Section 8, Site 160 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Jacqueline was born Aug. 1, 1953

and her survivors include her husband of 40 years, James Michael Decker of Bradenton; sons Allen and Jonathan of Bradenton; a daughter, Michelle Jackson of Plano, TX; father, Robert Hager of Victoria, TX; mother, Natalie Pace of Fort Myers; a brother, Gary Hager of Fort Myers; twin sister, Barbara McCrary of Lexington, NC; twin sisters Karen and Karla of Fort Myers; grandmother, Minnie Hager of Bradenton; six grandchildren; a daughter-in-law, Jodee Decker; and a brother-in-law, Michael McCrary. She is predeceased by a brother, Robert Hager Jr. Memorial donations may be made to the [American Cancer Society](#), 600 U.S. 301 Blvd. West, #136, Bradenton, FL 34205.

#### **DECKER, Millard Gale Decker**

(Abstracted from <https://suncitycenterfuneralhome.com/tribute/details/92783/Millard-Decker/obituary.html>)

Millard Gale Decker, age 86, of Sun City Center, FL, passed away June 17, 2014. He was born May 24, 1928 and served in the U. S. Coast Guard. He was a member of Shadow Hills Golf Club and since the age of 21, he was a member of the Order of the Elks Lodge # 611 in Florence, CO. Locally, he was a member of the American Legion Post # 246 in Sun City Center. He was a self-employed business man, who owned Fremont Lanes, and later became commissioner of Fremont County in Colorado. Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Josephine, a son, Ronald G. Decker, a daughter, Sherri Chapman, five grandchildren, Adam Decker, Angie Moniz, Kelli Vanta, Michael Wilson and Christa Chapman, three great grandchildren and a sister, Georgia (Bob) Young. Funeral service will be Sunday, June 22, 2014 at Sun City Center Funeral Home, 1851 Rickenbacker Drive, Sun City Center, FL. Interment in Section C1C-5, Row B, Site 32 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DECKER, Richard Donald Decker**

Richard Donald Decker was born 06/07/1934, died 09/21/2015. Interred in Section 3, Site 1265 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DECKER, Willard Eugene Decker**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/willard-decker-obituary?pid=168750382>)

Willard Eugene Decker, age 80, Cape Coral, born 08/12/1934, died 12/26/2013. Arrangements: Fuller Metz Cremation and Funeral Services. Interred in Section 5, Site 78 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DECLERICO, Patrick William DeClerico**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=155145996>)

Patrick William "Bill" DeClerico, of Punta Gorda, formerly of Sarasota and Venice died Dec. 17, 2011. Bill was born Dec. 19, 1947; grew up in Sarasota and graduated from Cardinal Mooney in 1966. He served "Boots on Ground" in Vietnam 67 - 68 for the U.S. Army's 101st Airborne, Company B, 2/504th Infantry. After 30 years of service in the Suncoast area car industry, Bill retired as a general manager in 2007. He was an active board member of the local Vietnam Veterans Association. Bill truly loved spending time with his family. His other passions included his flight simulator, and beloved bulldog, Preston. Bill will forever be remembered by his loving wife and best friend Penny; daughter, Jennifer Robertson (Robby); son, Adam DeClerico (Jamie); grandsons, Dylan and Brady Robertson; sister, Pam DeClerico; and niece, Alison Day. A graveside service honoring Bill will be held on Friday, Dec. 23rd 2011, in Section 12, Site 34 at the Sarasota National Cemetery (located at 9810 State Road 72 Sarasota, FL 34241-9574 - 4 miles east of I-75 on Clark Road, exit 205). A gathering of family and friends to celebrate and remember the life of Bill DeClerico will be held afterwards at the Bird Bay Clubhouse, 602 Bird Bay Drive West, Venice FL 34285. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you make a donation to the Vietnam Veterans Association (VVA), PO Box 381283, Murdock, FL 33938.

#### **DEE, Douglas Stewart Dee**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=douglas-stewart-dee&pid=135997364>)

Douglas Stewart Dee, age 82, of Sarasota, formerly of Philadelphia, died Nov. 9, 2009. Douglas was born August 24, 1927. Services will be private in Section 13, Site 40 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. Hawkins Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Survivors include sisters Dorothy Ann Melton of Sarasota and Dolores Manson of Bradenton.

#### **DEE, John Joseph Dee**

(Abstracted from <http://www.farleyfuneralhome.com/obituary/john-joseph-dee/>)

John Joseph Dee, son of John & Mary was born on November 16, 1942 in Flushing Queens and died peacefully November 16th 2015 surrounded by his loving family. Proud Veteran of the United States Navy, retired Detective NYPD, retired Dean of Students St. John the Baptist H.S. He was a man among men, a gentleman, and a gentle man. He lived a life of service that touched more lives than there are stars in the sky and was devoted to his family, his friends, and his faith. He is now at peace, reunited in Heaven with his daughter, Kerryanne Patricia. He is survived by his loving wife of 51 years Arlene, daughter Catherine (Chris), sons John (Kelley), Terence (Janine), Daniel (Jill) & Jimmy (Susan), & his adoring sister, Diane Baker (Frank). He is the greatest Pop-Pop ever to Kayla, Sean, Erin, Tristan, Kristin, Christopher, James, Josephine, T.J., Brody, and many

nieces, nephews and relatives. He was loved and will be missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing him. As per his wishes there was no wake, or funeral services. He was buried with full military honors in Section 5, Site 994 during a ceremony administered at Sarasota National Cemetery. A memorial service will be held in John's memory in New York. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in his John's name to: The Church of the Resurrection, 50 Granny Rd. Farmingville, NY 11738 & Tidewell Hospice, 5955 Rand Blvd. Sarasota FL 34238 Attn: Philanthropy. Farley Funeral Home in Venice is handling the arrangements.

**DEELEY, Edward James Deeley**

Edward James Deeley was born 08/09/1924, died 06/14/2014. Interred in Section 3, Site 217 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEEMER, Thomas Arthur Deemer**

(Abstracted from <http://www.stephensonnelsonfh.com/obituary/4843507>)

Thomas Arthur Deemer, age 84, of Miami, died Thursday, January 30, 2014, in Sebring, FL and "He's a captain in God's army now." He was born to the late Estelle and Benjamin Deemer on October 23, 1929, in Miami, FL. Tom was 16 years old in 1945 when he enlisted in the Marines. Discharged in 1946 after 10 months of service he returned to his home town of Miami, remained in the Navy reserves, finished high school and started studies at the University of Miami, where he was a nose guard on the varsity football team. In 1950 he was recalled to active duty service re-assigned to the Army, entering as a private. Within three months, he was promoted to corporal and months after that promoted to sergeant. Then he was selected for Officer Candidates School. Training at Fort Benning, he became Ranger qualified and attended leadership school. Assigned to the 82nd Airborne, he was shipped to Korea in 1951 as a second lieutenant, and then promoted to first lieutenant, becoming a captain and company commander. Returning to Miami in 1953, Tom joined the National Guard. Called up once more for active duty service in 1957, again "at the convenience of the government," he was sent to Fort Benning to train troops. That was not the end of Tom Deemer's contributions to his fellow soldiers. He became a minister after leaving the service. Settling in Highlands County at Buttonwood Bay Tom founded the church in that community. He also became the chaplain for the Vietnam Veterans of the Heartland and American Legion Post 74. Tom is survived by his siblings Nancy Libby and Sandra Deemer along with his three children: Patricia Evans, Pamela Faulkner and John Deemer. Also he is in God's hands with his first born son Thomas Arthur Deemer, Jr. who passed away on January 12, 1978. He was lovingly referred to as Papa Bear to his grandchildren; Meagan, Mitchell, Chris, Camden, Brendan and Deana. There will be a Military graveside service on Friday, February 7, 2014 in Section 5, Site 139 at Florida National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. In lieu flowers memorial donations should be made to Wounded Warriors Project, P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, KS 66675. Arrangements entrusted to: Stephenson-Nelson Funeral Home

**DEFINE, John Alan Define**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/alan-define-obituary?pid=178624444>)

John "Alan" Define, age 78, of Port Charlotte, FL passed away on Friday, June 17, 2011 peacefully at home with family present . He was born June 10, 1933 in Baltimore, MD to Gerald and Ruth (nee Ford) Define. Alan served in the US Navy during the Korean Conflict. He retired from Wilb Walker Supermarket as a Store Manager and moved to Port Charlotte from Mattoon, IL in 2001. Alan was a member of San Antonio Catholic Church and was an avid St. Louis Cardinals fan. Alan will be greatly missed by wife of 56 years, Janet; daughters, Kathy (Jeff) Yount of Punta Gorda, Connie (John) Graham of Mattoon, IL, Barbara (Mike) St. Louis of Midland, MI and Diana (Chris) Sherman of Mt Vernon, IL; brother, Bob (Debbie) Define of St Louis, MO; 11 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. A funeral mass will be Wednesday, June 22, 2011 at San Antonio Catholic Church. Burial will follow in Section 8, Site 846 at Sarasota National VA Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Tidewell Hospice Inc., 1144 Veronica Street, Port Charlotte, FL 33952.

**DEFIORE, Frank Richard Defiore**

(Abstracted from <http://www.farleyfuneralhome.com/obituary/frank-defiore/>)

Frank Richard Defiore, age 68, of Sarasota passed away May 6, 2015. He was born June 3, 1946 and served his country in the U.S. Navy during the Vietnam War. Frank is survived by his loving mother Ruth K. Connors of Venice, and dear sister Donna. He will be laid to rest with Navy honors in Section 3, Site 888 on Wednesday, May 13th at Sarasota National Cemetery. Farley Funeral Home, Venice Chapel has been selected to care for arrangements.

**DEGENER, Maureen Margaret Degener**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/sarasota-fl/maureen-degener-6262752>)

Maureen Margaret Degener, age 77, of Sarasota formerly of Rochester, NY passed away peacefully on Thursday, January 1, 2015. She was born on May 10, 1937 in Rome, NY to the late James Goodwin and Marion Margaret James O'Neill. She lived for the nurturing and love for her grandchildren and helping others. She was preceded in death by her brothers, James and Donald O'Neill. Survivors include her devoted husband, Max Walter Degener; son, Dale Degener; daughter, Debbie Waters (Greg);

sister, Linda Crawford (Craig); grandchildren, Tyler and Andrew Degener, Taylor and Summer Waters and many other loving family members. Funeral services will be Wednesday, January 7 at Palms-Robarts Funeral Home, 170 Honore Ave. Sarasota, 34232. Burial will follow in Section 5, Site 563 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEGISE, Joseph DeGise**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=164288837>)  
Joseph DeGise, age 68, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of Montville, New Jersey, died on Apr. 12, 2013. Joseph was born on Aug. 2, 1944. Services will be Fri., April 19, 2013 in Section C1C-1, Row B, Site 43 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home.

**DEGRENIER, Joseph Francis DeGrenier**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=165042886>)  
Joseph Francis DeGrenier, age 80, of Venice, FL and formerly of Rockland, MA passed away Friday, May 24, 2013 at the Tidewell Hospice House in Venice. Funeral arrangements by Ewing Funeral Home. Joseph was born June 16, 1932 the son of the late Joseph V. and Eleanor (Doherty) DeGrenier. He is survived by his wife of 56 years Helen, sons Michael (Pam) of Puyallup, WA and Joseph Francis, Jr., of Falmouth, MA; daughters, Maura (Doug) Driggs of Sarasota, FL and Barbara (Robert) O'Brien of Miami, FL; sister Eleanor DeGrenier of Weymouth, MA and grandchildren William and Elisabeth DeGrenier, Lauren and David Driggs and Cassandra and Arianna DeGrenier. Joseph was a member of the United States Air Force, Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, the Venice Knights of Columbus and Sarasota Shriner's Club and was a life time member of the American Legion. He and his wife Helen loved to go on cruises and to go to Las Vegas. A mass of Christian Burial will be Wednesday, May 29, 2013 at Our Lady of Lourdes Church with burial to follow in Section 7, Site 841 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers donations maybe made to The Shriner's Hospitals for Children, 12502 N. Pine Drive, Tampa, FL 33612.

**DEISING, Richard Elmer Deising**

Richard Elmer Deising was born 02/14/1928, died 12/16/1996. Interred in Section 12, Site 541 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEJESUS-GUERRERO, Iris Susan Dejesus-Guerrero**

Iris Susan Dejesus-Guerrero was born 12/29/1955, died 12/09/2015. Interred in Section 3, Site 1326 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Ronald Kenneth Guerrero.

**DEJOHN, David Augustino DeJohn**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=171116247>)  
David Augustino DeJohn passed away May 21, 2014 at home surrounded by loved ones. David was born Jan. 13, 1923. David is survived by Dorothy, his loving wife of 71 and a half years; his children, David (Christy) DeJohn, and Debra Lavin; his grandchildren, Jessie (Alex) Bean, Austin DeJohn, Travis DeJohn, Shannon (Chris) Bell, Michael (John) Lavin, and Christopher Lavin; his great grandchildren, Zander Bean, Parker Bean and Caitlin Bell. He was a special uncle to Wendy (Bernie) Shields, Sandra (Fran) Stevens, Glenn (Laura) Tetreault, Tami (Jim) Kepner. He was predeceased by his niece Darlene (Dan) Lobb. He was a longtime resident of Madison CT where he served as a Police Commissioner and volunteer firefighter. David was a manager of Production Engineering at CheseBrough Pond's, Inc. before retiring to Venice, FL in 1983. He was proud to have served in the Army Air Corp during WWII. A celebration of David's life will be held on Sunday, May 25, 2014 at the Curry House, Bay Indies. In lieu of flowers please donate to the COPD Foundation or Tidewell Hospice. Interred in Section C1C-5, Row B, Site 35 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEJOSEPH, Eleanor M. Dejoseph**

Eleanor M. Dejoseph was born 11/20/1926, died 01/09/2013. Interred in Section 6, Site 1044 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of Felix A. Dejoseph.

**DEJOSEPH, Felix A. Dejoseph**

Felix A. Dejoseph was born 01/24/1928, died 05/18/2012. Interred in Section 6, Site 1044 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEL GAUDIO, Samuel Anthony Del Gaudio**

Samuel Anthony Del Gaudio was born 03/30/1923, died 11/25/2008. Interred in Section C1C-8, Row C, Site 19 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEL MONICO, Gennaro Robert Del Monico**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/cape-coral-fl/gennaro-del-monico-5726718>)

Gennaro Robert Del Monico was born on November 15, 1927 and passed away on October 31, 2013 in Cape Coral, FL. Interred in Section 7, Site 1043 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DEL MONTE, William A. Del Monte**

(Abstracted from information sent to Elmer by Megan Smolenyak Smolenyak)

The last survivor of the devastating San Francisco earthquake and fire of 1906 has died. William A. "Bill" Del Monte died Monday at a retirement home in Marin County. He was 11 days shy of his 110th birthday. His niece, Janette Barroca of San Francisco, confirmed his death of natural causes. He'd been doing "great for 109 years old," Barroca said. Del Monte was 3 months old when the quake struck — forcing his family into the streets to escape in a horse-drawn buckboard with fire burning on both sides. The family crossed the bay to Alameda County and returned to San Francisco after their home was rebuilt, Barroca said. His father had opened the famous Fior d'Italia on Broadway in 1886, which was destroyed in the quake but reopened in a tent not long after. Del Monte attended San Francisco schools and after graduation worked briefly for his father at the North Beach restaurant. In his teens he was interested in playing the stock market — and he was good at it. By 1929, when he was 23, he was worth \$1 million, according to the San Francisco Chronicle. He lost the money, but around the same time he gained a wife: Del Monte and Vera Minetti eloped to Reno in 1925 and were married for more than 55 years before she died in 1991. They never had children. Though his true passion was playing the stocks, he also ran a San Francisco Bay Area theater for years. Del Monte's death leaves a void in the city's history. At 113, Ruth Newman was the oldest remaining survivor of the earthquake before her death last summer. Four years old when the quake struck in the early morning of April 18, 1906, she never attended the city's annual quake commemorations. But Del Monte did over the years. In 2010, he was the only survivor who made it to Lotta's Fountain downtown, riding in the back of the city's big black 1930 Lincoln convertible. More than 1,000 people were killed in the earthquake and fire. According to the U.S. Geological Survey, the quake's magnitude has ranged from 7.7 to 8.3. "The common thread I would draw with all of these survivors is they had a unique, dry, wry sense of humor as anyone would have at being so rudely tossed out of bed at 5:11 in the morning," said commemoration organizer Lee Houskeeper. "But none could compare to Bill. "He had absolutely the sharpest mind of anybody I've ever known. A sharp mind, a sharp sense of humor and he was a complete flirt. My guess is there are a lot of heartbroken nurses out there today."

#### **DEL ROSSI, Angelo Francis Del Rossi**

(Abstracted from <http://obits.nj.com/obituaries/starledger/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=172322669>)

Angelo Francis Del Rossi, age 80, of West Orange, NJ, and Sarasota, FL, entered into eternal life on Aug. 30, 2014. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at St. James Church, Upper Montclair, NJ. Interment will be private in Section 5, Site 401 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Arrangements are by the Galante Funeral Home, 2800 Morris Ave., Union, NJ. Born Nov. 24, 1933 in Camden, NJ, to the late Charles and Ida Del Rossi, Angelo attended Rutgers University and the Neighborhood Playhouse in New York City. As executive producer of the Paper Mill Playhouse, he gave 41 years of love and dedicated service. He was the beloved husband of Per S. Rasmussen; dear brother to Bertha, Bernadette, Andrew, and Joseph, and uncle to David, Michael, Lisa, Steven, Joseph, and Christopher. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions to the Angelo Del Rossi Scholarship Fund, Paper Mill Playhouse, Brookside Drive, Millburn, NJ, 07014 would be appreciated.

#### **DEL ROSSO, Lucrezia Del Rosso**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=172940758>)

Lucrezia (Queenie) Del Rosso was born on February 5, 1928 in Molfetta, Italy to her parents Domenico and Olympia (Azzolini) Giancaspro. She passed away on October 24, 2014 in Ft. Myers, Florida. She is survived by her loving husband of 67 years, John L. Del Rosso; children Lawrence (Lisa) Del Rosso of Kearny, NJ, Dominick (Lisa) Del Rosso of Cape Coral, FL, and Donna (Elinor) Del Rosso of Delray Beach, FL.; grandchildren Marianne (Alvin) Smith, Ashley Del Rosso, and Gianna Del Rosso; great grandson Michael Smith. Lu was a vibrant loving woman who was passionate about her family and brought joy to so many people. She loved living in South Florida and in her spare time enjoyed cooking, arts and crafts, singing, and being an active member of her church. A Celebration of Life will be held on Tuesday, October 28, 2014 at Fuller Metz Funeral Home with internment following in Section 5, Site 458 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers please make a donation to the Lighthouse Foundation at Lighthouse of Southwest Florida, Inc. 35 West Mariana Ave., North Fort Myers, FL 33918-5515.

#### **DEL SAVIO, Joseph David Del Savio**

Joseph David Del Savio was born 02/13/1940, died 08/11/2012. Interred in Section C1C-2, Row B, Site 21 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DEL SORDO, Albert N. Del Sordo**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=albert-n-del-sordo&pid=176737813>)

Albert N. Del Sordo, age 91, of Punta Gorda, FL, died on Nov. 10, 2015. Albert was born Apr. 9, 1923. Services will be Monday in Section 3, Site 1283 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by Farley Funeral Homes & Crematory.

**DEL VALLE, Donna M V Del Valle**

Donna M V Del Valle was born 07/27/1927, died 08/27/2013. Interred in Section C1C-3, Row A, Site 33 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Mike Del Valle Jr.

**DEL VALLE, Earl R. Del Valle**

Earl R. Del Valle was born 04/08/1927, died 12/28/2012. Interred in Section 7, Site 670 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEL VALLE, Mike Del Valle Jr.**

Mike Del Valle Jr. was born 05/31/1928, died 07/30/2011. Interred in Section C1C-3, Row A, Site 33 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEL VILLAN, Eugene Duke Del Villan**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=143690087>)

Eugene D. Del Villan, age 82, of Venice, died June 15, 2010. Services will be at a later date in Section 13, Site 699 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Ewing Funeral Home is handling arrangements. Survivors include his wife, Shirley; sister Patricia; brother Jack; and 12 nieces and nephews. Eugene was born in Steubenville, Ohio, on Oct. 20, 1927. He lived in Cleveland until he moved to Venice in 1983. He retired from Republic Steel. He served with the United States Army in 1950 and was stationed in Korea. He was a member of the Venice Presbyterian Church and Epiphany Cathedral. He was also a member of the Venice branches of the American Legion, VFW, DAV, Moose and Elks Club. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to TideWell Hospice and Palliative Care, 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34285.

**DELANCE, William Francis DeLance**

(Abstracted from <http://www.rutlandherald.com/articles/william-f-delance/>)

ARCADIA, FL — William Francis DeLance, age 83, died June 30, 2008. He was born in St. Albans, Vt., on June 3, 1925. He served in the Navy during World War II. Mr. DeLance was the owner-operator of Bill DeLance Trucking in South Royalton, VT. Survivors include his wife, Viola; sons, William DeLance Jr. of Starke and Roger Miller of Sarasota; daughters, Donna Green and Judi DeLance, both of South Royalton, Diane DeLance of Lima, MT, and Teresa Gochnaver of Sarasota; a brother, Brian DeLance of Rutland, VT; eight grandchildren and a great-grandson. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Raelene Lemery, PO Box 15, Bethel, VT 05032, for a tree to be planted on the green in South Royalton. Arrangements are under the direction of the Robarts Funeral Home, Arcadia. Interred in Section 6, Site 1110 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DELANEY, Esther L. DeLaney**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=120663899>)

Esther L. DeLaney, age 78, Venice was born Jan. 8, 1930 and died Nov. 6, 2008. Services are entrusted to National Cremation Society and Memorial Center. Survivors include her husband, Jack Hallmark Delaney; sons David and Steven; daughters Jodi DeLaney and Jamie Bunkley; 11 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. Interred in Section 6, Site 615 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DELANEY, Jack Hallmark DeLaney**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=156150697>)

Jack Hallmark Delaney, age 81, of Venice died Feb. 22, 2012. Jack was born Oct. 24, 1930. Services will be in Section 6, Site 615 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include his loving daughters Jody and Jamie; sons David and Steven; 15 grandchildren; and 9 great-grandchildren. Veterans Funeral Service and Cremation, (941) 377-1060.

**DELAROSA-VALENCIA, Efrain Delarosa-Valencia**

Efrain Delarosa-Valencia was born 07/09/1928, died 12/07/2010. Interred in Section 13, Site 868 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DELATIZKY, Jerome Delatizky**

Jerome Delatizky was born 06/28/1932, died 06/12/2015. Interred in Section 5, Site 800 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DELAUNAY-FAILLY, Guy Albert deLaunay-Failly**



Guy Albert Delaunay-Failly was born 12/31/1929, died 01/05/2016. Interred in Section 5, Site 1067 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DELLAVECCHIA, Gene Louis DellaVecchia**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/gene-dellavecchia-obituary?pid=161485999>)

Gene Louis DellaVecchia, age 82, Port Charlotte, born 3-8-1030 and died 12-4-2012. Arrangements by Roberson Funeral Home & Crematory, Port Charlotte Chapel. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row C, Site 7 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DELLAPORTE, Augustine Charles Dellaporte**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/augustine-dellaporte-obituary?pid=133282986>)

Augustine Charles Dellaport, age 55, was born 07/16/1954, died Sunday 09/20/2009, at Egret Cove Center. There are no known survivors. ALifeTribute-Gulfport. Interred in Section 8, Site 7 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DELLCIOPPIA, Susan A. Dellcioppia**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/sunsentinel/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=173978056>)

Susan Alicia DellCioppia, Coral Springs, FL passed away suddenly at age 66 on 1/14/15. Susan was born 07/08/1948. Survived by Vincent Frank DellCioppia Sr. her soul mate of 34 years, son Vincent F. DellCioppia Jr., Mary Margaret Baquero sister, Joseph & Nancy Foster; brother & spouse, 4 nephews and nieces-Vincent Baquero, Michelle Foster-Sellers, Joseph Foster Jr., John Foster, and 5 grand nieces and nephews-Monica Jones, Keegan Foster Sellers, Samantha Foster, Hunter Foster Sellers and Brook Foster. A Memorial Mass will be at St. Andrews Catholic Church at 9950 NW 29TH ST, Coral Springs, FL on Saturday 1/31/15. Mass will be followed by a Celebration of Life @ the Coral Springs Country Club, 10800 West Sample RD, Coral Springs, FL. Susan's family suggests donations be sent in her memory to ST. Andrews Catholic Church or a charity of your choice in lieu of flowers. Interred in Section C1C-7, Row D, Site 25 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DELLECKER, James S. Dellecker**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=175754164>)

James 'Jim' Dellecker, age 95, of Venice, FL, formerly of New Jersey, died on August 30, 2015. He is survived by his daughter Carol Dellecker of Carmel CA and his son and daughter-in-law, Jim & Marjorie Dellecker of Venice, FL; his grandchildren and great grandchildren. He is predeceased by his wife and the mother of his children, Edith Terhune Dellecker, and by his second wife, Joan Ellen Stuart Dellecker. Jim proudly served his country in the US [Army](#) during [WWII](#) from 1942 to 1946. He then attended and graduated with Phi Beta Kappa honors from Rutgers University in 1949. He was employed by the Gallup Poll and then by The Prudential Insurance Company from which he retired. A Memorial Service will be at The Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd in Venice. He will be interred, with military honors in Section 5, Site 906 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. Arrangements by All Veterans-All Families Funerals & Cremations.

**DELLORTO, Joseph John Dellorto**

Joseph John Dellorto was born 02/08/1926, died 10/21/2013. Interred in Section 3, Site 385 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DELLORTO, Josephine G. Dellorto**

Josephine G. Dellorto was born 08/24/1929, died 04/03/2015. Interred in Section 3, Site 385 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Joseph John Dellorto.

**DELMONACO, Raffaele V. Delmonaco**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=143472852>)

Raffaele V. Delmonaco, age 80, of Bradenton, formerly of Whitinsville, MA, died June 8, 2010. Raffaele was born May 18, 1930. Services will be at Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church. Survivors include his wife, Constance; a daughter, Maria Boivin of Fort Lauderdale; a stepdaughter, Pamela Pfahlert of Bradenton; a stepson, Michael Duggan of Bradenton; two grandsons; and two step-granddaughters. Interred in Section 13, Site 625 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DELONG, Konrad John Delong**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/konrad-delong-obituary?pid=178801024>)

Konrad John Delong, age 90, North Port, FL, and formerly Venice, FL, died on February 13, 2011. Born February 23, 1921 in Mt. Vernon, NY, he moved to Florida from Yorktown Heights, NY in 1976. Konrad worked for Sinclair Refining Company until retiring in 1972. He worked in various country clubs around the US while transferring around the country with his wife Barbara for her career. While retired in Venice, they both worked for AC Nielsen for over 12 years. Konrad was a WWII Navy Veteran and a member of AMVETS #312 and DAV #101. He volunteered at the North Port Library, Sarasota County Poll Workers, North Port

Performing Arts, Venice Hospital, and the American Cancer Society. Konrad was a member of Heron Creek Golf and Country Club, the Elks, and Venice and Charlotte Harbor Yacht Clubs. Konrad will be remembered for his passion for cooking, affinity toward bowling and golf, fondness of swing and big band music, and extensive international travel; but mostly for his unparalleled hospitality, kindness, generosity, compassion, and love as a family man. Family members include Barbara, his loving wife of 60 years; two devoted daughters, Suellen Delong, Ft. Lauderdale, Melanie (Sameh) Ghobrial, Saratoga Springs, NY; an apple of his eye son, Konrad (Angela) Delong, Jr. Houston, TX; 4 grandchildren who smothered him with love, Kareem Ghobrial, Rochelle Delong, Nicole Ghobrial, and Austin Delong, niece and nephews. He was predeceased by his sister Margaret Wynn and brother William Delong. Interred in Section 6, Site 556 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DELORME, George Alden DeLorme**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=149026581>)  
George Alden DeLorme, age 95, of Venice, formerly of Atlantic Highlands, NJ and Interlochen, MI died Feb. 26, 2011. George was born May 7, 1915. Memorial gathering is Wednesday at Farley Funeral Home Venice Chapel, followed by funeral service. Burial will follow in Section 8, Site 855 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. George was a Naval veteran of [WWII](#), former Commodore of the Atlantic Highlands Yacht Club, and an avid fisherman. He loved his family and his dogs. Survivors include his daughter, Michele (Jim) Downing of Venice, FL; daughter Victoria Bell of Camp Hill, PA; brother Dan DeLorme, of Rochester, MI; six grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by his wife, Irene; and his sons, George and Carey. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to TideWell Hospice, Inc., 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238.

#### **DELOSH, Joan Marie DeLosh**

(Abstracted from <http://www.brownandsonsfuneral.com/obituary/3323785>)  
Joan Marie DeLosh "Joanie", age 46, went to be with her Lord and Savior on September 26, 2015 at home with her loving family by her side. Joan was born July 31, 1969 in Oceanside, NY where she graduated from Oceanside High School. Joanie received her degree from Nassau Community College. She moved to Bradenton in 1989 where she worked many years in the insurance industry. Her greatest joy was to be a stay at home Mom. Joanie was preceded by her parents, Robert and Joan Sherman and a brother Danny Sherman. She is survived by the love of her life and husband of 16 years, Robert Allan Delosh; her daughters, Abbey for whom she was eternally grateful the Lord sent to her and Bob, Tracey (Wes) Rodriguez of Washington State and Jessica. Also survived by only step-son, Robert, Jr.; step-daughters, Erika and Ashley; Bob's parents, Lee and Judith DeLosh; Bob's brothers, Edward (Tammy), Brian and Shawn DeLosh; many loving nieces and nephews; three brothers, Russell, David and Peter; and a sister, Diane. Joanie has many loving and dedicated friends who are going to walk with the Breast Cancer walk on October 3rd in St Petersburg. She was so happy that Bob formed the Sherman Strong Team to support her. We know she will be walking right beside us in spirit. Joanie had a large group of family and friends that supported her during her long 7½ year battle with breast cancer. She had a strong and determined will to live but breast cancer took her only after a long courageous fight. Joanie loved to entertain for friends and especially for family on Sundays. She was a team mother for Abbeys softball team and was involved in many activities with her. She enjoyed going to the mountains with family for Thanksgiving. Each year she spent many hours putting together a calendar for each family member. It was so each of us had no excuses to miss special events. She was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother, daughter, sister and aunt. Services will be Thursday, October 1, 2015 at the Living Lord Lutheran Church, 11107 Palmbrush Trail, Lakewood Ranch, FL 34202. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 26th St. Chapel in charge. Interred in Section 3, Site 1384 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DELPERO, Baptista Joseph Delpero**

(Abstracted from )  
Baptista Joseph Delpero was born 05/08/1924, died 06/28/2002. Interred in Section 13, Site 939 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DELUCA, Silvano Alfredo Deluca**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/postgazette/obituary.aspx?n=silvano-deluca-al&pid=171307146>)  
Silvano Alfredo Deluca passed away peacefully on May 31, 2014, at the age of 96. Born September 18, 1917, in Pittsburgh, PA, he came to Bradenton in 1987, from Sewickley, PA. An active resident of Country Village in Bradenton, FL, he served in a variety of roles, including being a member of the Board of Directors. A great card player of bridge, pinochle, and poker, he played often with his friends. He also enjoyed golfing, traveling, reading, and working crossword puzzles. He loved to be helpful and worked diligently at every job. He delivered Meals on Wheels to people for nine years right up to being hospitalized, just a few weeks before his passing. His positive and happy attitude on life will be remembered by everyone, and he will be greatly missed by his loving family and friends. After high school, he enlisted in the Air Force. A proud [WWII](#) veteran, he was in the war from 1941 to 1945, serving as a sergeant in the 353rd Bombardment Squadron, 301st Bombardment Group, in Italy, France, and Tunisia. Upon returning to Pennsylvania, he worked for Armco Steel and also owned his own refrigeration and air conditioning company. Survivors include two sons, David R. (Brenda Johnson) of Ann Arbor, MI and Gregory J. (Olga Mayer) of Ellensburg, WA; two

grandsons, Taylor and Zachary; and one brother, Joseph. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 57 years, Helen; one son, Ronald J.; three brothers, Tom, Tony, and Jesse; and one sister, Millie DeSabetino. A celebration of his life will be held on what would have been his 97th birthday on September 18, 2014, at the Country Village Club House. Interred in Section 3, Site 73 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEMAHY, John Denis DeMahy**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=163291474>)

John Denis DeMahy, age 93, of Sarasota, FL, born Aug., 19, 1919 and died on Feb. 4, 2013. Services will be Thursday in Section 6, Site 1628 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by Toale Brothers Funeral Home.

**DEMARCO, George Samuel Demarco**

George Samuel Demarco was born 08/09/1941, died 07/07/2009. Interred in Section 8, Site 56 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEMARCO, Ralph John Demarco**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=130563583>)

Ralph John DeMarco, age 79, of Nokomis, died July 25, 2009. He died peacefully after a bout with cancer. Ralph was born Jan. 15, 1930, in Derby, CT, and lived in Bridgeport and Newtown, CT, before moving to Florida in 1971. He served as a dental technician in the Air Force during the Korean War from 1951-1954. He attended the University of Bridgeport and North Bennett Industrial School in Boston. Ralph worked in jewelry sales and appraisal. He was a registered jeweler. He was a member of the Disabled American Veterans #101, VFW #8118, Korean War Veterans and the Audubon Society. Ralph is survived by his wife, Judie; sons Greg (Joanne), Will (Kathie) and Paul (Sharon); grandchildren Beverly, Elena, Jared and Emilee; sisters Barbara McCormack (Bill), and Theresa Cassidy (Ray); and a brother, Richard. There will be a graveside service in Section 12, Site 312 at the Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota at a later date. Donations in his name may be made to TideWell Hospice and Palliative Care, 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238.

**DEMAREST, Eleanor May Demarest**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=140042245>)

Eleanor May Demarest, age 82, of Venice, formerly of Holbrook, MA, died Feb. 22, 2010. Eleanor was born on July 24, 1927. Services were private. Ewing Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Interred in Section 6, Site 1045 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of Robert Malcolm Demarest. Survivors include her sons, Jack of Mansfield, MA, and David of Venice; a daughter, Diane Poole of North Port; a brother, Phillip Chamberlain of Weymouth, MA; eight grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren. Eleanor was an avid beachcomber. Memorial donations may be made to COPD Foundation, 2937 SW 27th Ave., Suite 302, Miami, FL 33133, or a favorite charity of your choice.

**DEMAREST, Robert Malcolm Demarest**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=100690457>)

Robert Malcolm "Osprey Bob" Demarest, age 80, Venice, formerly of Holbrook, MA, died Jan. 2, 2008. Mr. Demarest was born on June 26, 1927. The services were private. Ewing Funeral Home handled arrangements. Interment is in Section 6, Site 1045 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include his wife, Eleanor; children Jack of Mansfield, MA, Diane Poole of North Port and David of Venice; 7 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren. Memorial donations may be made to Parkinson's Disease Foundation, 833 W. Washington Blvd., Chicago, IL 60607.

**DEMARIA, Angela M. DeMaria**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=152641290>)

Angela M. DeMaria, age 85, of Bradenton, formerly of Maywood, NJ died July 16, 2011. Angela was born on February 10, 1926. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 43rd Street Chapel in Bradenton is entrusted with the arrangements. Mass will be at Ss Peter & Paul the Apostles Catholic Church in Bradenton. Committal Service is Thursday in Section 7, Site 26 at Sarasota National Cemetery 9810 State Road in Sarasota. Survivors include husband of 65 years, Elroy Anthony Demaria, Sr.; son Elroy A., Jr. of Bradenton; daughter Sharon of Bradenton; sister Barbara Westphal of Bradenton; two grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

**DEMARIA, Elroy Anthony DeMaria Sr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.brownsandsonsfuneral.com/obituary/2429868>)

Elroy Anthony 'Dee' DeMaria, Sr., age 87, Bradenton, died October 14, 2012. Born February 23, 1925 in Lodi, NJ he moved to Bradenton in 2006 from Maywood, NJ. A Veteran of the US Army during World War II and a Prisoner of War, he was a member of Ss Peter & Paul the Apostles Catholic Church & Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Catholic Church of Maywood,

NJ. Predeceased by wife, Angela; survived by son, Elroy A. (Marion) DeMaria, Jr. of Bradenton, FL; daughter, Sharon E. DeMaria of Bradenton, FL; grandchildren; Alessandra (Geoff Lee) DeMaria of Altamonte Springs, FL and Nicholas (Rachael) DeMaria of Parrish, FL; great grandchildren, Adalyn, Zoey and Dillon DeMaria; sister-in-law, Barbara Westphal of Bradenton, FL; several nieces and nephews. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 43rd Street Chapel 604 43rd Street West, Bradenton, FL 34209 is entrusted with the arrangements. Mass at Ss Peter & Paul the Apostles Catholic Church 2850 75th Street West, Bradenton, FL 34209. Committal Service in Section 7, Site 26 at Sarasota National Cemetery 9810 State Road 72 Sarasota, FL 34241. In lieu of flowers, contact the family about Memorial contributions.

**DEMARIS, Joan Ida Demaris**

Joan Ida Demaris was born 02/14/1942, died 02/23/2013. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row D, Site 50 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Leo Delbert Demaris.

**DEMASTER, Ruth Ann Demaster**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?n=ruth-ann-demaster&pid=176413763&fhid=10464>)

Ruth Ann Demaster, age 66, Fort Myers, FL, was born 03/26/1949, died 11/08/2015. Services at Westminster Presbyterian Church,, Fort Myers Memorial Gardens Funeral Home. Interred in Section C1C-9, Row C, Site 32 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of John Earl Demaster.

**DEMAY, Craig Allan Demay**

Craig Allan Demay was born 11/15/1951, died 07/26/2014. Interred in Section 5, Site 374 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEMAY, Dorothy Helena DeMay**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/tampabaytimes/obituary.aspx?n=dorothy-helena-demay&pid=174615565&fhid=5643>)

Dorothy Helena DeMay, age 94, of St. Pete Beach, died April 10, 2015. She was born May 31, 1920 and is survived by her husband, Dr. John David DeMay; five daughters, Donna Marie Shenefield, Ann E. Streefman, Theresa DeMay, Susan E. Koski, and Dorothy T. Shepard; two sons, David J. and John P. DeMay; two brothers, Phillip and John Fox; 13 grandchildren, and many great-grandchildren. Services will be at St. John Vianney Catholic Church, Tuesday, April 14. Burial to follow in Section 5, Site 701 at Sarasota National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers donations to St. John Vianney Catholic Church.

**DEMCHAK, Carol Ann Demchak**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/ohio/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=796244>)

Carol Ann Demchak, age 65, of Bradenton, FL, formerly a resident of Peninsula, Ohio passed away due to complications with cancer on Feb. 7, 2003. She was born October 19, 1937 and is survived by husband, Stephen Emery Demchak; daughter, Amber DeLuca of Albuquerque, NM; and son, Stephen J. of Vermillion, SD. Interred in Section C1C10, Row C, Site 2 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEMCHAK, Stephen Emery Demchak**

Stephen Emery Demchak was born 07/24/1936, died 12/22/2015. Interred in Section C1C10, Row C, Site 2 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEMERS, Donald Alfred Demers**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/donald-demers-obituary?pid=145155408>)

Donald Alfred Demers, age 79, Port Charlotte, was born 10/26/1930, died 09/04/2010. Arrangements by ICS Cremation Society, Inc. Interred in Section 13, Site 955 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEMERS, Doris Marie Demers**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/tampabaytimes/obituary.aspx?n=doris-m-demers&pid=150322504>)

Doris Marie Demers, age 80, of Hudson, passed away on April 12, 2011. She was born April 16, 1930 and is survived by her loving husband to whom she was married for 55 years, Leland S. Demers; sons Kevin Demers & Michael Demers and his wife Jeanette; daughter Sandra Jackson and her husband Gary; grand-children Tanya, K.C., Kamber, Adam, Nicholas, Kolby; great-grandchildren Timothy & Dylan; and sisters Yvette Bosma & Rita Byron. Doris was predeceased by her son Rodney Lewis. Doris was born in Uxbridge, MA and moved to Florida in 1981. Doris's family would like to extend thanks to the staff at Baldomero Lopez V.A. Nursing Home. A funeral mass will take place at St. Paul Catholic Church, 12708 N. Dale Mabry Hwy, Tampa, FL followed by interment with military honors in Section 8, Site 1031 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Blount & Curry Carrollwood Chapel, Tampa 813-968-2231.

**DEMING, Melville George Deming**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/sarasota-fl/melville-deming-6461300>)

Melville George Deming, age 94, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of Rochester, NY passed away peacefully on May 27, 2015. Melville was born April 14, 1921 and served in the United States Navy and then was employed by the United States Postal Service. He was an active member of the choir at the Presbyterian Church of the Covenant and shared his tenor voice in the choir there, as he did in Rochester, NY for many years. He also participated in the Players Theater of Sarasota. He is survived by his wife, Noreen of 71 years marriage, and a sister, Evelyn Barnard of Churchville, NY. His beloved children are son, Wayne Deming (Kay) of Nokomis; daughters Linda Page (Ron) of Sarasota; Shirley Harter (Dave) of Greenville, Ohio; and Esther Becker (Hal) of North Port; 9 wonderful grandchildren and 18 wonderful great-grandchildren. A memorial service will be at the Presbyterian Church of the Covenant, 7950 South Tamiami Trail in Sarasota. Burial will take place in Section 3, Site 939 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota. The family request in lieu of flowers that contributions be made in Melville's memory to the American Cancer Society.

**DEMKO, Charlotte Ann Demko**

(Abstracted from <http://www.kays-ponger.com/obituary/175914/Charlotte-Demko/>)

Charlotte Ann Demko, age 69, Venice, formerly of North Royalton, OH died March 7, 2009. Charlotte was born November 12, 1939. Mass of Christian Burial is at Our Lord of Lourdes Catholic Church in Venice, with interment in Section 8, Site 180 in Sarasota National Cemetery. Lemon Bay Funeral Home, Venice Chapel is caring for arrangements. Survivors include husband John William Demko, sons Patrick of Cleveland, OH, John of Port Charlotte, & Kevin of North Port, daughter Michelle Frank of Elyria, OH, and 4 grandchildren.

**DEMONGEY, Helen I. Demongey**

(Abstracted from <http://www.robersonfh.com/obituary/helen-demongey/>)

Helen I. Demongey was born March 9, 1926 in Saginaw, MI and retired to Port Charlotte in 1980 from St. Charles, MI. She was an avid Bowler and bingo player. She also enjoyed her crossword puzzles and loved to crochet. She was an adoring woman and will be missed exceedingly by all who loved and knew her. Survivors include her loving husband of 65 years, Roy L. Demongey; a daughter, Janis Russ of Twin Lake, MI; 2 sons, Gary Demongey of Highland, MI and Dennis Demongey of St. Charles, MI; 3 brothers, William Pumford of St. Charles, MI, John Pumford of Murfreesboro, NC and Robert Pumford of Jamestown, NY; a sister, Ellen Northrup of Starke, FL; 10 grandchildren; 4 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Helen died August 3, 2010 and is interred in Section 13, Site 815 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEMONGEY, Roy Leo Demongey**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=153752305>)

Roy Leo Demongey, age 87, Port Charlotte, was born 12/23/1923 and died 09/20/2011. Arrangements by Roberson Funeral Home & Crematory Port Charlotte Chapel. Interred in Section 13, Site 815 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEMORE, Marlene B. Demore**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=174451991>)

Marlene B. Demore, age 83, Port Charlotte, died 03-16-2015. Arrangements by Roberson Funeral Home & Crematory. Interred in Section 6, Site 382 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of William Joseph Demore Jr.

**DEMORE, William Joseph Demore Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=153864507>)

William Joseph Demore Jr., age 82, of Port Charlotte died September 25, 2011. William was born February 22, 1929. Services will not be held. Roberson Funeral Homes & Crematory Port Charlotte Chapel is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include wife Marlene of Port Charlotte. Interred in Section 6, Site 382 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEMPSEY, Michael James Dempsey Jr.**

Michael James Dempsey Jr. was born 06/27/1933, died 10/28/2010. Interred in Section 13, Site 761 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEMPSEY, Robert Carl Dempsey**

Robert Carl Dempsey was born 03/31/1939, died 08/27/2012. Interred in Section 6, Site 1344 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEMPSKI, Edward Anthony Dempski**

(Abstracted from

<https://obits.democratandchronicle.com/obituaries/democratandchronicle/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=175217317>)  
Bradenton, FL: Edward Anthony Dempski Sr., age 92, passed away on May 26, 2015. Predeceased by wife Ethel; daughter Mary Ann; siblings Stanley, Joseph, and Andrew. Survived by children, Patricia and Edward Jr.; grandchildren, Stefanie, Scott, Katie, Kristi, Christopher, Lisa; great grandchildren, Brittany, Sierra, Spencer, Taylor, Sharon, Carter; sisters, Stephanie and Jenny. Born November 10, 1922 in Batavia, NY after family emigrated from Poland. Proudly served in [US Navy](#) during [WWII](#). Loyal tool and die technician at Kodak for 20+ years. Loved his family, photography, and genealogy. His humor, kindness, and determination will be missed. Interment with military honors will be held in Section C1C-8, Row B, Site 28 in Sarasota. A celebration of Ed's life will be held at Barnard Exempts, 360 Maiden Ln. Donations can be sent to Spencerport VFW Post 330.

**DEN HARING, Matthew Gilbert Den Haring**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/ellenton-fl/matthew-den-haring-4925021>)  
Matthew Gilbert Den Haring was born February 14, 1953 and died December 12, 2011. Arrangements under the direction of Groover Funeral Home at Mansion Memorial Park, Ellenton, FL. Interred in Section 6, Site 712 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DENBESTEN, Preston Robert DenBesten**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=172672988>)  
Preston Robert DenBesten, age 87, of Manatee County since 1995, formerly of Chicago, IL, died on Sep. 30, 2014. Preston was born June 30, 1927. Services will be Sat., at Bradenton Christian Reformed Church in Bradenton, FL. Funeral arrangements by Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 26th Street Chapel. Burial will be in Section 5, Site 437 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DENBO, Madeline D. Denbo**

Madeline D. Denbo born 04/25/1928, died 01/17/2015. Interred in Section C1C-7, Row B, Site 13 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Robert Denbo.

**DENCE, Thomas Charles Dence**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/cape-coral-fl/thomas-dence-4749762>)  
Thomas (Sarge) Charles Dence, age 68 passed away in N. Ft Myers, Florida on July 15, 2011. Sarge was born on July 12, 1943 in Colonie, NY. Sarge was a decorated soldier who was awarded multiple medals and badges that included the Vietnam Service Medal w/4 Bronze Service Stars and the Vietnam Cross of Gallantry w/Bronze Star. After proudly serving 20 years in the U.S. Army with 3 tours of duty in Vietnam he moved back to his hometown Schenectady, NY where he started the family business "Sarge & Sons". He then retired to N Ft Myers where he has lived for the past 9 years. While a member of the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) he received The President's Volunteer Service Award in recognition of his commitment to strengthen our nation. Sarge enjoyed fishing with his grandchildren and traveling extensively with his loving wife. Bowling was his great passion and when not enjoying time with his family could be found at the alley teaching, volunteering or just bowling with friends. Sarge was a loyal friend to everyone he met, a proud father and a devoted husband. He is loved and will be dearly missed by all who were fortunate enough to have known him. Sarge is survived by his wife of 41 years Diana (Mrs. Gray) Dence, his 6 children Karen English (Greg) West Charlton, Darrell Dence (Lisa) N Ft. Myers, Kenneth Dence, Glenville, Kristel Willey (George) Ballston Spa, Karl Dence (Kristin) Loudonville, Thomas Dence Jr. (Michele) N Ft Myers, 15 grandchildren, George, Tank, Christopher, Nicole, Shaun, Brandon, George Jr, Kendra, Chance, Jordan, Zachary, Morgan, Bradley, Sydney, Dylan and 2 great grandchildren, Korey and Nicholas. Services will be Friday, July 22, 2011 in Section 7, Site 31 at Sarasota National Cemetery, Sarasota, FL, with full military honors. In lieu of flowers memorials may be sent to Hope Hospice of Cape Coral, FL. Arrangements under the direction of Coral Ridge Funeral Home & Cemetery, Cape Coral, FL

**DENHAM, Regnald Denham**

Regnald Denham was born 07/02/1927, died 07/09/2011. Interred in Section 7, Site 15 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DENHAM, Rodgers C. Denham**

Rodgers C. Denham was born 02/06/1924, died 04/17/2013. Interred in Section 7, Site 797 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DENHAM, Walter Victor Denham Jr.**

(Abstracted from <https://www.horizonfunerals.com/obituaries/Walter-Denham-45621/#!/Obituary>)  
Walter Victor Denham, Jr., age 66, of Cape Coral, FL and formerly of Rochester, MA succumbed to melanoma cancer on Sunday, December 4, 2011. Walt was born June 27, 1945. Walt was a police officer for the Town of Rochester for 33 years including 16

years as the Police Chief until he retired in 2001. Walt then worked on the Helen Irene lobster boat out of Fairhaven, MA and in the winter he worked for Tabor Academy in Marion, MA as the Zamboni driver at the hockey rink. In 2006 Walt and his wife, Pam moved to Cape Coral, FL. Here he found his dream job of Maintenance Supervisor for Burnt Store Marina. He loved the water, boats and most of all his home in Cape Coral. He leaves behind his wife and best friend, Pam, his beautiful daughter, Amy Beth of North Ft. Myers, FL and a son, Christopher Scott of North Ft. Myers, FL, his three sisters, Diane Fielding of Wareham, MA, Gloria Scott (Skippy) of Cape Coral, FL and Mattapoissett, MA and Marjorie Denham of Middleboro, MA, his brother, Allen Denham (Tina) of Rochester, MA, along with nieces and nephews and several great nieces and nephews. A Memorial service will be Friday, December 16, 2011 at the Chapel of Hope Hospice, 2430 Diplomat Parkway East, Cape Coral, FL 33909. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be sent to Hope Hospice or to the family. Interred in Section 6, Site 1624 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DENIGHT, Donald Howard Denight**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/donald-denight-obituary?pid=178410800>)

Donald H. Denight, age 82, of Punta Gorda passed away August 17, 2010. He was the son of Howard W. and Grace B. (Hudson) Denight, born September 9, 1927 in Collingswood, NJ. Don was a WWII Veteran, serving in the US Navy from 1944-46 and in the Marine Corps from 1946-51; he was awarded the WWII Victory Medal. He earned his Certificate of Proficiency in Mechanical Engineering Technology from Temple University. Don retired from Public Service Electric & Gas as a Senior Marketing Representative in Mount Laurel, NJ after 35 years of service. He was known around the company as "Mr. Heat Pump" because he sold more heat pumps than all representatives combined who worked for the company at the time. Active in his community, Don served on the School Board in Voorhees Township, NJ for 8 years. He was the Past Secretary of the Electrical League of South Jersey, and was a Master Mason and member of Ionic Lodge NO. 94 F&AM in New Jersey. Locally, he was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Punta Gorda where he served as head usher for the first service for over 10 years; he was also a member of a small group ministry known as the Growth Group for 13 years. Don was a member of the Isles Yacht Club from 1988-2005, serving as Commodore from 1995-96. He served as a member of the Utility Advisory Board City of Punta Gorda from 2000-06. Don truly enjoyed life, his interests were many. He loved his family, his church, and his many friends. Any time spent with friends was a good time for him. He enjoyed cruising, boating, fishing, computers, genealogy, and board games, particularly Mexican Train. Don had a deep love for God and country - he was truly a proud and patriotic American. Don will be greatly missed by his wife, Alison C. Denight; sons, Donald H. (Donna) Denight II of Voorhees, NJ, and Frederick J. (Anita) Denight of Woolwich Township, NJ; grandchildren, Donald H. Denight III of Voorhees Township, NJ, and Jennifer R. Denight from Woolwich Township, NJ; and former wife Joyce L. Denight. He was preceded in death by his parents. The service in celebration of Don's life will be Monday, August 23, 2010 in the sanctuary of the First United Methodist Church in Punta Gorda. Inurnment will take place in Section C1C-1, Row B, Site 27 in Sarasota National Cemetery at a later date. Memorial donations may be made to the First United Methodist Church Mortgage Reduction Fund, 507 W. Marion Ave., Punta Gorda, FL 33950-4483.

#### **DENNIS, John Leonard Dennis**

John Leonard Dennis was born 05/21/1917, died 08/27/2011. Interred in Section C1C-2, Row A, Site 11 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DENNIS, Kenneth Harold Dennis**

(Abstracted from <http://radiograph3.rssing.com/browser.php?indx=3392884&item=11801>)

Kenneth Harold Dennis, age 82, of Arcadia passed away Monday, March 23, 2015. Born Dec. 7, 1932 in New Orleans, LA, he had lived in Sarasota from 1969 to 1991. He also traveled with Roberts Bros. Circus for many years. He was a proud Veteran of the [US Marine Corps](#) and had served during the [Korean War](#). Mr. Dennis enjoyed spending time with family and fishing. He is survived by his loving wife of 61 years, Dorothy, daughter Teresa (Robert) Earl; two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. A committal ceremony with military honors will be Thursday, March 26, 2015 in Section 5, Site 677 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Arrangements by All Veterans-All Families Funerals & Cremations.

#### **DENNIS, Leroy Francis Dennis**

Leroy Francis Dennis was born 11/22/1937, died 03/13/2006. Interred in Section 12, Site 67 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DENNIS, Mary Louise Dennis**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=mary-louise-dennis&pid=175064881&fhid=8459>)

Mary Louise Dennis, age 79, of Port Charlotte, FL, formerly of Newark, NJ, died on Jun. 10, 2015. Mrs. Dennis was born July

13, 1935. Funeral arrangements by Lemon Bay Funeral Home and Cremation Services. Interred in Section C1C-2, Row A, Site 11 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of John Leonard Dennis.

**DENTE, Alphonse Louis Dente**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=171539821>)

Alphonse Louis Dente, age 86, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of Brooklyn, NY, passed peacefully on June 24, 2014. He was surrounded by family which is how he lived his life. He leaves a legacy of family, love and laughter. Born in Brooklyn to Ralph and Mary Dente on Sept. 22, 1927. He is survived by his loving wife Alice of 63 years, sister, Louise Furci, his daughters, Marianne (Richard) Reilly, Annette (Antone) Santana and his son, Ralph (Mineya) Dente; and many nieces and nephews; eleven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. Services will be Wed., July 2, 2014 at Incarnation Catholic Church in Sarasota, FL. Interment will be in Section C1C-5, Row D, Site 36 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. The family asks that in lieu of flowers the donations be made to Tidewell Hospice at 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238. Funeral arrangements by Packer Funeral Home.

**DENUTO, James Alan Denuto**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/james-denuto-obituary?pid=165297100>)

James Alan Denuto, age 63, of Clermont, died Monday, June 10, 2013, at Kindred Hospital. No survivors have come forward. A Life Tribute, Gulfport, 727-347-5521. Interred in Section 7, Site 871 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEPERRIO, William Joseph Deperrio**

William Joseph Deperrio was born 02/23/1923, died 04/26/2015. Interred in Section 3, Site 1199 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEPEW, Donald Ray Depew**

Donald Ray Depew was born 05/22/1945, died 09/20/2015. Interred in Section C1C-9, Row A, Site 7 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEPEW, Robert Arthur DePew**

(Abstracted from <http://www.farleyfuneralhome.com/obituary/robert-a-depew/>)

Robert Arthur DePew, age 76, of Bradenton, FL died on September 13, 2014. He was born in Staten Island, NY on March 4, 1938. Bob retired from New York Fire Department after 20 years of service. While living in New Jersey before moving to Florida, Bob was a member of the Lebanon Township Volunteer Fire Department. Moving to Englewood, FL in 1980 Bob continued in his firefighting career by becoming a member of the Englewood Fire Department until his retirement in 1996. While a member of the Englewood Fire Department Bob organized the Toys for Tots program. He was also a 40 year veteran of the U.S. Naval Reserve Construction Battalion (Seabees) and a 50 year member of Masonic Lodge #381 on Staten Island, NY. Survivors include his wife Janet DePew of Bradenton, FL; son Douglas DePew of Bradenton, FL; grandson, Derek DePew of Bradenton, FL; brother Arthur DePew of Whitestone, NY; nephew Alexander DePew of NY; and niece Christina Mandery of NY. Funeral service will be at Farley Funeral Home Venice Chapel. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Tidewell Hospice, 5955 Rand Blvd, Sarasota, FL 34238. Interred in Section C1C-6, Row D, Site 23 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**D'ERASMO, John Anthony D'Erasmus**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ltaylorfuneral.com/obituary/John-Anthony-D-Erasmo/North-Port-FL/557967>)

John Anthony D'Erasmus, age 87, of North Port passed away July 4, 2008 after a long illness. He was the son of Anthony and Annina Maria (Cassano) D'Erasmus, born April 16, 1921 in Brooklyn, NY. John served in the US Navy. He lived in Buffalo, NY where he raised his family from a previous marriage, and worked for the General Motors Chevrolet plant in Tonawanda, NY. He and his wife, Edie, moved to Florida 22 years ago. He enjoyed living at La Casa in North Port and taking part in "A Special Time" Positive Aging Group where he made many friends. John will be greatly missed by his wife of 24 years, Edie Ayers D'Erasmus; daughters, Catherine D'Erasmus, Roseanne (Michael) Script, Maureen Ainslie, Mary Ellen (Barry) Martin, Anne Marie (Kelly) Otto; step-daughter, June Beaver Cimino; grandchildren, Michelle and Matthew Script, Conor, Clare and Maggie Martin, and Catherine and Daniel Otto; step-grandchildren, Sara and Christopher Cimino; and sister, Frances Guido. The memorial service in celebration of John' life will be Monday, August 11, 2008 at San Pedro Catholic Church, North Port, FL. Arrangements are by Larry Taylor Funeral and Cremation Services, Punta Gorda. Interred in Section 6, Site 511 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEREMER, Matthew Gordon DeRemer**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/tampabaytimes/obituary.aspx?n=matthew-gordon-deremer&pid=177228849>)



Matthew Gordon DeRemer, age 31, from Seminole, passed Dec. 31, 2015. He was born Dec, 26, 1984. Funeral services at Bridgepoint Church, 6690 Crosswinds Dr, St. Petersburg, 33710. Survived by wife, Denise Torres; sister, Lynsey; and parents, Michael and Julie. Burial follows Jan. 18 in Section 3, Site 1360 at Sarasota National Cemetery, 9810 SR 72, Sarasota, 34241. Matthew graduated Seminole High School 2004, and Southeastern Career College 2015 with Surgical Tech. degree.

#### **DERENZIS, Joseph Derenzis**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Aug. 2, 2011)

Joseph Derenzis, age 80, passed away August 1, 2011, at Highlands Regional Medical Center in Sebring, FL, surrounded by his family. Joe was born in White Plains, NY, July 8, 1931, to Frank and Laura DeRenzis, who preceded him in death. He served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War from 1951-1955, after which he worked as a licensed electrician for 37 years for Local No. 3 in New York. In 1959, Joe married the love of his life, Catherine "Kay" Sullivan, of Nova Scotia, Canada, and spent many summers vacationing there with his family. He loved playing the piano, reading and spending time with his grandchildren, who he was so proud of. He was a member of St. Catherine Catholic Church in Sebring and a member of Elks Lodge No. 1529 in Sebring. He is survived by his wife, Kay; son, Joseph, Jr. (Vicki); and grandchildren, Amanda and Thomas, all of Sebring; sister, Frances (Charles) Russo of White Plains; nieces, Theresa and Donna; and many relatives in Canada. A funeral Mass will take place Thursday, August 4, 2011, at St. Catherine Catholic Church, Sebring. Family flowers only. Donations may be made to the charity of your choice. Arrangements have been entrusted to Stephenson-Nelson Funeral Home Sebring, FL 33870 (863) 385-0125. Interred in Section 3, Site 426 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DERISI, Joseph Derisi**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=170654792>)

Born in Brooklyn, NY December 12, 1923. Mr. Joseph Derisi died April 11, 2014. He served in the [U.S. Navy](#) during [WWII](#). He was preceded in death by his wife Fay and son Joseph. He is survived by his daughter Conchetta and son-in-law Tom, daughter-in-law Mary and five grandchildren Jennifer, Michael, Jonathan, Megan, Joseph and 2 great-granddaughters. Ewing Funeral Home is entrusted with the arrangements. Funeral service at Epiphany Cathedral. Interment in Section 5, Site 240 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DERMYER, Chad Phillip Dermeyer**

(Abstracted from the website <http://obits.mlive.com/obituaries/jackson/obituary.aspx?n=chad-dermyer&pid=179496014&fhid=13740>)

Virginia State Trooper Chad Phillip Dermeyer, age 37, died March 31, 2016. Chad was a native of Jackson, MI. He graduated from the Virginia State Police Academy in 2014. Prior to that time he served as a Policeman for the City of Newport News and the Jackson Michigan Police Department. He had served with the U S Marines as a Machine Gunner. He was a loving and devoted husband, father, son and brother who has left us too soon, but his memory will live forever in our hearts. Chad is survived by his wife, Michelle Dermeyer; 1 daughter, Page Dermeyer; 1 son, Phillip Dermeyer; his mother, Anne L. (Scott) Barnett; his father, John (Chris) Dermeyer; 1 brother, John (Jen) Dermeyer, Jr.; 1 sister, Lauree Dermeyer; his mother-in-law, Katie M. Johnson; father-in-law, Tom Johnson; maternal grandmother, Dolores Field; maternal grandfather, Irving Osborne; paternal grandmother, Virginia Hoffman; nieces, Lily and Amiyah; and nephew, Nicholas; along with a host of other relatives. The funeral service will be Tuesday, April 5, 2016 at Liberty Baptist Church, 1021 Big Bethel Road, Hampton, VA 23666. Private interment with military honors will be in Rosewell Memorial Garden Cemetery, Gloucester Point. In memory of Trooper Dermeyer please consider contributions to the Virginia State Police Association Emergency Relief Fund, 6944 Forest Hill Road, Richmond, VA 23225. (Check must note Trooper Dermeyer). Arrangements by Hogg Funeral Home and Crematory, Gloucester Point.

#### **DEROCK, Lawrence Arthur DeRock**

(Abstracted from <http://www.dignifiedcremations.com/obituaries/Lawrence-DeRock-34621/#!/Obituary>)

Lawrence Arthur DeRock passed away Saturday, January 29, 2011 at the age of 85 at the Hope Hospice House in Fort Myers, FL. Born June 9, 1925 in Bolivar, NY, he was formerly a resident of North Carolina living in Lexington and Lake Norman. He was preceded in death by his wife, Virginia Paffie and is survived by his wife of 36 years, Mary Ann. Survivors include his brother, William (and Connie) Earl of Pendleton, SC; brother in law, Ronald Paffie of Bolivar, NY, and sister in law, Betty Craig of Detroit, MI. He is survived by his sons, Dennis (Elizabeth) DeRock of Loganville, GA, and Gregory DeRock of Huntersville, NC, daughters, Suzanne (Lloyd) Jones of Salisbury, NC and daughter Tina (Stuart Haas) of Huntersville, NC; step-daughters, Kathleen (Bobby) Sweatt, and Lisa (Jay) Young; step-son, Butch (Kay) all of Lexington, NC, and step-son, David (Maria) O'Choa of Charlotte, NC; 19 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. He was a service engineer with Weyerhaeuser Paper Company and after retiring moved to Fort Myers, FL where he was a member of St. Therese Catholic Church. He was also a member of the American Legion, and enjoyed woodworking, bird watching and his family. He served with the US Marine Corp in the Pacific during World War II. He received the Purple Heart as a member of the Death Rattler Squadron VMF 323 where he remained an active member until

his death. A private memorial service will be held in Fort Myers on February 19, 2011. Affordable Cremations, A Dignified Alternative is honored to serve the DeRock family. Interred in Section 13, Site 1136 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEROUIN, Joseph James Derouin**

Joseph James Derouin was born 05/18/1924, died 11/06/2013. Interred in Section 6, Site 2187 of the Sarasota National Cemetery

**DERRENBACHER, James A. Derrenbacher**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=143853935>)

James A. Derrenbacher, age 86, of Sarasota, formerly of Skaneateles, NY, died June 25, 2010. Services will be private at a later date. Mr. Derrenbacher was born November 16, 1923 in Hornell, NY, and attended Hamilton College in Clinton, NY. His schooling was interrupted by World War II, and he later graduated from Syracuse University. He was a World War II veteran and served as a P-51 pilot with the 8th Air Force, stationed in England. He was treasurer of Onondaga Community College in Syracuse, NY. After moving to Venice in 1973 he became supervisor of the accounting department at Sarasota Memorial Hospital. He was a 37-year resident of the area. He is survived by his wife, Priscilla; his children, Mark Fleckenstein (Lynn) of Skaneateles, NY, Debbie West of Wilmington, NC, James Derrenbacher Jr. (Leslie) of Floral City, Martha Koehnlein (Glen) of Nokomis, Lucia Shoemaker of Venice, David Derrenbacher (Stacey) of Stuart, and Christine Winsler (Jeff) of Sarasota; 13 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; a brother, Bob Derrenbacher of Syracuse; and a sister, Natalie Pearson of Sarasota. Jim loved to play golf at Calusa Lakes in Nokomis, and he and his wife enjoyed several bicycling trips in both the U.S. and Europe. Interred in Section 13, Site 756 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DERUYTER, Marjorie J. Deruyter**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/marjorie-deruyter-obituary?pid=172874488>)

Marjorie Janette Deruyter, age 80 of Sarasota, FL, formerly of Poughkeepsie, NY, died on Oct. 17, 2014. Survivors include her husband Gerald Francis Deruyter; son, Robert; daughters, Patricia Millage and Karen Deruyter; brother, Levern Burm and 5 grandchildren. Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home. Interment in Section C1C-6, Row D, Site 26 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DES MARAIS, Philip H. Des Marais**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=philip-hubert-des-marais&pid=157745007>)

Philip Hubert Des Marais, age 91, of Sarasota, FL, died on May 19, 2012. Services will be Wed., at St. Martha's Catholic Church with burial in Section 7, Site 394 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by Toale Brothers Funeral Homes. He is survived by his wife, Louise his daughter, Monica and John Murphy his sister, Jean Batten of Edina, MN his three grandchildren, Abigail Selter, Dylan Murphy and Regan Murphy and by his four great grandchildren. Philip was born May 29, 1920 in Minneapolis, MN and graduated from the University of St. Thomas. He served in the U.S. Army in [WWII](#) in Germany. He studied at Georgetown University, taught political science at St. Thomas and was a vice president at St. Mary's Dominican College in New Orleans, LA. He served as Deputy Assistant Secretary at HEW in the Kennedy, Johnson and Nixon Administrations. He moved to New York City to work at Fordham University and was a member of the Holy See Observer Mission to the United Nations. He finished his career at St. Thomas and retired to Sarasota in 1986. In lieu of flowers please send donations to the Pines of Sarasota and TideWell Hospice.

**DESANTIS, Josephine Mary Desantis**

Josephine Mary Desantis was born 08/08/1923, died 12/25/2014. Interred in Section 3, Site 650 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Bruno Giordano Desantis.

**DESANTO, Richard M. DeSanto**

(Abstracted from <http://www.kays-ponger.com/obituary/175693/Richard-DeSanto/>)

Richard M. DeSanto, age 94, of Punta Gorda passed away on Saturday February 4, 2012. Richard was born December 31, 1917. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Kays-Ponger Uselton Funeral Homes and Cremation Services Port Charlotte Chapel. Interment is in Section 6, Site 872 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DESAULNIER, David Albert Desaulnier**

(Abstracted from [http://wiegand.tributes.com/our\\_obituaries/David-A.-Desaulnier-94742051](http://wiegand.tributes.com/our_obituaries/David-A.-Desaulnier-94742051))

David Albert Desaulnier of Bradenton died Nov. 13, 2012. David was born in Long Beach, CA, April 4, 1957 to Lee and Beverly Desaulnier. David entered the US Army where he met Denise, his loving wife of 35 years. Together they have two children, Mabelle and Jonathan. Following his retirement from the US Army in 1997 after 20 years of service to his country,

David worked as an Area Manager for Lennar Homes in Bradenton for 10 years. David and his wife co-owned De La Pooch Boutique and Styling located on Lakewood Ranch Blvd. David held Degrees in Architectural Design from the University of Washington and Dog Grooming from the Bay Area Pet Grooming Academy. David is survived by wife Denise, children Machel and Jonathan, his parents, his brother Dan and sister Sheryl. He was preceded in death by his sister Diana. Services will be held Monday November 19 at Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home, 7454 S. Tamiami Trail, Sarasota. Graveside service will be in Section 7, Site 60 at the VA Sarasota National Cemetery located at 9210 Clark Rd.

**DESCHENEUX, Harold R. Descheneaux**

(Abstracted from <https://www.gendronfuneralhome.com/obituaries/Harold-Descheneaux/#!/Obituary>)

Harold (Harry) R. Descheneaux - August 4, 1925-January 17, 2014 passed away with his family & friends by his side at age 88. He was known as the MAYOR of Siesta beach and will be sadly missed. Harry was a WW11 veteran and will be buried in Section 6, Site 32 at the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DESCHU, Casper William Deschu**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/app/obituary.aspx?n=casper-william-deschu&pid=168894781&fhid=8475>)

Casper William Deschu, devoted father and friend to many, passed away peacefully on December 19, 2013. He was born on April 29, 1921 into a tight-knit family and neighborhood in New Brunswick. Mr. Deschu graduated from Rutgers College and from the Naval Officers Midshipmen School at Notre Dame. He served as a naval officer aboard an LST during [WWII](#) in the Pacific theatre. Mr. Deschu's career as the Director of the Quality Control Lab at Johanna Farms in Flemington spanned 29 years where he worked to ensure food product safety and to develop new food products. Last May, at age 92, he was still driving, shopping, cooking, and busy with activities with his friends in Florida where he lived the past 4 years. He loved the sea and swimming, and enjoyed woodworking, gardening, his poker group that met for 45 years, and Rutgers reunions with his classmates. He cared gently for many pet dogs and cats throughout his life. He travelled to Alaska several times to enjoy the national parks. Until the end of his life, Mr. Deschu remained curious about modern life and technology. First and foremost, Mr. Deschu was a father to his three children and many other people who "adopted" him as a father. He is survived by his daughter Nancy (Anchorage, AK), daughter Claudia (Bradenton, FL), son Garrett (Flemington, NJ), and many relatives in several states. He was interred in Section 6, Site 2202 at Sarasota National Cemetery on January 2. In lieu of flowers, please consider donations in his name to: Rutgers College Class of 1944 70th Reunion Scholarship Campaign.

**DESEAR, Sandra Kaye DeSear**

(Abstracted from [http://kicliter.tributes.com/our\\_obituaries/Sandra-Kaye-DeSear-92942087](http://kicliter.tributes.com/our_obituaries/Sandra-Kaye-DeSear-92942087))

Sandra Kaye Craven DeSear, age 60, met the Lord on December 16, 2011. She was born February 19, 1951 and is survived by her husband of 42 years, William Everett DeSear, Jr., her children, Charity Ziegler (and son-in-law, Joseph Ziegler), Danny DeSear (and daughter-in-law, Marie DeSear), and Seth DeSear (and daughter-in-law, Amy DeSear), father Roy Craven and late mother Grace Craven, and her sister, Diane Spicer. She was blessed with nine grandchildren (Joanna, Brittany, Haili, Mandy, Tylor, Cody, Hunter, Courtney, and Erika). Sandy was a senior buyer at Chris-Craft Boats and Well-Craft Marine in Bradenton, FL and completed her career at Southern Garden Citrus in Moore Haven, FL. Kicliter Funeral Home at 517 8th Ave. W. in Palmetto, Florida is entrusted with the arrangements. Funeral will be held at Samoset First Baptist Church in Bradenton, FL at 408 31st Ave East on Tuesday, December 20. Interred in Section 6, Site 697 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DESFOSSÉS, Robert Richard Desfosses**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=142902555>)

Robert Richard Desfosses 'Bob' was a U.S. Navy Veteran born July 28, 1938 in Holyoke, MA. Bob died May 13, 2010. He moved to N. Fort Myers, FL in 1977 from Portland, ME where he had worked as a CPA. He belonged to N. Fort Myers Sailing Club and Fort Myers Harmonica Band. His other passions were piloting and spending summers on Frye Island, ME. Survived by Caroline, his wife of 48 years; children Michelle, Michael (Kristy); grandchildren Carrie, Joey, Melissa and Benjamin; great-grandchildren Chloe, Adreana, Zachary, Chevy; brother Donald (Joan), and sister Anne Barnes (Bill). Preceded in death by his parents Robert L. and Stephanie Desfosses and brother Lou (widow Judy). His life will be remembered and celebrated on Thursday, May 20, 2010 at Fort Myers Memorial Gardens, 1589 Colonial Blvd. Memorial contributions may be made to Bay Pines Health Care System, 10000 Bay Pines Blvd., Bay Pines, FL 33744, C/O Fisher House. Interred in Section 13, Site 428 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DESIMONE, Samuel Desimone**

Samuel Desimone was born 05/22/1926, died 12/25/2014. Interred in Section 3, Site 634 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DESMOND, Thomas Clark Desmond**

Thomas Clark Desmond was born 04/04/1932, died 07/08/2013. Interred in Section C1C-2, Row D, Site 46 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DESMORE, Edward Stanley Desmore**

Edward Stanley Desmore was born 03/11/1954, died 03/19/2016. Interred in Section 5, Site 1152 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DESSER, John W. Desser**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/tampabaytimes/obituary.aspx?n=john-w-desser&pid=173742398&fhid=11960>)

John W. Desser passed away Jan. 3, 2015. He was born May 27, 1921 in Detroit, MI and was an Army veteran. A funeral Mass on Thursday at Holy Cross Catholic Church. Interment will follow in Section 5, Site 565 in Sarasota National Cemetery. R. Lee Williams and Son Funeral Home, 3530 49th St. N, St. Petersburg is entrusted with the arrangements.

**DESTEFANO, John W. Destefano**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=151665039>)

John W. DeStefano, age 85, of Sarasota, formerly of New Jersey died June 4, 2011. John was born July 30, 1925. Services will be Friday at Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home. Interment will be in Section 6, Site 138 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include his daughters, Gail of Sarasota; Veronica J. Lupinacci of Sarasota; Arlene of Ventura, CA; Cindy of Bristol, VA; sister Florence Sinisi; five grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren. Also survived by 11 nieces, nephews and son-in-law, Frank Lupinacci. He was a [WWII. Purple Heart](#) Veteran who served in Normandy on D-Day, June 6, 1944 with the 83rd Combat Engineers. He was wounded in France. He served as Commander of DAV Chapter 97 of Sarasota and throughout the years he was active in the DAV, VFW, American Legion, Knights of Columbus, a volunteer firefighter; special police and top marksman.

**DETMERS, Arthur John Dettmers**

Arthur John Dettmers was born 11/30/1941, died 03/24/2009. Interred in Section 8, Site 574 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEUTSCH, Sid Deutsch**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/national-cremation/obituary.aspx?n=Sid-Deutsch&lc=2784&pid=147916239&mid=4519169>)

Sid Deutsch, age 92, of Sarasota died Jan. 8, 2011. Survivors include wife Ruth; daughters, Alice Levy of New York City, Phyllis Ohm of Vancouver, Canada and Naomi Deutsch Tummon of Sarasota; brother Murray of Boynton Beach; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. Services will be Jan. 31, 2011 in Section 13, Site 1049 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Sid was born on Sept 19, 1918 in New York City and served in the US Navy from 1944-1946. He received a BEE from Cooper Union in 1941 and a Ph.D. from Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn (Poly) in 1955. He was Professor of Electrical Engineering at Poly from 1954-1972, an affiliate of Rockefeller University from 1961-1964, Professor of Bioengineering at Rutgers University Medical School from 1972-1979, Professor at Tel Aviv University, Israel from 1977-1984 and Visiting Professor at the University of South Florida in Tampa from 1983-1998. Sid was author of eight books, most recently Einstein's Greatest Mistake: Abandonment of the Aether (2006). He was Associate Editor of IEEE Transactions on Biomedical Engineering from 1991-1996 and an elected Fellow of IEEE. His more recent essays appeared in The Skeptical Inquirer. Many of his essays can be viewed on his website at <http://www.siddeutsch.org>. Sid reviewed books for Engineering in Medicine and Biology Magazine of IEEE until November 2010. He was active in the Sarasota Audubon Society for many years. Sid was a truly amazing man who will be deeply missed by family and friends. Arrangements under the direction of National Cremation & Burial Society, Sarasota, FL.

**DEUTSCHER, Patricia Ann Deutscher**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=164580361>)

Patricia Ann Deutscher, age 75, of Venice, FL formerly of Milwaukee, WI died April 29, 2013. She was born Sep. 11, 1937 and was a member of the Christ Lutheran Church in Englewood, FL. She is survived by her husband Gordon Milo Deutscher, sons, Andrew K. of Alpharetta, GA and Brian K. of Edgewood, KY and their families, brothers, Robert Koehler and Arnold John Koehler, eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Services will be held May 3, 2013 in Section 6, Site 1771 at Sarasota National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to Christ Lutheran Church, 701 N. Indiana Avenue, Englewood, FL 34223. Ewing Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

**DEVAUGHN, James Russell Devaughn**

(Abstracted from [http://www.pongerkaysgrady.com/sitemaker/sites/Ponger1/memsol.cgi?user\\_id=1664316](http://www.pongerkaysgrady.com/sitemaker/sites/Ponger1/memsol.cgi?user_id=1664316))

James Russell 'Jim' DeVaughn, age 79, passed away peacefully Thursday, February 12, 2015 in Arcadia, FL. He was born February 18, 1935 in Mason County, KY, moving to DeSoto County 20 years ago from Vinton County, OH. Jim served in the U. S. Army for three years. He worked for the Peace River Campground for 20 years. James attended Calvary Baptist Church, Arcadia, FL. He is survived by his wife, Pam DeVaughn, daughter, Tanya (Mike) Wooford of Clarksville, OH, step-daughter, Tina (Michael) Zolkos, Arcadia, FL, step-daughter Sandee (Bob) Woods, Arcadia, FL, eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Funeral services will be Thursday, February 19, 2015 in Section 5, Site 622 at the Sarasota National Cemetery with the U. S. Army Honor Guard to render military honors. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Best Friends Animal Society, 5001 Angel Canyon Road, Kanals, Utah 84741-5000. Ponger-Kays-Grady Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Arcadia, FL is in charge of arrangements.

**DEVAULT, William Reed Devault**

(Abstracted from [https://www.meaningfulfunerals.net/?action=obituaries.obit\\_view&CFID=7d92239d-0beb-4335-9cfd-4b25b501c65b&CFTOKEN=0&o\\_id=549767&fh\\_id=10334](https://www.meaningfulfunerals.net/?action=obituaries.obit_view&CFID=7d92239d-0beb-4335-9cfd-4b25b501c65b&CFTOKEN=0&o_id=549767&fh_id=10334))

William Reed "Bill" DeVault of Lake Wales passed away Friday, February 19, 2010 at the Lake Wales Medical Center. He was born December 5, 1948 in Cincinnati, OH, and came to Lake Wales in 1983. He was a veteran of the Korean War, serving in the U.S. Army, and he was of the Baptist faith. Survivors include his wife, Alberta; daughters, LeAnn Parker, Velicia DeVault, Sasha DeVault, all of Lake Wales; son, James DeVault of Auburndale; and four grandchildren. Funeral service was Friday, February 26, 2010 in Section 8, Site 346 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEVEREAUX, Marion Devereaux**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Aug. 9, 2015)

Marion "Ken" Devereaux, born March 6, 1926 Detroit, MI, passed on July 31, 2015 in Palmetto, FL. Ken is preceded by his father, Duwayne Devereaux and mother, Minnie L. Richmond; his brother Eugene and sister, Betty Devereaux. He leaves his wife, Nina Jean Baldwin Christian; sister, JoAnn Burdick (Lee); brother, Duane Devereaux (Patricia); stepchildren, Howard Christian (Debbie) and Terrie Smith (Danny); children, Nancy, Denise and Keith; and seven grandchildren. He also leaves great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and cousins. Ken was a WWII Navy Veteran who served from 1943 to 1946. Memorial Service August 17 at First Christian Church of Sun City Center, 1707 33rd Street, Ruskin, FL 33570. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to this church. Interment September 28 in Section 3, Site 1155 of Sarasota National Cemetery (National Cremation and Burial Society (941) 923-9535).

**DEVIN, Edward J. Devin**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=121570506>)

Edward J. Devin, age 71, Venice, formerly of Boston, MA, died Dec. 16, 2008. Services will be at Lemon Bay Funeral Home, Venice Chapel. Survivors include his wife, Susan; a son, Edward John Jr., of Shrewsbury, NJ; a daughter, Elizabeth Anne, of Boston, MA; a stepdaughter, Ellen Clark; stepsons George, David, and Danny Eckelmann; four grandchildren; a niece; and a nephew. Mr. Devin served as a US Navy pilot prior to the Vietnam War, and was a human resources executive at Wang Laboratories and Fleet Financial. Interred in Section 13, Site 1151 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEVINE, Edward Arthur Devine**

Edward Arthur Devine was born 11/25/1940, died 03/14/2014. Interred in Section 5, Site 227 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEVINE, George R. Devine**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/george-r-devine/5783914>)

George R Devine of Longboat Key, Manatee County, FL was born on March 12, 1925. He died on August 26, 2010 at 85 years of age. He was buried in Sarasota National Cemetery Section 13 Site 671, Sarasota, FL.

**DEVITO, Joseph Mathew Devito**

(Abstracted from <http://obits.dignitymemorial.com/dignity-memorial/obituary.aspx?n=Joseph-Devito&lc=9759&pid=174098430&uuiid=4a630a6b-57bc-4157-aed9-3c542b2d70da>)

Joseph Mathew DeVito, age 91, of Sarasota, FL, passed away on Feb. 6, 2015, after a short illness. Born March 19, 1923 in Brooklyn, NY, Joe lived many years in Florham Park, NJ before moving to Sarasota several years ago. He was a Trust Officer at Summit Trust Company before retiring in 1987, and a professional piano player for many years. He was a proud Army veteran of WWII, and a member of Bee Ridge Presbyterian Church, in Sarasota. He is survived by his loving wife of 66 years, Frances, and sons Joseph, Jr. and wife Laura of Bloomsburg, PA, Corey and wife Jean of Sarasota, FL, and 7 grandchildren. He is also survived by a sister, Loretta DeVito. He was preceded in death by a brother, Mathew R. DeVito. A celebration of life will be

held at a later time. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Bee Ridge Presbyterian Church, 4826 South McIntosh Road, Sarasota, FL 34233. Interred in Section C1C-7, Row C, Site 26 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEVITO, Rocco Devito**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/rocco-devito/8856294>)

Rocco Devito was born on February 10, 1925. He died on June 26, 1998 at 73 years old. He was buried in Sarasota National Cemetery Section 6 Site 395, Sarasota, FL.

**DEVORE, Helen DeVore**

(Abstracted from information sent to Elmer by Randy Seaver, one of her relatives and one of Elmer's genealogy friends)  
Helen DeVore, 09/22/1921 ~ 09/09/2014 Chula Vista, CA -- Surrounded by family, Helen DeVore passed peacefully after 92 years of life. She will always be remembered for her soft spoken kindness and absolute devotion to her family. She was born in Santiago, Chile where her father, Charles Huffer, was an astronomer and her mother, Ruth, a missionary. Soon after her birth they moved to Madison, Wisconsin and her father taught astronomy for the university. Her mother died soon after their return to the states and two years later her father married Elizabeth Hart, who was a wonderful mother to Helen. She graduated from Madison West High School and attended the University of Wisconsin. She received her elementary teaching credential in 1944. The following year, Helen was recruited to teach in California. She boarded a train with her best friend visiting sites along the way and ended up in Ontario, California where she taught kindergarten. That fall the school custodian introduced her to Chester DeVore, who had just returned home from the war. They were married in December 1946 and celebrated their 64th wedding anniversary before his death in 2011. It was in 1947 when Chet's own career in education began and they moved to Chula Vista, CA. Helen devoted her life to raising their four children. She was a model of traditional family values and the quintessential homemaker. She was involved with her children's education from practicing spelling words and volunteering with scouts to being in the PTA. She served as Cook School's PTA President in 1966. She chaired the Faculty Wives Club at Southwestern College where Chet served as President/Superintendent. She was also a Charter member of the Chula Vista Presbyterian Church where she served faithfully since 1956 as a Sunday school teacher, Deacon and Elder. Helen was ahead of her time with her nutritional homemade meals, fresh vegetables, and meatless Mondays always ready to be served at 5:30. She baked bread weekly and her roll recipe is still a family holiday favorite. She read cookbooks like novels, grew sprouts and made yogurt in her spotless kitchen, and always had home baked cookies in her freezer. She also was an accomplished knitter making sweaters and afghans with intricate patterns, got great enjoyment from playing the piano from church hymns to Chopin to Scott Joplin, and had a great appreciation for poetry. Helen spent many years researching and documenting her family ancestry and tracing her roots as far back as the Mayflower. Helen's life was happy and fulfilled, but her greatest joy came from being a wife and a mother. She guided her family with love, grace, and gentle strength and her legacy will always be found in the love of the family that she leaves behind. She is survived by her 4 children, twins Janet (Skip) Arnold and John (Sheila) DeVore, son James (Sori) DeVore, daughter Ann (Frank) Pugh, 8 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. She is also survived by her half-brother James Huffer. Services will be held at the Chula Vista Presbyterian Church, 940 Hilltop Drive in Chula Vista on Saturday, September 13, 2014. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the DeVore Memorial Scholarship Fund at Southwestern College, 900 Otay Lakes Road, Chula Vista, CA 91910.

**DEVOY, David Duane Devoy**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=145729927>)

David Duane DeVoy, age 72, of Palmetto, formerly of Michigan, died Sept. 26, 2010. He was born October 21, 1937. There will be no services. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory, 43rd Street Chapel, is in charge of arrangements. Interment in Section 13, Site 999 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include his wife, Loretta of Palmetto; a son, David M. of Imlay, MI; daughters Toni Brown of Rochester Hills, MI, and Donna Henke of Lake, MI; a stepson, David M. Lesinke of Palmetto; and three grandchildren.

**DEVOY, Loretta M. Devoy**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=146356286>)

Loretta Maxine DeVoy, age 65, of Palmetto, born February 9, 1945 and formerly of Mount Clemens, Mich., died October 27, 2010. There will be no service. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory, 43rd Street Chapel, is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include stepdaughters Toni Brown of Rochester Hills, MI, and Donna Henke of Lake, MI; son David Lesinski of Palmetto; stepson David M. of Imlay, MI; sister Velma Zeek of Otto, NC; brother John Wagonis of Palmetto; and three grandchildren. Interred in Section 13, Site 999 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEWHURST, Betty H. Dewhurst**

Betty H. Dewhurst was born 03/26/1922, died 10/19/2012. Interred in Section 13, Site 1182 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Donald M. Dewhurst.

**DEWHURST, Donald M. Dewhurst**

(Abstracted from the Miami Herald on Apr. 24, 2011)

Donald M. Dewhurst, born February 16, 1919 in New Haven, CT. Don moved to Hialeah, FL in his early years. He went to work for Eastern Airlines in 1939, enlisted in the US [Army](#) Airforce in 1941 and served until 1945. He was proudly associated with EAL for 39 years until his retirement in 1978. Don died February 10, 2011. Survivors include his wife of 67 years, Betty H. Dewhurst; daughter Donna and husband Doug Brooks of Duluth, GA; son Henry Dewhurst, his wife Myra, and their daughter Samanta of Miami; son Clinton Dewhurst, his wife Donna of Jackson, MS, and their family--Chris Colletti and son Christian, Shanna Colletti and son Camden, and Tara Young; sister, Virginia Ewing; brother-in-law, Bill Stafford, and many nephews and nieces. Interred in Section 13, Site 1182 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEWHURST, Richard J. Dewhurst**

(Abstracted from [https://www.meaningfulfunerals.net/?action=obituaries.obit\\_view&CFID=7d92239d-0beb-4335-9cfd-4b25b501c65b&CFTOKEN=0&o\\_id=3608355&fh\\_id=14772](https://www.meaningfulfunerals.net/?action=obituaries.obit_view&CFID=7d92239d-0beb-4335-9cfd-4b25b501c65b&CFTOKEN=0&o_id=3608355&fh_id=14772))

Richard J. Dewhurst, 75, Bradenton, died February 19, 2016. Richard was born November 11, 1940 and has been a part time resident of Bradenton for more than thirty years. Survived by his loving wife, Terry; two sons, James (Leslie) and Thomas; three daughters, Lynne (Bryan), Susan, and Jeanne; nephew, Christopher; grandniece, Stephanie; six grandchildren, Amelia, Lily, Paige, Julia, Nicholas and Duncan. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 26th Street Chapel, 5624 26th Street West Bradenton, FL 34207 is entrusted with the arrangements. A Mass will be Thursday, February 25, 2016 at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Catholic Church with the Committal in Section 5, Site 1105 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to American Cancer Society.

**DEXTER, Arthur Harrison Dexter**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=175509099>)

Arthur ' Art' Harrison Dexter, age 69, of Venice, FL died on Aug. 13, 2015. Toale Brothers Funeral Home in Venice, FL is entrusted with the arrangements. Art was born Sep. 20, 1945 and is survived by his loving wife Peggy Dexter, his daughters Nora Dexter, Jora Dexter and Jennifer Dexter all of Venice, FL, and his son Tom Dexter of Venice, FL as well his sisters Janet Dexter and Margaret Rizzo, and his brother Fred Dexter. Art also is survived by four grandchildren and one great grandchild. Art had a military career where he was a Staff Sergeant with the U.S Army and spent two years in the Vietnam War. There will be full military honors in Section C1C-8, Row C, Site 42 at Sarasota National Cemetery at a date to be determined.

**DEXTER, Paul Stanton Dexter Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.farleyfuneralhome.com/obituary/paul-stanton-dexter/>)

Paul Stanton Dexter, age 84, of North Port, FL, formerly of Allenhurst, NJ passed away September 18, 2011. He was born June 4, 1927 and served his country in the U.S. Navy during WW II. Mr. Dexter was a Captain on the Allenhurst Police Department for 27 years, retiring in 1978. After retiring from the Police Department, he worked as a Probation Investigator for the Monmouth County Probation Department. Paul was also a member of American Legion Post 124, Police Benevolent Association Local 57, a Life Member and Volunteer of the Allenhurst Fire Department and First Aid Squad. Preceded in death by his wife Barbara Mecouch Dexter and his daughter Cathy Byrne, he leaves his only surviving daughter Joanne Gantt of Neptune City, NJ, and grandsons Greg Gantt and Joseph Byrne, IV. His family requests memorial donations be made to either the Allenhurst Fire Department & First Aid Squad, or TideWell Hospice, Inc., 5955 Rand Blvd. Sarasota, FL 34238. Farley Funeral Home, Venice, Florida has been selected to care for arrangements. Interred in Section 6, Site 402 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DEXTER, Roland Archie Dexter**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=roland-a-dexter&pid=127158281>)

Attorney Roland Archie Dexter, age 86, of Sarasota, formerly of Melbourne died April 12, 2009. He was born Aug. 14, 1922. A memorial service will be in Section 12, Site 790 May 18 at the National Veterans Cemetery in Sarasota. Survivors include daughters Jan and Mary Jane; and grandchildren Kate, Greg, Jacqueline and Michael. Roland, a longtime Melbourne resident, had a lifelong passion for law and worked as a Registered International Patent Attorney well into his 80s. He served in the Army Air Corps in World War II. Memorial donations may be made to TideWell Hospice.

**DEYO, Richard Eugene Deyo**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=richard-e-deyo&pid=169606621>)

Richard Eugene Deyo, age 84, of Sarasota passed away on Tuesday, February 4, 2014. Born September 5, 1929 in Freeport, IL, raised in Waterloo, IA, he was a Sarasota resident for 28 years, relocating from Des Moines, IA. Mr. Deyo proudly served in the [U.S. Navy](#) and was a retired attorney and real estate partner. He was a member of the Bath & Racquet Fitness Club and enjoyed dining, travel and music. Survivors include his loving wife of 58 years, SaLoma (Sally); sons, Richard, Philip (Tracy), and

Thomas; daughter, Linda Deyo; five granddaughters and one grandson. Preceded in death by son Wallace Deyo. Services will be private; interment will be in Section C1C-4, Row A, Site 22 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Arrangements by All Veterans-All Families Funerals & Cremations.

**DEZZI, John Dezzi**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=156643958>)

John Dezzi, age 82, of Sarasota, formerly of Philadelphia, Pa. died March 15, 2012. Services will be at a later date in Section 6, Site 895 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include wife of over 50 years, Nancy, daughter Joanne (Paul) Randolph; and granddaughter Christina of Largo, son Paul (Deanna) along with grandsons Adam, Stephen, Nicholas, and Ryan of Sarasota, and son Mark (Laura) along with grandsons Zachary and Connor of Sarasota. John is also survived by his brother Casto (Rosemarie) of Drexel Hill, PA. John served in the US Army and played shortstop for the Army baseball team. He retired as a Lieutenant with the Philadelphia Fire Department and the Loral Corporation of Sarasota. His greatest joy was watching his grandchildren grow up and attending his grandsons' baseball games. Memorial donations may be made to the Salvation Army.

**DHEIN, Robert Eugene Dhein**

(Abstracted from [https://www.meaningfulfunerals.net/?action=obituaries.obit\\_view&CFID=7d92239d-0beb-4335-9cfd-4b25b501c65b&CFTOKEN=0&o\\_id=3600627&fh\\_id=14772](https://www.meaningfulfunerals.net/?action=obituaries.obit_view&CFID=7d92239d-0beb-4335-9cfd-4b25b501c65b&CFTOKEN=0&o_id=3600627&fh_id=14772))

Robert Eugene Dhein, age 73, of Sarasota Florida, taken too soon on February 6, 2016. Robert was born May 19, 1942 and served in the US Army and was stationed in Korea. After being discharged he worked at Tropicana for 42 years until the time of his retirement. He also worked part time at the Red Barn Flea Market. Robert had a passion for Corvettes and loved working outdoors. Robert had a huge heart and his happy go lucky spirit will be dearly missed. Robert leaves behind his wife of 33 years, Sharon; daughter, Robin Walker of Bradenton; two granddaughters, Kiera Walker and Kelsey Walker. Robert is also survived by 4 brothers, Art of Minnesota, Terry of Bradenton, George of Minnesota and Walt of South Carolina; 1 sister, Lorraine Richie of Bradenton. He also leaves behind several nieces and nephews. Family and friends will join to Celebrate Robert's Life on his birthday, May 19, 2016 at their home in Sarasota. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 26th Street Chapel is in charge. Interred in Section 3, Site 1509 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DI NARDI, Francis A. Di Nardi**

Francis A. Di Nardi was born 01/27/1925, died 03/16/2013. Interred in Section 6, Site 1918 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DI PERNA, Paul P. Di Perna**

(Abstracted from <http://www.farleyfuneralhome.com/obituary/paul-di-perna/>)

Paul Di Perna, age 91, of North Port, FL passed away peacefully, with family at his side, on January 5, 2014. Paul was born November 12, 1922 in Elena, Italy to the late Maira and Luigi Di Perna. Paul graduated Somerville High School in Somerville, MA. He served in WWII Army Air Force. He owned his own Variety Store in Somerville, MA. Paul was a construction worker for Turner Construction Company for 25 years. He enjoyed yard work, going to the beach, playing golf and going on cruises with his wife. He enjoyed spaghetti and meatballs with a glass of wine. Paul was preceded in death by his wife of 61 years, Viola DiPerna, whom he lovingly called 'Babe'. Survivors include children: Diane Conti of Rye, NH, Paula Chiapperini of North Port; Estelle Clark of Peabody, MA; 7 grandchildren: Angela Ewing, Danielle Conti-Owens, Stephen Chiapperini, Jessica Domenech, Vanessa Chiapperini, Anthony Chiapperini and Eric Clark; 9 great grandchildren: Sydney, Emmett, Iain, Lindsey, Isabel, Dylan, Thalia, Kayla, JuJu and 2 great-great grandchildren: Addison and Florence. Farley Funeral Home, North Port Chapel is entrusted with the arrangements. A Burial will be in Section 7, Site 1021 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Memorial Donations may be made to TideWell Hospice, 5955 Rand Boulevard, Sarasota, FL 34238.

**DI PERNA, Viola Di Perna**

(Abstracted from <http://www.farleyfuneralhome.com/obituary/viola-diperna/>)

Viola DiPerna, age 87, of North Port, FL passed away peacefully, with family at her side on October 17, 2013. Viola was born September 28, 1926 in New London, CT to the late Viola Veronica (Kozlowski) and Stephen F. Stubelick. Viola graduated Everett High School in Everett, MA in 1947. She was a shoe model for Edwin Case in Boston, worked for many years at Hallmark Cards and was a member of Sons of Italy. She enjoyed bingo, sewing, crocheting & knitting, baking and loved to go on cruises. Survivors include her beloved husband of 61 years, Paul P. DiPerna; children: Diane Conti of Rye, NH, Paula Chiapperini of North Port; Estelle Clark of Peabody, MA; 7 grandchildren: Angela Ewing, Danielle Conti-Owens, Stephen Chiapperini, Jessica Domenech, Vanessa Chiapperini, Anthony Chiapperini and Eric Clark; 9 great grandchildren: Sydney, Emmett, Iain, Lindsey, Isabel, Dylan, Thalia, Kayla, JuJu and 2 great-great grandchildren: Addison and Florence. Farley Funeral Home, North Port Chapel is entrusted with the arrangements. Graveside services in Section 7, Site 1021 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Memorial Donations may be made to TideWell Hospice, 5955 Rand Boulevard, Sarasota, FL 34238.



**DI RISIO, Dominic Anthony Di Risio Jr.**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/dominic-anthony-di-risio-jr/126041581>)

Dominic Anthony Di Risio Jr was born on December 25, 1937. He died on January 3, 2010 at 72 years old. He was buried in Sarasota National Cemetery Section 13 Site 148, Sarasota, FL.

**DI SANTO, David Paul Di Santo**

David Paul Di Santo was born 08/18/1938, died 04/20/2015. Interred in Section C1C-7, Row A, Site 47 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DI SANTO, David Paul Di Santo**

Louis J. Di Tullio Jr. was born 04/04/1929, died 01/12/2011. Interred in Section C1C-5, Row B, Site 13 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIAMOND, William Diamond Sr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=142059478>)

Sgt. William "Bill" Diamond Sr., M.C.S.O., age 61, of Sarasota, formerly of Lodi, NJ, died April 16, 2010. Shannon Funeral Home Town Chapel, Bradenton is entrusted with the arrangements. A Mass of Christian burial will be Friday, April 23, at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Catholic Church, Sarasota, with full police honors to be rendered at the church. Committal services will follow in Section 8, Site 582 at Sarasota National Cemetery, with final military honors by the U.S. Navy. Sgt. Diamond was born July 25, 1948, in the Bronx, NY. He served in the U.S. Navy during the Vietnam War. He moved to Florida in October of 1996 from Lodi, NJ. While living in Lodi he worked as a Lodi policeman, a member and past president of the Bergen County Board of Realtors, the Lodi Knights of Columbus Council #2861, where he served as a grand knight, former district deputy, and sir knight is currently a member of Council #3358 and he was also a member of the Lodi V.F.W. Locally he was a sergeant with the Manatee County Sheriff's Office working with special investigations. Bill was a member of the Our Lady Queen of Martyrs and formerly of Incarnation Catholic Church in Sarasota. He was also a member and president of the Woodlake Villas Condominium Association. He was predeceased by his mother, Lillian Diamond, and is survived by his loving wife of 39 years, Marie (nee Nuccitelli) of Sarasota; two sons, William (Diana) Diamond Jr. of Naples and Jerry (Christina) Diamond of Palmetto; father, Jerome Diamond of Lodi; one sister, Adrienne (Ted) Marzocchi of Lodi; and four beloved grandchildren, William III, Ava Anne, Taylor and Caleb Diamond; and many extended family members. The family request that in lieu of flowers, please contact Shannon Funeral Home at 746-2111 for memorial donation information.

**DIAS, Joan M. Dias**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/joan-m-dias/6742663>)

Joan M. Dias was born on January 25, 1933. She died on January 19, 2001 at 67 years of age. She was buried in Sarasota National Cemetery Section 8 Site 348, Sarasota, FL. Wife of James E. Dias.

**DIAZ-PADILLA, Felix Manuel Diaz-Padilla**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=164883737>)

Felix Manuel Diaz-Padilla, age 74, of North Port, FL, died on May 12, 2013. Burial will be in Section 7, Site 831 on Wed., May 22, 2013 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, Florida. A memorial service will be Fri., May 24, 2013 at New Hope Community Church, 5600 S. Biscayne Drive, in North Port, FL. Funeral arrangements by Ewing Funeral Home.

**DIAZ-RODRIGUEZ, Vicente Diaz-Rodriguez**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/lehigh-acres-fl/vicente-diazrodriguez-5702104>)

Vicente Diaz-Rodriguez, age 83, of Lehigh Acres, FL was born February 25, 1930 and passed away Tuesday October 15, 2013. Funeral service will be at Hodges-Farley Funeral Home 1100 Lee Blvd. Lehigh Acres. Interment with Military Honors will be in Section 7, Site 1022 at Sarasota National Cemetery, Sarasota, FL

**DIBELLO, Concetta Marie DiBello**

(Abstracted from <http://obits.syracuse.com/obituaries/syracuse/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=172369917>)

Concetta M. DiBello (Caporizzo), age 91, died on September 3, 2014. She was born November 21, 1922 in Pater Napoli, Italy and came to the US at the age of nine years old. She resided in Syracuse and Camillus, NY until she and her husband moved to Manatee County, Florida in 1991. She is survived by her devoted husband, Onofrio D. DiBello; her son, Anthony J. DiBello and his wife, Marguerite; sister, Antoinette Froio of Westvale, NY; three grandchildren, Paul A. DiBello, Southlake, TX, Neal T. DiBello, Frisco, TX, Laurie Ann DiBello, Liverpool, NY; two great-grandsons, Dean and Dylan DiBello, Southlake, TX; and several nieces and nephews. She is predeceased by a brother, Anthony Caporizzo; and a sister, Clara Cohen. Concetta and her husband, Onofrio

celebrated their 71st wedding anniversary in August, 2014. A memorial Mass will be September 11, 2014 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 3100 26th Street, Bradenton, FL 34205. In lieu of flowers, a donation payable to Onofrio DiBello, 11101 Water Lily Way, Lakewood Ranch, FL 34202 will be presented to Heartland Health Care Center, North Sarasota, FL, for the loving care they provided. Interred in Section C1C-6, Row B, Site 13 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIBETTA, Barbara A. Dibetta**

Barbara A. Dibetta was born 04/09/1948, died 10/12/2012. Interred in Section 7, Site 577 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of John Peter Dibetta.

**DIBITETTO, Michael Joseph Dibitetto**

(Abstracted from <http://obituaries.eagletribune.com/obituary/michael-dibitetto-1926-2014-771063091>)

VENICE, FL: Mr. Michael Joseph DiBitetto, age 87, died in peace at his home in Venice, FL, on August 31, 2014, after a courageous battle against cancer. He was born October 9, 1926, in Lawrence, MA, to Michele and Raphaela. He was a graduate of Lawrence High School Class of 1944, and later from Burdett Business College under the GI Bill. Mike enlisted in the U.S. Navy on November 6, 1944, and served aboard LCI (L) 596 In the Pacific Theater, was honorably discharged on June 2, 1946, and was awarded WWII Victory Medal, American Theatre Medal and Asiatic Pacific Theater Medal. On September 23, 1951, he joined Ethel (Thalia Moskonas) in Holy Matrimony, whose love he had shared for over 63 years. He custom built their first home in Lawrence from heavy beams salvaged from the wool mills. To accommodate his young family, he custom built a home in Andover in 1963, before downsizing to Bradford in 1978, then settling in Venice in 1994. With his father, and later his sons, he owned and operated Michael DiBitetto and Son(s), Inc., Excavating Contractors with sand and stone plants in Lawrence and Andover, MA, from where materials were supplied for use in construction of Interstate Highways 93 and 495, Logan and Lawrence airports, and other local and regional projects of note. He also owned and operated Crestshire Realty Co., Inc., with his wife, and later his sons, developing numerous residential communities and Lawrence Industrial West Park, until his retirement in 1994. He was active in his parish, Men of Merrimack, Sons of Italy, and Knights of Columbus, as well as the Greater Lawrence Home Builders Association, where he served as president in 1973. He was instrumental in its joining with the Greater Lowell Home Builders Association to form Northeast Builders Association. Nicknamed "Old Blood and Guts" by his teammates, at 5'7" and barely 155 pounds soaking wet, he was a starter as offensive guard for the Lawrence Lancers Varsity Football Team. Always affable, "Mike" was loved by all who enjoyed the pleasure of knowing and sharing time with him, especially his family who so admires him and whom he adored! A product of the "Old School," he spelled luck, "W-O-R-K"!!! And he instilled this ethic in his heirs! He set a shining example for all to follow and his legacy is his family of whom he had always been so proud! He is survived by his dear wife, Ethel; son, Michael John and his wife, Jean, of Hooksett, NH; grandson, Christopher and wife, Ashley; and granddaughter, Natale; as well as great-grandson, Baudin; son, John and his wife, Christina; and granddaughter, Nicole; and grandson, Johnny of Bradford, MA. He is also survived by his sister, Ann, and brother-in-law, Nick Maucieri; and his sister, Eleanor, and brother-in-law, Ralph Traverso, all of Lawrence, MA; sister-in-law, Penelope Chongris of St. Petersburg, FL; and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents. A Memorial Service will be held at Sacred Hearts Parish Chapel, 165 South Main St., Bradford, on Tuesday, September 9. Interment will be in Section C1C-6, Row C, Site 10 in Sarasota National Cemetery, Sarasota, Fla. Memorial charitable contributions may be sent to Sacred Hearts School Endowment Fund, 48 So. Chestnut St., Bradford, MA 01835.

**DICENZO, Alexander M. Dizenzo**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/theledger/obituary.aspx?n=alexander-m-dicenzo&pid=158138270>)

Alexander M. DiCenzo of Sarasota, FL, formerly of Beverly, MA died at home June 16, 2012, from lung cancer. Alex was predeceased by his brother Roger DiCenzo. He is survived by his wife, Norma Israel, his daughter Heather DiCenzo-Kern (Kevin), son Michael, step-daughter Juniper Israel, step-son Jason Israel, granddaughter Madison Kern, sister Marie Thompson (Bob), and brother John DeCenzo. He is also survived by Susan J. Garrette, sister-in-law Sara DiCenzo, and other family. Born March 27, 1944 in Beverly, MA, Alex also lived in Scarborough, ME and Goshen, NY before moving to Tampa, FL in 1989. A cum laude graduate of Salem State College and former U.S. Marine, Alex had many careers, including banking and NY Life office manager, but in 1992 he found his calling working with people with special needs. In 1997, he became a special education teacher and taught for 13 years. He touched many lives. Friends and family are invited to Alex's celebration of life memorial at the American Legion, Post 152, 11211 Sheldon Road, Tampa, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to UCP of SW FL, 2203 30th Ave W. Bradenton, FL 34205 or Alturas Elementary, 4th & Oak, Alturas, FL 33820. Interred in Section 6, Site 1090 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DICIANO, Carlo J. Diciano**

Carlo J. Diciano was born 04/09/1915, died 01/17/2011. Interred in Section 8, Site 907 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DICKASON, Richard Clair Dickason**

(Abstracted from the Herald Tribune 6/1/2011)

Richard Clair Dickason, age 79, of Sarasota, formerly of Macomb, IL born October 13, 1931 and died May 11, 2011. There will be no services. Burial will be in Section 6, Site 549 in Sarasota National Cemetery. National Cremation Society, Sarasota, is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include his loving wife, Noriko; daughter Jasmyn; and two granddaughters, Chelsea and Jackie. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends who will always remember him for his quick wit and keen sense of humor.

**DICKEN, Charles Henry Dicken**

(Abstracted from the Rochester Post-Bulletin)

Dr. Charles Henry Dicken, 77, died Saturday, Aug. 10, 2013, at Saint Marys Hospital of complications from a stroke. Visitation will be at the River Park Chapel, Macken Funeral Home from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 16. Burial will be a private ceremony in Monticello, Ark. Charles was raised in Monticello, Ark., and educated at Hendrix College in Conway, Ark., with a BA in chemistry and at the University of Arkansas Medical School with an MD and an MS in biochemistry in 1962. After medical school, he spent a year of internship in medicine at the University of Alabama Medical Center in Birmingham. The United States Army drafted him from 1963 to 1965 for duty with the Eighth Special Forces at Fort Bragg, N.C., and in the U.S. Canal Zone, Panama. Following his service, Charles came to Rochester for a three-year residency in dermatology at Mayo Clinic, 1965 to 1968. When he left Mayo, Dr. Dicken established a private practice in dermatology in Ogden, Utah, for eight years. In 1976, he returned to Rochester as a consultant in dermatology at Mayo Clinic where he enjoyed teaching both dermatology residents and Mayo Medical School students. Dr. Dicken retired after 20 years at Mayo Clinic and then entered practice in dermatology at Olmsted Medical Center for the next eight years. He was board certified, a professor, a member of several professional societies, and an author of numerous medical articles. Besides his medical practice, his special interests were education, tennis and reading. He is survived by his wife of 50 years, Brenda (Conti); two children, Charles Junior (Kristine) of Winona, and Kyra (Cory) Reys of Northwood, Iowa; and seven grandchildren, Derek, Alexandra, Austin, Aspen, Cole, Tayler and Logan. Charles was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers. Memorials may be directed to: The Dr. and Mrs. Charles Dicken Endowed Scholarship, Hendrix College, 1600 Washington Avenue, Conway, AR 72032-3080; or The Conti-Dicken Family Scholarship Fund #CR002949, Gift Processing, Tufts University, 80 George Street, Medford, MA 02155

**DICKENS, Clare H. Dickens**

Clare H. Dickens was born 10/21/1930, died 03/01/2011. Interred in Section 6, Site 209 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DICKERMAN, Beverly Tyler Dickerman**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=118732866>)

Beverly Carol Tyler Dickerman, age 73, Sarasota was born Dec. 22, 1934 and died Oct. 1, 2008. Services will be Thursday at Sarasota Memorial Park. Entombment will follow immediately in Section C1C-7, Row C, Site 38 of the Sarasota National Cemetery after services. A Celebration of Beverly's life will be held at Palm-Aire Country Club following services. Palms-Robarts Funeral Home handled local arrangements. Survivors include her husband of 47 wonderful years, Norman [Dickerman](#); daughters Jodi Vose of Mooresville, NC, and Wendy Lindberg of Germantown, MD; a sister, Patricia Divine of Toronto; and grandchildren Gregory and Alexandra of Mooresville, NC and Evan of Germantown, MD. She was preceded in death by her parents Leonard Tyler and Estelle Barber. Beverly completed pediatric nurse training at North Shore Baby's Hospital in Massachusetts. She worked in medical care until she met her husband, Norman. Bev and Norman happened to meet at an eastside diner where they were introduced to each other by a waitress they both knew. One year later they were married. They lived in Massachusetts, New Jersey, Ohio, and Rhode Island as Norman's work required. Beverly discovered a hidden talent in sales. She worked her way to becoming a sales director for Mary Kay Cosmetics. When Norman started his own business, Beverly became a record-breaking salesperson with Casual Corner. Beverly then devoted herself to raising her two children. She had a tremendous amount of energy in everything she did with her family. Her fastidiousness was apparent in her appearance and her home. Beverly never rested when there was work to be done and never was seen with one hair out of place. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions can be made to her 5-year-old grandson Evan's medical fund at Evan's Fund, c/o Health and Medicine Counsel of Washington, 507 Capitol Court, NE, Suite 200, Washington, DC 20007.

**DICKERMAN, Norman Dickerman**

Norman Dickerman was born 8/2/1929, died 2/18/2015. Interred in Section C1C-7, Row C, Site 38 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DICKINSON, Richard Cline Dickinson Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.tributes.com/obituary/show/Richard-C.-Dickinson-92520179>)

Richard Cline Dickinson Jr. of North Port, FL was born on September 17, 1945 and passed away on Wednesday, September 28, 2011. Interred in Section 6, Site 407 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DICKINSON, Warren H. Dickinson**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=108037799>)

Warren H. Dickinson, age 80, Sarasota, born February 13, 1927, formerly of Cary, IL, died Jan. 14, 2008. Services will be Tuesday at Glenridge at Palmer Ranch, Sarasota, in the Mac room. Interment in Section 12, Site 411 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DICKS, Emil F. Dicks**

Emil F. Dicks was born 11/06/1920, died 01/17/2009. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row D, Site 42 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DICKSON, Thomas W. Dickson**

Thomas W. Dickson was born 4/9/1924, died 8/2/2015. Interred in Section C1C-8, Row D, Site 50 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIDINGER, Marie Helen Didinger**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=134386174>)

Marie Helen Didinger, age 84, of Sarasota, formerly of Philadelphia, died Oct. 11, 2009. Toale Brothers Funeral Home, Colonial Chapel is entrusted with the arrangements. Services will be Friday at Church of the Incarnation. Burial will be in Section 8, Site 265 in Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include a son, Raymond R. of Philadelphia; grandchildren David and Kathleen; great-granddaughters Haley and Kaitlyn; and a brother, William Curran of Mantua, NJ. Mrs. Didinger was the daughter of the late William and Mary Curran. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Church of the Incarnation in Sarasota.

**DIDINGER, Raymond George Didinger**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=123346238>)

Raymond George Didinger, age 85, Sarasota, formerly of Philadelphia, PA, died Jan. 22, 2009. Funeral services will be Tuesday at Toale Brothers Colonial Chapel. Survivors include his wife of 63 years, Marie; a son, Raymond R., of Philadelphia; grandchildren David and Kathleen; and great-granddaughters Haley and Kaitlyn. Mr. Didinger was the son of the late Raymond E. and Margaret Didinger. He served as a navigator on a B-24 bomber during World War II. He continued to serve in the Air Force Reserve until 1983, retiring with the rank of major. He worked for the Welded Tube Company of America, based in Philadelphia and Chicago, as vice president of Engineering for 30 years. He retired in 1988. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to The Church of the Incarnation in Sarasota. Interred in Section 8, Site 265 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIEDERICH, Donald Hugh Diederich**

Donald Hugh Diederich was born 03/31/1933, died 11/02/2011. Interred in Section 7, Site 156 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIEFENBACH, Barry Owen Diefenbach**

Barry Owen Diefenbach was born 03/28/1932, died 02/17/2014. Interred in Section C1C-4, Row C, Site 35 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIEFENBACH, Nancy Faye Diefenbach**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/nancy-faye-diefenbach/35905242>)

Nancy Faye Diefenbach of Port Charlotte, Charlotte County, FL was born on October 12, 1932. She died on November 2, 2008 at 76 years old. Interred in Section C1C-4, Row C, Site 35 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Barry Owen Diefenbach.

**DIEFENDERFER, Patricia J. Diefenderfer**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/hartfordcourant/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=177371>)

Patricia Jean (Boring) Diefenderfer, age 74, Sarasota, FL, died Wednesday, (December 19, 2001). She was born April 14, 1927 in Bradford, PA, and came to Sarasota in 1990 from Windsor. She was a homemaker and a volunteer for the American Heart Association and the YMCA, both in Sarasota, FL. She was a member of Welcome Wagon in Connecticut and Vamo United Methodist Church. Survivors include her husband, James C. "Jim" Diefenderfer Jr.; daughters, Sue Schaefer of Santa Barbara, CA, and Janet Lavallee of Salem, NH; sons, Jay of San Diego, and Dale of Wilbraham, MA; a sister, Donna Charles of Jamestown, NY; and six grandchildren. National Cremation Society, Sarasota chapter is in charge. Memorial donations may be made to Alzheimer's Assoc., 1230 S. Tuttle Ave., Sarasota, FL 34239 or to Vamo United Methodist Church Memorial Fund, Sarasota, FL 34231. Interred in Section 13, Site 1035 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIEL, Paul Anthony Diel**

(Abstracted from <https://suncitycenterfuneralhome.com/tribute/details/92841/Paul-Diel/obituary.html>)

Paul Anthony Diel, age 80, passed away Tuesday, November 4, 2014 at his home in Sun City Center, FL. Born in Pittsburgh, PA on December 12, 1933, he was a deeply loved and loving husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. Following his graduation from North Catholic H.S. in 1953, he enlisted in the Air Force as an aircraft mechanic and was a staff sergeant and an electrical engineer at the time of his discharge in 1961. Paul was married to Elsie Fitzsimmons Diel in 1957 and together they raised 3 children. Following his discharge he returned to his family's hometown of Pittsburgh where he was hired by Pitney Bowes as an engineer. It was during his 33 years working for Pitney Bowes that he moved his family to Fairfield, CT. Following retirement, he and his wife moved to Sun City Center, FL where they have lived for 16 years. Continuing a long and proud family tradition, he was a member of the American Legion for 50+ years. Paul is survived by his wife, Elsie, his 3 children, Kathy Nutley, Scott Diel, and Beth Jennings, his grandchildren, Mark Gannon, Mike Gannon, Nicole Maucher, Amanda Jennings and his great-grandchildren, Jax Gannon and Hunter Gannon. Paul's first love was always his wife and family with whom he shared unconditional love, pride and his wonderful sense of humor. There are no words for how deeply he is missed. Please consider sending a donation to the Disabled American Veterans foundation in lieu of flowers. The DAV was his chosen charity and they can be contacted at [www.nsf.dav.org](http://www.nsf.dav.org), DAV National Service Foundation, 3725 Alexandria Pike, Cold Spring, KY 41076 or by calling 877-426-2838 x1017. Interred in Section C1C-6, Row A, Site 29 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIELS, Armin C. Diels**

Armin C. Diels was born 12/09/1926, died 12/12/2010. Interred in Section 13, Site 897 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIELS, Deloris K. Diels**

Deloris K. Diels was born 05/01/1931, died 03/20/2011. Interred in Section 13, Site 897 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Armin C. Diels.

**DIENER, Margaret I. Diener**

(Abstracted from <https://suncitycenterfuneralhome.com/tribute/details/92327/Margaret-Diener/obituary.html>)

Margaret I., Diener, age 84, of Sun City Center, FL passed away March 8, 2013. She was born May 24, 1928 and was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Diener and by her sister, Ottilie Wilkins. Survivors include seven children, Randy (Katherine) Diener, Cynthia (Bob) Storch, Christopher Diener, Holly Newman, Lisa (Michael) Sklar, Peter (Joy) Diener and Meg (Terry) Walter, 17 grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Memorial service will be Saturday, March 30, 2103 at Sun City Center Funeral Home, 1851 Rickenbacker Drive, Sun City Center, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to LifePath Hospice, 3725 Upper Creek Drive, Ruskin, FL 33573. Interred in Section C1C-2, Row B, Site 3 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIENER, Robert W. Diener**

(Abstracted from <https://suncitycenterfuneralhome.com/tribute/details/92329/Robert-Diener/obituary.html>)

Robert W. Diener "Bob" age 84, passed away August 13, 2010. He was born June 8, 1926 and served in the Army Air Corps during World War II. Survivors include his wife of 63 years, Margaret, three sons, Randy Diener and his wife, Kathy, Chris Diener and Peter Diener and his wife, Joy, four daughters, Cindy Storch and her husband, Bob, Holly Newman, Lisa Sklar and her husband, Michael, and Meg Walter and her husband, Terry, a brother, Richard Diener, 17 grandchildren and three great grandchildren. A memorial service will be Thursday, August 26, 2010 at Sun City Center Funeral Home, 1851 Rickenbacker Drive, Sun City Center, FL. Interment is in Section C1C-2, Row B, Site 3 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIERDORFF, Donald Herschel Dierdorff**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Nov. 4, 2012)

Donald Herschel Dierdorff, age 84, of Sebring, FL, passed away on Wednesday, October 31, 2012, at his residence with his loving wife at his side. He was born on January 10, 1928, in Brazil, IN, and came to Sebring in 1984, from Morton, IL. He was in sales with Cummins Diesel. He was in the United States Army for 22 years and served in the Korean Conflict. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Sebring. He loved golfing, was an Orlando Magic basketball fan and was known as Mr. Fix-it. He also loved computer games and yard work. He is survived by his wife, Eunice M. Dierdorff of Sebring, FL; sons, Steven Michael Dierdorff and wife, Kathy of Ft. Myers, Florida, Donald Dierdorff of Bloomington, IL, David Wesley Dierdorff and wife, Jada of Porter, TX; brothers, Floyd Dierdorff of Sebring, FL, Leon Dierdorff and wife, Charlene of Sebring, FL; 6 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren. Burial will be in Section 6, Site 1350 in Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, Florida, with military honors. Arrangements are under the direction of: Dowden Funeral Home 2605 Bayview Street Sebring, Florida 33870.

**DIETZ, Edward Robert Dietz Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=89706567>)

Dr. Edward R. Dietz Jr., age 50, Sarasota, formerly of Point Pleasant, NJ, died June 22, 2007. Services will be Wednesday at Incarnation Catholic Church. Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include his son, Stephen of Sarasota; a daughter, Luanne of Sarasota; and a sister, Lisa Rivenburg of Clarksville, TN. Interred in Section 3, Site 184 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIETZ, Eleanor M. Dietz**

(Abstracted from [http://www.genealogybuff.com/ucd/webbbs\\_config.pl/noframes/read/849](http://www.genealogybuff.com/ucd/webbbs_config.pl/noframes/read/849))

OCALA — Eleanor M. Dietz, age 81, a homemaker, [died](#) Thursday, February 1, 2001, at home. Born December 20, 1919 and a native of St. Louis, she moved here from Sarasota in 1996. Mrs. Dietz was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and Top of the World's bridge, social, pinochle and shuffleboard clubs. Survivors include her husband, Raymond M. Dietz, Ocala; daughters, Audrey Wentworth, Sarasota, and sister Mary Dietz, Highland, IL; sons, Robert Dietz, Wildwood, MO, and Richard Dietz, Okinawa; two grandchildren; and one great-grandchild. [Roberts](#) Funeral Home, Downtown Ocala Chapel, provided information. Interred in Section 6, Site 777 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIETZ, Raymond Mathew Dietz**

Raymond Mathew Dietz was born 08/08/1919, died 09/22/2011. Interred in Section 6, Site 777 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIGGS, Edward Jackson Diggs III**

Edward Jackson Diggs III, was born 04/01/1931, died 01/27/2009. Interred in Section 12, Site 433 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIGIULIO, Peter John Digiulio**

Peter John Digiulio was born 03/28/1923, d. 05/28/2009. Interred in Section 12, Site 864 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DILEONARDO, Anthony J. Dileonardo**

Anthony J. Dileonardo was born 12/10/1912, died 03/12/2010. Interred in Section 8, Site 427 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DILIBERTO, Gregory Charles Diliberto Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=152667309>)

Gregory Charles Diliberto, Jr., age 81, of Sarasota died July 18, 2011. Gregory was born January 11, 1930. Services will be Friday at Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home with interment following in Section 7, Site 28 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include his wife, Carole; a son, Mark of Kensington, CT; a daughter, Patricia Davis of Cape Cod, MA and a brother, Edward of Holyoke, MA. Memorial donations may be made to Tidewell Hospice Inc., 5559 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238.

**DILKS, Elizabeth Helen Dilks**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=165361919>)

Elizabeth H. "Betty" Dilks, age 94, of Venice, FL, formerly of Maple Shade, NJ, died on Jun. 7, 2013. Betty was born June 23, 1918. Services will be Sat. June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2013, at Emanuel Lutheran Church in Venice, FL. Funeral arrangements by National Cremation and Burial Society. Survivors include her son, Howell C. and daughter-in-law, Mary Pat C. of Voorhees, NJ; four granddaughters: Meagan Dilks of Baltimore, MD, Caitlin Collins (Michael) of Orlando, FL, Molly Dilks and Callie Dilks of Voorhees, NJ and great-granddaughter, Lucy Mae Collins. Betty was a member of Emanuel Lutheran Church for over thirty years and active in the Dorcas Quilting Mission. She was also an avid square dancer with her husband, Howell, for many years. Memorial donations may be made to the Salvation Army or the Emanuel Lutheran Church, Venice. Interred in Section 13, Site 1303 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DILKS, Howell Samuel Dilks**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/national-cremation/obituary.aspx?n=HOWELL+SAMUEL-DILKS&lc=2784&pid=148630221&mid=4557332>)

Howell S. Dilks, age 92 of Venice, formerly of Maple Shade, NJ passed away February 12, 2011. Howell was born on April 30, 1918. Services will be in Section 13, Site 1303 of the Sarasota National Cemetery at a later date. Survivors include his wife of 68 years, Elizabeth; son, Howell C. of Voorhees, NJ; sister, Ruth A. Padgett of Williamstown, NJ and 4 granddaughters. Howell was a Sergeant who served 3 years in the South Pacific during WWII. Memorial donations may be made to the Salvation Army or the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Venice. Arrangements under the direction of National Cremation & Burial Society, Sarasota, FL.

**DILLARD, Dolores Dillard**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on July 10, 2010)

Dolores Evitt Dillard loving wife, mother, grandmother and great-grand-mother passed away on July 2, 2010. Dolores was born January 3, 1938. Interred in Section 8, Site 695 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Harris Dillard.

**DILORETO, Gildo V. Diloreto**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=gildo-v-diloreto&pid=176793512&fhid=8477>)

Gildo V. DiLoreto, age 87, of Sarasota, FL, born August 3, 1928 and died on Dec. 2, 2015. Funeral arrangements by National Cremation and Burial Society, Sarasota. Interred in Section 3, Site 1307 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIMAGGIO, Frances Dimaggio**

Frances Dimaggio was born 09/03/1926, died 11/13/2003. Interred in Section 8, Site 287 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Philip J. Dimaggio.

**DIMAGGIO, Philip J. Dimaggio**

(Abstracted from <https://hiers-baxley.com/tribute/details/38937/Philip-DiMaggio/obituary.html>)

THE VILLAGES - Philip J. DiMaggio, age 92, passed away Wednesday, September 16, 2009. Mr. DiMaggio was born February 6, 1917 in Collinsville, IL and moved to The Villages from Miami Springs, FL nine years ago. He was a retired machinist in the aircraft industry; member of St Timothy Catholic Community and a member of the Italian-American Club of The Villages. He was an avid fan and enjoyed watching the New York Yankees, Miami Dolphins, and FSU football. As a hobby he enjoyed his Mr. fix-it projects. Survivors include his two daughters Laurie (Paul) Enander, The Villages; Lynn Brown, Ocala; brother, Joe DiMaggio, Ocala; and five grandchildren. Interred in Section 8, Site 287 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIMAIO, Anthony Dominick Dimaio**

Anthony Dominick Dimaio was born 11/03/1933, died 12/20/2012. Interred in Section C1C-2, Row B, Site 33 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIMATTIA, Ernest A. DiMattia, Jr**

(Abstracted from Tom Kemp, one of Elmer's Genealogy friends)

STAMFORD, CT, June 27, 2014 - Ernest A. DiMattia, Jr., the Ferguson Library president who ushered the library into the digital age and during his 38-year tenure oversaw the renovation of the Main Library and all three of its branches, died on Thursday of cancer at the age of 74. Mr. DiMattia, known as Ernie to his legions of friends, was one of the longest serving library directors in Connecticut. Ferguson Library Board of Trustees Chair Michael J. Cacace said, "Ernie was an extraordinary leader of the Ferguson Library. However, the true measure of his loss will be felt throughout the community - because he was one of the unique leaders that make Stamford a wonderful place, sharing his wisdom, guidance, time and energy in so many ways. He was a good, kind and caring man; and the entire community mourns his loss." Mr. DiMattia came to the Ferguson Library in 1976, when library users still thumbed through card catalogs to look for a book, and library music collections were on vinyl. He saw the promise of the Internet early on, and in 1995, the Ferguson became the first public library in Connecticut to provide public Internet access. He was a fierce champion of the Ferguson and libraries in general, and held a series of leadership positions in the American Library Association, the Connecticut Library Association and other library organizations. He most recently served on the board of the Connecticut State Library. Governor Dannell Malloy, who as mayor of Stamford, frequently debated with Mr. DiMattia over the library budget, said, "Ernie was a champion and advocate for libraries in a difficult time for libraries. He was the best, the dearest, smartest ...an incredible human being." In 1979, Mr. DiMattia oversaw the creation of the Friends of the Ferguson Library, the library's volunteer support group which now raises \$200,000 annually through its used book shop. That same year, he undertook the expansion and renovation of the Main Library's turn of the century building. A second renovation was completed in 2011. He opened a passport office and a Starbucks (the first public library in the U.S. to do so), which became important sources of revenue for the library. Mayor David Martin said, "Ernie's passion for the Library and helping the thousands of people who visited it was something I always admired. This is a great loss to both his family and to our community." In recent years, Mr. DiMattia became committed to ensuring public library access to ebook technology, chairing the Connecticut Library Association's Ebook Task Force from 2011-2012. He was ever interested in the changing role of libraries, and recognized that to stay relevant they had to reinvent themselves as community spaces and centers of continuing education. "He cared about the future of public libraries," said Sandra Goldstein, President of the Stamford Downtown Special Services District, and a member of the Ferguson Library Board of Trustees. "He cared about the community. He was an extraordinary man, loved by everyone, respected and admired by everyone." Mr. DiMattia served on the boards of a number of local organizations, including Junior Achievement, Stamford Rotary Club, Stamford Center for the Arts, United Way of Western

Connecticut and the World Affairs Forum. He was an associate professor/visiting lecturer at the University of Connecticut School of Business, Rutgers University Graduate School of Communication and Information, Simmons College Graduate School of Library and Information Science, and Pratt Institute School of Information and Library Science. He is survived by his wife Susan, and children Amy and Brian.

**DINGER, Robert Wayne Dinger**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=robert-wayne-dinger&pid=166793963>) Robert Wayne Dinger, age 68, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of Punxsutawney, PA went to be with the Lord on August 31, 2013, in Sarasota following a lengthy illness. Wayne, as he was known to all, was born in Punxsutawney, PA, March 28th 1945. Funeral arrangements are being handled by Toale Brothers Funeral Home of Sarasota. A full military burial will take place on Friday, September 6, 2013 in Section 7, Site 963 at Sarasota National Cemetery, located at 9810 State Highway 72, Sarasota, FL. Wayne worked at the Comet Market in Punxsutawney, PA as a meat cutter for 33 years and was well known by the community. He served in the [Army](#) National Guard for 22 years. He retired to Florida in 1999 where he greatly enjoyed working at Plymouth Harbor, a retirement community until 2007. Wayne was the amazing husband to Sandy, loving father to his 2 sons, and a friend to many and will be greatly missed. He lived by his incredible faith and his never ending smiles now light up heaven. Wayne is survived by his loving wife Sandy of 48 years, two sons, Michael W. Dinger of Joliet, IL, and Dale C. Dinger of Bradenton, FL, three sisters, Claire Walker of Henderson, NV, Marybell Dunn of New Jersey, and Lois Mennetti of Punxsutawney, PA, three brothers, Richard Dinger of New Jersey, Byron Dinger of Brookville, PA, and John Dinger of Punxsutawney, PA. He was preceded in death by his parents Ervin E. and Mary L. Dinger, sisters Verna Bish and Violet Morse, and three brothers Carl, Sam, and Bud Dinger. In lieu of flowers, please make donations in his name to Child Evangelism Fellowship of Jefferson County, PA or Colonial Oak Baptist Church of Sarasota, FL.

**DINGESS, Arvol Annon Dingess**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=146651187>) Arvol Annon Dingess Sr., age 86, of Lehigh Acres, FL went to be with his loving Savior Sunday, November 14, 2010. He was born May 24, 1924 to Harry and Lula Dingess of Vulcan, KY. He married Martha Spencer of Newcastle, PA May 20, 1945. He leaves behind his faithful wife of 65 years, Martha Dingess; 3 children and 7 grandchildren. A memorial service will be Wednesday, November 17 at Fountain Crest Retirement Community, 1230 Taylor Lane Ext., Lehigh Acres. Burial will be in Section 8, Site 777 at [Veterans](#) Cemetery, Sarasota, FL with full military honors.

**DINGLER, Norma Jean Dinger**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/sarasota-fl/norma-dingler-6010556>) Norma Jean Dinger, age 83, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of Lewisburg, PA, died on June 14, 2014. Mrs. Dinger was born March 8, 1931. Services will be Wednesday June 18, 2014 at New Life Lutheran Church in Sarasota, FL. Norma loved shelling, golf and bowling, the Tampa Bay Rays and Penn State Football. She was a graduate of Williamsport High School class of 1948. She worked as the Radiology Transcriptionist at Evan Hospital for 20 years. Survived by her husband Lewis Durell Dinger; son, Gordon L. Motter; step-sons Keith (Donna) Dinger, John (Billie) Dinger; step-daughter Lauralee Dinger; brother, William Fessler; sister Anita Thompson; 5 step-granddaughters, 5 step-grandsons; and 7 step-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents Bernadine and Craig Fessler and brother Lee Fessler. Memorial donations may be made to the New Life Lutheran Building Fund, 8010 Fruitville Road, Sarasota, FL 34240. Under the direction of Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home, Sarasota, FL. Interred in Section 3, Site 164 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DINGWALL, Walter Mac Lachlan Dingwall**

(Abstracted from <https://dartmouthalumnimagazine.com/walter-mac-lachlan-dingwall-%E2%80%99954>) **Walter Mac Lachlan Dingwall** was born on April 29, 1932 and passed away in Sarasota, FL, on December 2, 2013. Walt attended Rumson High School in Rumson, NJ and then Dartmouth. At Dartmouth he was a brother of Sigma Phi Epsilon and majored in sociology. After graduation he served as a first lieutenant in the Army during the Korean War. Upon leaving the service he moved to south Florida, earning his J.D. from the University of Florida in 1959. Walt then practiced law in Fort Lauderdale, FL, for nearly 40 years, retiring and moving to Boone, NC, in 2001. He managed a 52-acre farm there, growing vegetables. While living in Fort Lauderdale he was a member of the Masons, Rotary Club and Red Cross and sat on various boards. Walt is survived by his wife, Wendy and his daughters Lori and Leigh. Interred in Section 6, Site 2164 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DINI, David Joseph Dini**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=david-dini&pid=86249796>) David Joseph Dini, age 64, Sarasota, died March 2, 2006. He was born June 15, 1941, in Evanston, IL, and came to Sarasota in 1984 from Winnetka, IL. He retired as a firefighter with the Winnetka Fire Department. Survivors include his wife, Janet; his mother, Renata of Sarasota; sons Roger of Buffalo Grove, IL, and Mike of Palatine, IL; a daughter, Yvonne of Hollywood, FL; a



stepdaughter, Samantha Stone of Orlando; sisters Eva Blowers of Sarasota and Dora Sumner of Wheeling, IL; and three grandchildren. Memorial services will be Tuesday at Jennings Funeral home. Memorial donations may be made to TideWell Hospice and Palliative Care, 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238; or to American Cancer Society, 2801 Fruitville Road, Suite 250, Pen West Park, Sarasota, FL 34237. Interment is in Section C1C-6, Row B, Site 5 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DINIACO, George Diniaco**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/tampabaytimes/obituary.aspx?n=george-diniaco&pid=178633854&fhid=5875>)

George Diniaco, age 88, of Tampa, passed away March 20, 2016. Born December 27, 1928 in Steubenville, OH, he received a Bachelor's degree in Psychology from Kent State University. He proudly served his country during the Korean War, stationed in Germany as a member of the U.S. Army. George owned and operated two successful businesses during the course of his career, first in Ohio and later in Orlando after moving his family in 1974 for sunshine and a new business venture. George and Mary spent the last year in Tampa with family. He was predeceased by his loving wife of 62 years, Mary, just days before his passing. He is survived by his three daughters, Cindy Diniaco, Stacy Tuttle (David), and Joanne Anibarro (Gus); and son, Peter Diniaco (Rebecca). He also leaves seven grandchildren, Christopher, Kelsey, Christina, Alex, Sophia, Anthony, Melina; and one great-grandchild, Landon. He was an extremely devoted husband, father, and grandfather. He was very proud of his country and had a deep passion for his Christian Greek Orthodox faith. Please join us in the celebration of his life Saturday, March 26, 12 pm, at St. John's Greek Orthodox Church, 2418 West Swann Ave., Tampa. A private burial will take place in Section 5, Site 1123 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Donations in his memory may be made to the [Alzheimer's Association](#), 9365 U.S. Highway 19 N., Pinellas Park 33782.

**DINIACO, Mary Diniaco**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Mar. 6, 2016)

Mary Diniaco, age 84, of Tampa, passed away March 3, 2016. Mary was born March 30, 1931. She is survived by her loving and adoring husband of 62 years, George Diniaco. She is also survived by her three daughters, Cindy Diniaco, Stacy (David) Tuttle, JoAnne (Gus) Anibarro, and one son, Peter (Rebecca) Diniaco, along with seven grandchildren, Christopher, Kelsey, Christina, Alex, Sophia, Anthony, Melina, and one great-grandchild, Landon. She was born in Steubenville, Ohio and moved to Orlando in 1974. She graduated from West Liberty University with a Bachelors in Education. Mary was a very devoted wife, mother, and grandmother. She was extremely proud of her country and had a deep passion for her Christian Greek Orthodox faith. Please join us in the Celebration of her Life on Monday, March 7 at St. Johns Greek Orthodox Church, 2418 West Swann, Tampa. A private burial will take place in Section 5, Site 1123 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DINKINS, Charles Dinkins**

Charles Dinkins was born 05/12/1927, died 10/24/2012. Interred in Section 7, Site 586 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DINKO, Theodore James Dinko**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=171150368>)

Theodore James Dinko, age 68, of Englewood FL passed away May 24, 2014 in Venice, Florida. He was born September 22, 1945 in Detroit, MI. He was a past Grand Knight of the Knights of Columbus, Fr. Michael Cottrell Council 7672. He was the son of the late Michael and Edith Dinko-Separa. He was the loving brother of Michael, Mary Ann (Tom) Carlson, Tom, Marty, Judith (Donn) Sinclair, Susan, Karen (Mike) Tucker, Dennis, Pat (Diane), David, and the late Nancy and John. He is survived by many nieces and nephews and great nieces and nephews. Palms-Robarts Funeral Home 170 Honore Ave Sarasota, Fl. 34232 is entrusted with the arrangements. Mass at St. Francis Assisi Catholic Church 5265 Placida Road Englewood FL 34224. Burial and Military Honors will be Monday, June 2, 2104 in Section 5, Site 284 at the Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL.

**DINOFA, Richard Lee Dinofa**

Richard Lee Dinofa was born 01/29/1954, died 05/21/2014. Interred in Section 3, Site 1262 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIOGUARDI, Leo Joseph Dioguardi**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/tampabaytimes/obituary.aspx?n=leo-dioguardi&pid=174574114>)

Leo Joseph Dioguardi, age 67, of Apollo Beach, passed away Thursday, April 2, 2015 surrounded by his adoring family after a brief illness. He was born June 6, 1947 in Kearny, NJ. He is predeceased by his parents, Virginia and Leo Dioguardi. He graduated from New Jersey Institute of Technology with a Bachelor of Science degree in Engineering. Leo was a veteran and proudly served in the U.S. Army. He was married to the love of his life, Patricia Dioguardi June 21, 1985. Leo retired in 2012 after enjoying a long and successful career as an information technology executive. Leo's courage and zest for life enabled him to live every minute to the fullest and share it with everyone he loved. His intelligence and drive led him to pursue his many

adventures with passion and energy - whether it be sailing, scuba diving, traveling the world with his soul-mate, or cruising to Sturgis on his Harley Davidson. His dedication to his family enabled him to foster uniquely close relationships with his children, grandchildren, nephews, and niece. His devotion to his wife enabled Leo and Trish to share a life and a love that many people only dream of. He was a loving son and brother, a loyal friend, and a consummate gentleman. He is survived by his devoted wife, Patricia Dioguardi; his daughter, Catherine Aguiar of Tampa; his sons, Joseph Zannone (Jennifer) of Dover and Angelo Zannone (Karen) of Tampa; his grandchildren, Vincent Aguiar, James Zannone, Michael Aguiar, Victoria Zannone, Annabel Aguiar, Caitlin Zannone, and Jenna Zannone; his brother, Paul Dioguardi (Patricia) of Morris Plains, NJ; his sister, Kathleen Squires (Daniel) of Vernon, VT; his nephews, Daniel Squires, Adam Dioguardi, Nicholas Dioguardi; and his niece, Lauren Dioguardi. Private interment service to be held in Section C1C-7, Row D, Site 41 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers a donation to Lifepath Hospice would be appreciated.

#### **DION, Gerald William Dion**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=153164510>)

Gerald W. "Jerry" Dion, age 87, of Sarasota, born August 5, 1924 and formerly of Detroit, MI died August 12, 2011. Services will be Thursday in Section 6, Site 295 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Arrangements are by Jennings Funeral Home & Crematory. Loving husband of Lois, dedicated father of Michael, Mark, Karen, Vicki, Laurie, Bruce and family; including 18 grandchildren and five great grandchildren. He will be dearly missed. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Tidewell Hospice, Inc. in his memory.

#### **DION, Lois Dion**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/lois-dion-obituary?pid=170761112>)

Lois Dion, age 87, of Sarasota, FL, was born on June 29, 1926 and died on April 15, 2014. Services will be Fri., April 25, 2014 in Section 6, Site 295 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by Jennings Funeral Home & Crematory. Widow of Gerald William Dion.

#### **DIONNE, Joseph Albert Dionne**

(Abstracted from <https://www.examiner.org/obituaries/63378-joseph-albert-dionne>)

Retired U.S. Army Sgt. Maj. Joseph Albert Dionne, of Sebring, FL, died March 13, 2016, at the Bay Pines VA Medical Center, following a lengthy illness. He was born in Cheverly, MD, on Aug. 11, 1948, a son of Pauline Dionne of Sebring, FL, and the late Edward J. Dionne. He met his wife, the former Jeri Colyer, daughter of the late Bellefontaine residents Lawrence and Ruth Colyer, while both were serving in the Army and were married in Bellefontaine on Dec. 23, 1978. She survives, along with a son, Jason of Sebring; sisters, Christine Olson of St. Joseph, PA, and Joy Whitesall of Plant City, FL; and several nieces and nephews. The Dionne family moved from Bellefontaine, OH to Sebring in 2004 when he was hired as the veteran services officer for Highland County. His military career took him to Vietnam and Germany. He retired from the U.S. Army while stationed in Utah after 30 years of service. He was interred March 21, in Section 5, Site 1138 in Sarasota VA Cemetery with full military honors.

#### **DIPALMA, Michael Gene DiPalma**

(Abstracted from [http://www.genlookups.com/fl/webbbs\\_config.pl/read/1458](http://www.genlookups.com/fl/webbbs_config.pl/read/1458))

Michael Gene DiPalma, age 84, of Bradenton, went to be with Jesus on June 22, 2013. The Rev. DiPalma was born on October 19, 1928 in New Haven, CT, to the late Carmine and Teresa (Millo) DiPalma. He served with the U.S. [Army](#) during [World War II](#). After his [military](#) service he followed the path that the Lord had planned for him, and graduated from Columbia Theological Seminary in Atlanta, GA, and ordained in 1966. Rev. DiPalma served his Lord faithfully as a minister in McRae, GA, Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, Hialeah, FL and was an Associate Minister at Church of the Cross in Bradenton, where he has been a resident since 1982. He also served as a chaplain for Pirates Baseball Chapel and a substitute teacher in the Manatee County Public school system. He was currently attending Refuge Calvary Chapel in Bradenton, which meets at Ballard Elementary School. Mike is survived by his loving wife of 43 years, Martha (Yarborough) DiPalma; daughter, Lisa (Doug) Waldo of Bradenton; son, Jamie (Theresia) DiPalma of Carrollton, TX; and daughter, Suzanna (Jamey) Underwood of Murfreesboro, TN, and his sisters Eva Daley of Cape Coral, FL, and Arlene Zurolo of Hamden, CT, along with many extended family members. He was the beloved "Papa" to eight precious [grandchildren](#): Haley, Ashley, and Joshua Waldo; Mikey, Joey, and Melina DiPalma; and JT and Seanna Underwood. Services at Refuge Calvary Chapel in the Auditorium of the Ballard Elementary School, 912 18th Street West, Bradenton, FL, with final [military](#) honors by the U.S. [Army](#) Honor Guard. Private committal services will take place in Section 7, Site 876 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. It was Rev. DiPalma's request that memorials be made to the D.A.V. in honor of the service and they have provided to this country. Arrangements by Shannon Funeral Home Westview Chapel, Bradenton.

#### **DIPERNA, Warren Joseph DiPerna**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ingewoodfh.com/obituaries/Warren-Diperna/#!/Obituary>)

Warren Joseph DiPerna, age 57, of North Port passed away on Saturday, August 3, 2013 at his Sarasota County residence. Born on March 9, 1956 in Jersey City, NJ, Warren served in the U.S. Air force for twenty-three years. He retired in 1998 as a CMSGT; the highest ranking Sergeant in the Air Force. They called him "Chief." His great love was baseball and the New York Mets. Survivors include his loving wife of seventeen years: Mary L. DiPerna of North Port, FL; his mother: Florence DiPerna of NJ; one son: Joseph DiPerna of Sunberry, PA; a step son: Kristopher Sampson of Charlestown, WV; step daughter: Pamela Sampson of Rockville, MD; one brother: David DiPerna of VT; and six grandchildren. A Prayer service will be Wednesday, August 7, 2013 at the Englewood Community Funeral Home with Private Crematory, 3070 South McCall Road. Military honors and inurnment will follow in Section 6, Site 1948 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to National Institute of Health (NIH), Cancer Research, 9000 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20892 in memory of Warren DiPerna.

**DIPPLE, George Williams Dipple**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=170683698>)

George Williams Dipple, age 85, of Venice, FL, passed away on April 13, 2014. George was born January 25, 1929 in Nescopeck, PA and graduated from Dickinson College in 1950. He served in the [Army](#), stationed in Germany. George worked in management at Nabisco for 37 years before retiring. George enjoyed all sports, especially golf and basketball. He was a devoted husband, father, and grandfather who will be dearly missed. Survivors include his loving wife of 60 years, Jackie, daughters Cynthia Kelly and Pat (Phil) Aubin of North Port, FL, grandchildren Jeff (Kristen) Aubin of Louisville, KY, Lindsay (Jason) Barinas of Spring Hill, FL and Steven Kelly of North Port, FL. A celebration of his life will be Friday, April 18, 2014 at Farley Funeral Home in Venice. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation. Interred in Section 3, Site 293 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIRMANN, John Floreau Dirmann**

John Floreau Dirmann was born 04/14/1916, died 03/05/2002. Interred in Section 3, Site 14 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIRMANN, Madeline Dirmann**

Madeline Dirmann was born 09/02/1912, died 08/31/2000. Interred in Section 3, Site 14 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of John Floreau Dirmann.

**DISALVO, Dominick Joseph Disalvo**

Dominick Joseph Disalvo was born 12/03/1922, died 03/18/2013. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row D, Site 35 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DISAPIO, Joseph Anthony Disapio**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=joseph-anthony-disapio&pid=160079280>)  
Joseph Anthony DiSapio, age 90, of Bradenton, FL, born on April 14, 1922 and died on Sep. 19, 2012. Services will be Fri., Sept. 28, 2012, at Saints Peter & Paul the Apostles in Bradenton, FL. Interred in Section 6, Site 1268 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DISMUKES, Johnny Frank Dismukes**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/johnny-dismukes-obituary?pid=1000000156468068>)

Johnny Frank Dismukes, age 64, Fort Myers, died 03-08-2012. Arrangements: Fort Myers Memorial Gardens & Funeral Home. Interred in Section 6, Site 676 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DITTER, Earl D. Ditter**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/earl-ditter-obituary?pid=144883677>)

Earl D. Ditter, age 93, Fort Myers, died 08-19-2010. Earl was born 3-9-1917. Arrangements by Harvey-Engelhardt-Metz Funeral Homes and Crematory, Fort Myers. Interred in Section 13, Site 891 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DITTER, Margaret A. Ditter**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/margaret-ditter-obituary?pid=158593063>)

Margaret A. Ditter, age 91, Ft. Myers, died 07-14-2012. Margaret was born 5-18-1921. Arrangements by Harvey-Engelhardt Funeral & Cremation Services. Interred in Section 13, Site 891 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of Earl D. Ditter.

**DIULIO, Frederick Dean Diulio**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=fredrick-dean-diulio&pid=165997003>)

Frederick Dean Diulio, age 60, of Port Charlotte, FL, formerly of Connecticut, died on July 15, 2013. He was born Dec. 11, 1952. Service will be held at a later date in Section 6, Site 1954 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DIXON, Alyce Dixon**

(Abstracted from internet sources)

The oldest female Veteran, the high-spirited, fun-loving, amazing local celebrity, Alyce Dixon, died peacefully in her sleep on January 29, 2016 at the Washington DC Veterans Affairs Medical Center's Community Living Center. She was 108 years old. She is well-known in the community for her elegant sense of style, her long repertoire of eyebrow-raising jokes and very strong opinions. She credits her long life to sharing and caring. "I always shared what little I have, that's why He let me live so long. I just believe in sharing and giving. If you have a little bit of something and someone else needs it, share," she said. Dixon was born in 1907 in Boston, MA when an American's average life expectancy was only 47 years. She was born Alice Ellis in Boston. At the age of 16, she changed the spelling of her name to Alyce after seeing a picture show starring actress Alyce Mills. She lived life on her own terms from that day forward. She was married for a time, but divorced her husband over an \$18 grocery bill. He found out she was sending money home to her family and put her on a strict allowance. This didn't sit well for the independent young woman. "I found myself a job, an apartment and a roommate. I didn't need him or his money," she said. She later joined the military in 1943. She was among one of the first African-American women in the Army. As a member of the Women's Army Corps, she was stationed in England and France where she played an important role in the postal service as part of the 6888th Battalion. After leaving the Army, she served the government for many years at the Census Bureau and in the Pentagon where she served as a purchasing agent, buying everything from pencils to airplanes. She retired from government service in 1973. At the medical center, she was affectionately called the "Queen Bee" and was known for impeccable dress. She never left her room without fixing her makeup and hair. She always wore stylish clothes and jewelry and sported well-manicured nails. She loved to sit in the medical center Atrium and watch the people. She was disappointed in how young women dress today. "I tell everyone to dress nice for yourself and you'll feel better, even if you don't feel good," she said. "Wear your jewelry, fix your hair. No one has to tell you that you look good...do it for yourself." She led a long and full life. She has met presidents, the first lady, members of Congress, high-ranking military officers, celebrities and musicians. She also held media interviews with many local and national outlets. According to medical center director, Brian A. Hawkins, MHA, she will be missed, "...especially the caregivers and Veterans of our Community Living Center. She was one-of-a-kind; a strong-willed, funny, wise, giving and feisty WWII Veteran. Her message touched a lot of people."

#### **DIXON, Boston H. Dixon**

Boston H. Dixon was born 06/27/1926, died 06/27/2015. Interred in Section 5, Site 777 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DIXON, Cathy Jo Dixon**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=cathy-jo-dixon&pid=172102098&fhid=13969>)

Cathy Jo Dixon, age 57, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of Ohio, born on Nov. 10, 1956 and died on Aug. 2, 2014. Funeral arrangements by National Cremation Society, Clearwater, FL. Interred in Section C1MA, Row A, Site 30 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DIXON, Irene B. Dixon**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=156869084>)

It is with a heavy heart that we must share the passing of Irene Bernice Dixon. Irene succumbed to respiratory complications on Friday, March 30, 2012, at Sarasota Memorial Hospital, with her loving husband of 68 years Boston Horace "Dick" Dixon, by her side. She was born June 16, 1923, in Cleveland Ohio, to Anna and Leroy Hanck. There she met her husband Boston Dixon. On July 6, 1943 they began their life journey together, living the early years in Cleveland, OH and settling down in Willoughby Hills, OH where they raised their three children. In 1972 they moved to Aurora, CO, settling in the then small town of Parker, CO where together they owned and operated Dixon Construction Company, Inc. In 1986 they returned to Florida, to retire in Boston's hometown of Sarasota, FL. She leaves behind, her beloved husband, Boston Dixon, daughters Judith Callahan of Mentor, OH and Ginny Williams of Naples FL. She was preceded in death by their son Richard Dixon of Sarasota, Fla. in 1982. She leaves behind 15 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren and five great-great grandchildren. She will be dearly missed by all. Services will be Friday at Jennings Funeral Home & Crematory. Interment will follow in Section 5, Site 777 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DIXON, John Gerald Dixon**

(Abstracted from <http://www.kays-ponger.com/obituary/176883/John-Dixon/>)

John Gerald Dixon, age 76, of Port Charlotte born December 27, 1935 and passed away on Thursday November 29, 2012. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Kays-Ponger Uselton Funeral Home and Cremation Services Port Charlotte Chapel. Interred in Section 6, Site 1432 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIXON, Kaleb David Dixon**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/kaleb-dixon-obituary?pid=171161099>)

Kaleb D. Dixon of Bradenton, FL, Born May 24, 1989 and died on May 21, 2014. Services will be Fri., May 30, 2014 in Section 5, Site 283 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by Gendron Funeral & Cremation Services Inc.

**DIXON, Nancy Stratton Dixon**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=176218180>)

Nancy A. Stratton Dixon, beloved wife of Charles Thomas Dixon, passed away October 20, 2015 under the loving care of her family. Nancy was born in Syracuse, NY August 5, 1937, the daughter of Arthur E. Stratton and Frances Hoxie Stratton. She had two sisters, Shirley and Joan Stratton, and one brother, Peter Stratton. She graduated from Cazenovia High School in 1955 and joined the military as a WAC company clerk. While in the service she met and married the love of her life, Tom Dixon, and they were happily married for 58 years. They have four children: Thomas P. Dixon and wife Cyndi, Teresa E Dixon, Cheryl A Sullivan and husband Bill, and Gregory R. Dixon. There are seven grandchildren: Melissa, Nanci, Megan, Brandon, Joseph, Kasie and Joshua. Great grandchildren include: Leroy, Derrianna, Alexia, Landon, Tatiana, Delilah and Allyannah. Celebration of life for Nancy will be held October 31, 2015 @ Rothenbach Park 8650 Bee Ridge Rd. Sarasota, FL 34241. Service will be Monday November 2, 2015 in Section 3, Site 1218 at Sarasota National Cemetery, 9810 State Road 72 Sarasota, FL 34241. Contributions can be made in Nancy's memory to Hospice.

**DIXON, Patricia I. Dixon**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/patricia-dixon-obituary?pid=153977439>)

Patricia I. Huffer Dixon was born 01/08/1929, died 10/04/2011. Arrangements under the direction of National Cremation & Burial Society, Sarasota, FL. Interred in Section 6, Site 742 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of Robert Eugene Dixon.

**DIXON, Robert Eugene Dixon**

Robert Eugene Dixon was born 09/12/1925, died 05/18/2007. Interred in Section 6, Site 742 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIXON, Robert James Dixon**

Robert James Dixon was born 02/02/1934, died 06/20/2014. Interred in Section 3, Site 495 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIXON, Roger Winford Dixon**

(Abstracted from <https://www.shannonfuneralhomes.com/notices/Roger-Dixon>)

Roger Winford Dixon, age 70, Bradenton, passed away May 13, 2014. Roger was born August 26, 1944 in Indianapolis, IN to the late Harvey and Dorothy (Stepp) Dixon. He was a Vietnam veteran who served with the U.S. Army during Vietnam Era. Roger worked as a machinery repairman for Cummins Diesel in Columbus, IN from which he retired after 32 years of service. Roger moved to Bradenton in 2004 from Columbus, IN. He was a lifetime member of the VFW Post in Okeechobee, FL, a forty-four year member of the American Legion, the DAV Post in Oneco, and the Loyal Order of Moose in Anna Maria. Roger was predeceased by two brothers and two sisters, and is survived by his loving wife of 13 years, Louise of Bradenton, son; Douglas Alan Dixon of Hickory, NC, daughter; Lisa Justus of Palmetto, brother; Michael Dixon of De Land, FL, two grandchildren and six great-grandchildren, and many extended family members. Services to be at Shannon Funeral Home Westview Chapel, 5610 Manatee Avenue West, Bradenton. Interment and final honors will follow in Section 5, Site 753 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Wounded Warriors Association in his memory.

**DIXON, Rufus Herbert Dixon Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=rufus-herbert-dixon&pid=163602114&fhid=9086>)

Rufus Herbert Dixon, Jr., age 85, of Sarasota, FL, died on Mar. 10, 2013. Mr. Dixon was born June 24, 1927. Funeral arrangements by Jennings Funeral Home & Crematory. Interred in Section C1C-2, Row D, Site 37 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DIXON, William Allan Dixon**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Dec. 17, 2014)

William Allan "Buddy" Dixon, age 63, Frostproof, born July 18, 1951 and passed away Mon. December 15, 2014 in Florida Hospital at Sebring, FL. Marion Nelson Funeral Home. Buried in Section C1C-7, Row C, Site 44 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DLUSKI, Thaddeus E. Dluski**

Thaddeus E. Dluski was born 06/23/1921, died 07/11/2013. Interred in Section 7, Site 899 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DMUCHOWSKI, Michael John Dmuchowski**

Michael John Dmuchowski was born 12/15/1948, died 11/02/2011. Interred in Section 6, Site 656 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOANE, Ulla U. Doane**

Ulla U. Doane was born 02/24/1937, died 03/11/2016. Interred in Section 3, Site 1481 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of George Blethen Doane III.

**DOBBIN, Carolyn Dobbin**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Jan. 6, 2011)

Carolyn Dobbin, age 85, passed away Dec. 27, 2010. She was born July 13, 1925 and is survived by her husband, Philip K. Dobbin; two sons, Philip J. (Patricia A.) Dobbin and David B. (Bette J.) Dobbin; and 5 grandchildren. Memorial services will be Saturday, Jan. 8, 2011, at St Andrew Presbyterian Church, 1239 Del Webb Boulevard West, Sun City Center. Arrangements by Sun City Center Funeral Home, Sun City Center. Interred in Section 13, Site 984 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOBBIN, Philip K. Dobbin**

(Abstracted from <http://www.obrienfuneralhome.com/book-of-memories/1031530/dobbin-philip/obituary.php>)

Philip Keppel Dobbin, age 90, of Sun City Center, FL, formerly of Middletown, NJ, passed away at Chelsea Assisted Living, Brick, on Tuesday, November 8, 2011. Mr. Dobbin was born March 25, 1921 in New York City, and lived in Middletown for many years before retiring to Florida. He came to Chelsea Assisted Living earlier this year. He was an Army veteran of WWII, during which he was stationed in Iceland. He was a graduate of Rutgers University, and was retired from Continental Insurance, New York. He and his late wife were avid travelers in their retirement years, enjoying over 30 cruises, as well as trips to Europe. Mr. Dobbin was predeceased by his beloved wife, Carolyn (Carnie) in 2010, and by his son David, in 2011. He is survived by his son and daughter-in-law, Philip and Patricia Dobbin of Howell, NJ, his daughter-in-law, Betty J. Dobbin of West Chester, PA, his sister, Ethel Wilson of Melbourne, FL, and his grandchildren, Philip B., Kathryn, Stephanie, Lauren, and Zachary Dobbin. In accordance with Mr. Dobbin's wishes, there will be no visitation, and a memorial service will be held at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers, contributions to the charity of one's choice may be made in Mr. Dobbin's memory. Interred in Section 13, Site 984 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOBBINS, William Lawrence Dobbins**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/unionleader/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=174875522>)

PORT CHARLOTTE, FL - William Lawrence "Bill" Dobbins, age 72, of Port Charlotte and formerly of Manchester, NH, and Moultonborough, NH, passed away Monday, May 11, 2015, after succumbing to a nearly four-year fight against Merkel cell carcinoma. He was born August 5, 1942 in Manchester, the son of William M. Dobbins and Patricia L. Dobbins of Manchester. Bill served in the U.S. Army and the National Guard. He was employed by the New England Telephone Company for more than 30 years. Upon retirement in Florida, he became an active member of the Civil Air Patrol in Charlotte County for the past 13 years. He was a wonderful husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle and friend. He is survived by his loving wife of 35 years, Sandra (nee Bromley) Dobbins; brother Peter (Susan) Dobbins of Venice; daughters, Christine (Denis) Gagnon of Manchester and Elizabeth (Edward) Pratt of Mill Creek, WA; stepson Keith (Kris) Chew of Wesley Chapel; stepdaughter Tammi (Dennis) Frechette of Methuen, MA; grandchildren, Jessica Collier, Amanda Monty, Kevin Gagnon, Garrett Gagnon and Nicholas Pratt; great-grandson Ryan Collier; and many nieces, nephews, brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law. A family graveside service will be held in Section 3, Site 894 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota with military honors. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the [American Cancer Society](#). Bill's family would like to thank the Doctors and staff of Complex Care Hospital at Ridgelake in Sarasota for their tremendous compassion, help and care during Bill's stay.

**DOBERSTEIN, Charles Allen Doberstein**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/charles-doberstein-obituary?pid=168482084>)

Charles Allen Doberstein, age 69, North Fort Myers, born Sept. 30, 1944 and died Dec. 11, 2013. Arrangements: Neptune Society. Interred in Section C1C-4, Row A, Site 26 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOBKIN, Howard Lester Dobkin**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=howard-lester-dobkin-howie&pid=169761197&fhid=8459>)

Howie Lester Dobkin, age 84, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of Annapolis, MD, died on Feb. 16, 2014. Mr. Dobkin was born Nov. 4, 1929. Graveside services will be Thurs., in Section 5, Site 158 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, Florida. Funeral arrangements by Lemon Bay Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Englewood, FL.

**DOBSON, Richard Joseph Dobson**

(Abstracted from <http://www.dignifiedcremations.com/obituaries/Richard-Dobson-34621/#!/Obituary>)

Richard Joseph "Dick" Dobson, age 79, of North Fort Myers, FL died on August 27, 2014. He was born on December 20, 1934 in Murrayville, IL. Dick was known around North Fort Myers for driving his Red 1946 Hudson Pick-up truck. He was stopped by strangers who wanted to talk about the Hudson and Dick was happy to tell them stories. Dick and his wife, Jackie, moved from Illinois to North Ft. Myers in 1987 where he built their home in Pine Shadows Airpark so he could park his airplane right at home. Survived by his soulmate and wife, Jacqueline (Molander) Dobson, his sister-in-law, Jeanne Wiegand of North Fort Myers, FL, son, Gary (Cathie) Dobson, grandchildren Audra Dobson, Andrew Dobson, Allison Dobson, sister, Judith (Moe) Patterson, all of Northern Illinois, sister, Phyllis Cook of Arizona and several nieces and nephews. Predeceased by daughter, Karen Lee Dobson and parents, Harold and Armeda Dobson. A Memorial Service will be announced at a later date. Burial will be held privately in Section C1C-6, Row C, Site 9 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be sent to Hope Hospice, 9470 HealthPark Circle, Fort Myers, FL 33908 or the Gulf Coast Humane Society, 2010 Arcadia St, Fort Myers, FL 33916.

**DOCHEZ, D'Armand Wilson Dochez**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=132232151>)

D'Armand Wilson Dochez, age 94, of Sarasota and formerly of Potomac, Md., died Aug. 31, 2009. Mr. Dochez was born July 1, 1915. Services will be Saturday at Pine Shores Presbyterian Church in Sarasota. Private burial with full military honors will be in Section 8, Site 235 in Sarasota National Cemetery. He is survived by his son, D'Armand Dochez; his daughter, Suzanne Dochez Connellan; granddaughters Dani Dochez LeKuch, Jennifer Connellan, Mikki Dochez and Christine Connellan Kerekes; and two great-grandchildren, Ryan and Taylor LeKuch. D'A was born in Indianapolis and attended Georgetown University's School of Foreign Service. In 1938 he eloped with Henrietta Werner, and they were happily married for 46 years. A few years after Henrietta's death, he married longtime Indianapolis childhood friend Lois Richardson. D'A proudly served in the U.S. Navy for 21 years, and retired as a commander after serving on the USS Hamblin and Norton Sound in World War II and the USS Gunston Hall in Korea. Upon his retirement from the Navy, D'A went to work with the federal government in naval intelligence and lived in the suburban Washington, DC, area. He and his family enjoyed a second home on the Chesapeake Bay. Fondly remembered by his family and friends for his outgoing, fun-loving and perpetually optimistic personality, D'A / "Granddaddy" lived life to the fullest. He enjoyed traveling, boating and fishing as well as EATING! He will be missed dearly for the love and joy he brought to everyone around him.

**DODD, Carroll T. Dodd Sr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=160024405>)

Carroll Thomas Dodd, known to his loved ones as Tom, passed from this earthly life into the hands of our heavenly father on September 18, 2012. He was born August 24, 1932 and is survived by his loving wife Delores, one grand-daughter Kali Esqueda and her husband Alan, one great-grandson, David Duvan Esqueda. Tom leaves many nieces and nephews from Virginia to Florida. He was preceded in death by his one son, David Lee Dodd. A memorial service will be held at Bible Baptist Church on Monday, September 24, 2012 at 2311 57th East, Bradenton, FL. The family requests in lieu of flowers, that donations may be given to your favorite missions. Interred in Section 6, Site 1366 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DODD, James Edward Dodd**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=143740716>)

James Edward Dodd, age 67, of Fort Myers, FL passed away Thursday, June 24, 2010. He was born October 7, 1943 in Pocatello, Idaho to Harold and Marjorie Dodd, served in the U.S. Army during Vietnam, was a member of the American Legion Post 351 in Fort Myers, worked at American Mobil Petroleum for many years, loved NASCAR and truly enjoyed fishing. He is survived by his wife, Claire of Cape Coral; step daughter, Michelle Kowalinski of Cape Coral; one granddaughter, Kiara Kowalinski of Cape Coral; mother, Marjorie Dodd of Chicago, IL and sister, Anne Nixon also of Chicago, IL. Services at Anderson-Patterson Cremation & Funeral Services Chapel, 3654 Palm Beach Blvd., Fort Myers. Interment in Section 3, Site 413 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DODGE, Doris Vivian Dodge**

Doris Vivian Dodge was born 02/12/1919, died 07/08/2013. Interred in Section 6, Site 191 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Gordon B. Dodge.

**DODGE, James Otis Dodge**

(Abstracted from <http://www.kays-ponger.com/obituary/173746/Mr-Dodge/>)

James Otis Dodge, of Punta Gorda, FL, passed away on June 12, 2015, in the mountains of Waynesville, NC. He was born February 28, 1946 and raised in East Douglas, MA by Frank O. and Germaine M. Dodge. The family relocated to FL in 1963 and he graduated from Charlotte High School in 1964. James served his country in the Air Force during the Vietnam War, where he spent most of his time servicing planes on the flight line. He was honorably discharged as a staff sergeant in 1971 and remained a member of the VFW. James retired as a Postal Manager, in 2006, from the U.S. Postal Service with 33 years of service. After retiring, he stayed active with the Postal Service as the local branch President and District Vice President of the National Association of Postal Supervisors. James was a parishioner for 51 years at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, where he enjoyed serving as a Eucharistic Minister. He was a beloved husband, father, brother, grandfather, uncle, and friend who will be greatly missed by everyone that knew him. James will be remembered for his love and devotion to God and family. Survived by his loving wife of 41 years Deborah; daughters, Michelle Carter, Monica Ezzi (Tyler), Marlene Dodge (Tony); son, James Dodge (Sarah); grandchildren, Tyler Ezzi II, Angelina Ezzi, Nathan Ezzi, Emily Dodge, Avery Dodge, and an expected grandson in November; brothers, Frank Dodge (Mary) and Charles Dodge (Lisa); along with several nieces and nephews. Interred in Section 5, Site 802 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DODSON, Eleanor Mary Dodson**

Eleanor Mary Dodson was born 04/06/1920, died 08/19/2001. Interred in Section 13, Site 404 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Raymond Lee Dodson.

**DOEDEMA, Michael Doedema**

(Abstracted from <http://radiograph3.rssing.com/browser.php?indx=3392884&item=17051>)

Michael Doedema, age 68, of Sarasota, was born June 25, 1947 died on January 14, 2016. Burial was in Section 5, Site 1081 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOERING, Gary Karl Doering**

Gary Karl Doering was born 08/30/1960, died 08/01/2012. Interred in Section 7, Site 475 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOERRER, Harry Doerrrer**

(Abstracted from <http://hosting-24913.tributes.com/obituary/show/Harry-Doerrrer-91256827>)

Harry Doerrrer, age 75, of Port Charlotte, FL, formerly of East Islip, NY and the Florida Keys, died Friday, May 7, 2010 in Port Charlotte. Harry was born June 21, 1934 in Ringstedt, Cuxhaven, Germany, to the late Frederick and Maria (nee - Luehrs) Doerrrer. A resident of Port Charlotte since 2001, Harry, a United States Army Veteran, retired mechanical engineer, businessman and Corrections Auxiliary Officer, was very active in our local community and various organizations. He was former Executive Director of the Military Heritage Museum of Charlotte County and past Treasurer for the Museum of Military Memorabilia Inc. of Southwest Florida; a member of AMVETS Post 1999 and American Legion Post 110, both of Port Charlotte; and former member of the B.P.O. Elks and Masons. Harry is survived by his beloved wife, Christa M. Doerrrer; daughter, Harriett Bowlen of CA; sons, Michael F. Doerrrer of NY, and Paul (Lisa) T. Doerrrer of CA; step-son Fabian (Erica) Zuehlke of NY, and step-daughter Beate (Gerry) B. Zuehlke-Crugliano of FL; 3 sisters, Annie Hustedt and Hanna Omuletz, both of FL, and Elfriede Marquard of Germany; sister-in-law, Alice Doerrrer of Germany; 8 grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews. Harry was preceded in death by a brother and 2 sisters. Interred in Section 8, Site 559 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOHERTY, Glen Anthony Doherty**

(Abstracted from internet stories - he was one of the four murdered in the attack on the U. S. embassy in Libya)

Glen Doherty, age 42, grew up on Glen Lane in Winchester, graduated from Winchester High School in 1988, and remained close to his Winchester friends throughout his life. Glen Anthony Doherty was the second of three children born to Bernard Doherty, now of Charlestown, and Barbara Doherty, now of Woburn. His older brother is Greg Doherty of Kensington, CA, his younger sister Kate Quigley of Marblehead. The siblings were great lifelong friends. They grew up in Winchester, across the street from a patch of woods where they first fell in love with the outdoors. Ben Doherty, the son of Irish immigrants who kept a chicken farm in Billerica, is a former boxer and Massachusetts boxing commissioner, as well as a successful stockbroker, who raised the children to be athletic, tough, hard-working and family-minded. Barbara Doherty, who opened and for years ran a candy store in Lexington called The Candy Castle, is an extremely warm-hearted and friendly woman who raised her children to



be kind to everyone, and who opened her home as a second home for all her children's friends. Glen was very loyal to his friends and family. He kept the same core group of friends since elementary school, and it was their loyalty to each other and fun-loving nature, as well as Barbara's welcoming home, that brought them from being a one-time crew of social misfits to the center of an awful lot of damn fun people of all stripes who remain tight to this day. After high school, Glen attended Embry Riddle aeronautical university in Arizona, where he flew planes, rode a motorcycle and decided that the only thing cooler to do than what he was doing would be to up and leave. His fearlessness took many forms throughout his life, but was always at his core. He became a ski bum at Snowbird, Utah, in the winters, working at restaurants and becoming a phenomenal skier on both regular and telemark skis, as well as a talented cook and after-party expert. In the summers, he was a white water rafting guide down the Colorado River, where his knowledge of the outdoors, his responsibility and his abilities to tell a great tall tale and to get everyone to have fun made multi-day journeys from Moab to Lake Powell experiences of a lifetime for many. He was always a hard worker and extremely responsible, which never managed to drive a wedge between him and the lovable riff-raff who shared his lifestyle. His athleticism also led him to become a triathlete during this period. The many friends he gathered during these years always remained as dear to him as he was to them, and he took every opportunity, usually meaning a few weeks a year, to return to his beloved mountains and friends in Utah.

#### **DOHERTY, Joean Taschner Doherty**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=joean-t-doherty&pid=160698335&fhid=8468>)

Joean (Taschner) Doherty of Bradenton FL, formerly of Harvard, MA, and Newington CT died on Friday, October 19, 2012 at her home. She was 65. Ms. Doherty was born Aug. 12, 1947 and raised in Newington, CT, beloved daughter of Joseph and Jean (Szydlowski) Taschner. She was a 1969 graduate of Connecticut College for Women where she received a Bachelor of Arts in French. She received Masters Degrees in Spanish and French from Tufts University. From 1969 until her retirement in 2003, Ms. Doherty taught French at Acton Boxborough Regional High School where she served as Language Department Chair from 1991 until her retirement. She also served as advisor to the yearbook, stood on several school committees, and was a mentor and advisor to countless students. Since 2003 she and her husband have been residents of Bradenton, FL where she was an avid golfer, bridge player, and an active member of the Rosedale Country Club. Ms. Doherty leaves her beloved husband William Thomas Doherty, cousins Kerin Bouret and Anthony Taschner who will all miss her good humor, warmth, and generosity of spirit. Interment by the Palms-Robarts Funeral Home will be private in Section C1C-1, Row A, Site 21 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Contributions in her memory may be made to the Taschner-Doherty Golf Scholarship at PO Box 21456 Bradenton, FL 34204 or to the Sarasota Audubon Society, PO Box 52132, Sarasota, FL 34232.

#### **DOHERTY, Shaun Emmett Doherty**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=92764982>)

Shaun Emmet Doherty, age 60, passed away August 15, 2007. Shaun was born June 19, 1947. Before coming to Florida, he resided in the Northeast and was a Volunteer Firefighter with the Cape May, NJ and Mount Sinai (Long Island, NY) Fire Departments. Shaun was also a military veteran, serving in the US Army during the Vietnam War. He had a love for life, and will be missed by his many friends and family members. He is survived by his wife, Joan Doherty of Fort Myers, sons Kevin and Shaun Doherty and daughter Tricia Doherty, all of Fort Myers. Also surviving are a brother, Eddie Doherty of Littleton, CO and sister JoAnn Gillespie of Rumson, NJ. Arrangements are being handled by Kiser Funeral Home of Fort Myers. Mass is scheduled for Saturday at Church of the Resurrection, 8121 Cypress Lake Drive. A private interment in Section 12, Site 83 of the Sarasota National Cemetery is being scheduled for a later date.

#### **DOHERTY, Shaun Emmitt Doherty**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=126332448>)

Shaun Emmitt Doherty, age 27, of Fort Myers, FL died April 12, 2009 while in the service of his country. Shaun was born February 14, 1982 and was an avid sportsman who loved life, Shaun was blessed with many friends. Shaun is survived by his mother Joan Doherty, brother Kevin (Yutsyr) Doherty, sister Tricia Doherty, and his Aunt, sister Kathy Slevin. Mass of Christian Burial will be held Wednesday April 22, 2009 at Church of the Resurrection, Fort Myers. Burial with Full Military Honors by the U. S. Army will be held in Section 8, Site 401 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Kiser Funeral Home, 9231 Cypress Lake Drive is entrusted with the arrangements.

#### **DOLAN, Charles Franklin Dolan**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/charles-franklin-dolan/90496679>)

Charles Franklin Dolan was born on August 27, 1924. He died in Palmetto, Manatee County, FL on October 1, 1995 at 71 years old. He was buried in Sarasota National Cemetery Section C1C-1 Row D Site 31, Sarasota, FL.

#### **DOLAN, Shirley Virginia Dolan**

Shirley Virginia Dolan was born 06/10/1936, died 01/30/2013. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row D, Site 31 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Charles Franklin Dolan.

**DOLL, Edith M. Doll**

Edith M. Doll was born 07/05/1922, died 02/26/2007. Interred in Section 12, Site 115 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Kenneth Edward Doll.

**DOLL, Kenneth Edward Doll**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=94952933>)

Kenneth Edward Doll, age 81, Sarasota, formerly of Port St. Lucie and Westport, CT, was born on April 22, 1926 and died Sept. 20, 2007. Services will be private. National Cremation Society is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include a daughter, Barbie Middleton of Sarasota; sons John of Davie and Bill of Coral Springs; five grandchildren; and a great-grandson. Interred in Section 12, Site 115 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOLL, Robert Earl Doll**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?n=robert-earl-doll&pid=113009545>)

Robert Earl "Bob" Doll of Bonita Springs, FL passed away at home surrounded by his loving family on July 5th, 2008. Bob was born on November 22, 1922 in Dollville, IL to Albert and Rachael Doll. He married his high school sweetheart, Joyce E. Carrell, and they shared 64 wonderful years together. He was a WWII veteran and served with the Signal Corp in the Asiatic Theater. He attended the University of Illinois on the GI Bill and graduated with a degree in Electrical Engineering. He retired from Micro-Switch after 33 years as sales manager in Dayton, OH. After retirement, Bob remained active in his church and community. He was key in establishing the Semi-Retired Treasures Thrift Store for the Community Congregational Church and enjoyed volunteering (with his grandson in tow) at the Bonita Springs Assistance Office food pantry. Bob was an avid reader and student of Abraham Lincoln's life and times. He loved his Chicago sports teams and never missed a Cubs game. Most of all, he enjoyed spending time with his family and friends. He is survived by his wife, Joyce; daughter, Linda, of Centerville, OH; sons, Phillip (Penny) of Naples, FL and Robert (Karen) of Naples, FL; grandchildren: Celeste Doll of Louisville, KY and Robert Doll, Jr. of Naples, FL. He is also survived by a brother, Roy; and sister; Ruth, both of Illinois. A memorial service to celebrate his life will be Friday, July 25th at Joanne's House. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be given in his honor to Joanne's House, Hope Hospice, 27200 Imperial St., Bonita Springs, FL 34135. Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home. Interred in Section 12, Site 125 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOLPH, Harry Norman Dolph**

Harry Norman Dolph was born 02/01/1931, died 06/26/2010. Interred in Section 13, Site 532 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOLPH, Valeta J. Dolph**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/valeta-j-dolph/36030656>)

Valeta J Dolph, of North Fort Myers, Lee County, FL was born on November 11, 1935. Valeta died on February 10, 2004 at 68 years of age. Valeta was buried in Sarasota National Cemetery Section 13 Site 532, Sarasota, FL. Wife of Harry Norman Dolph.

**DOMAGALSKI, Anthony Robert Domagalski**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=86255952>)

Anthony Robert Domagalski, age 84, Arcadia, died April 24, 2005. He was born Dec. 2, 1920, in Milwaukee and came to Arcadia in 1982 from Milwaukee, where he had retired after 30 years as a police officer at Station 5. He was a Navy veteran of World War II, serving on the submarine USS Hake. He was a member of the Retired Police Association of Milwaukee, Gulf Coast Chapter of Submarine World War II Veterans, a member and past president of Wisconsin Campers Association and a choir member of St. Paul's Catholic Church. Survivors include his wife of 56 years, Ruth; daughters Beverly Speidel of Fond du Lac, WI, Nancy Salamun of Scottsdale, AZ, and Janet of Arcadia; sisters Eleanore Toryfter and Marion Grunow, both of Deming, NM, and Florence Andreshak of Twentyninepalms, CA; and four grandchildren. A memorial Mass will be Friday at St. Paul's Catholic Church, Arcadia. National Cremation Society, Venice chapter, is in charge. Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 22107 Elmira Blvd., Port Charlotte, FL 33952. Interred in Section 12, Site 471 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOMAGALSKI, Ruth Marion Domagalski**

Ruth Marion Domagalski was born 08/19/1926, died 08/02/2014. Interred in Section 12, Site 471 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Anthony Robert Domagalski.

**DOMBKOWSKI, Anne Dombkowski**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/hartfordcourant/obituary.aspx?n=anne-dombkowski-cuccia&pid=158644890>)

Anne (Cuccia) Dombkowski, age 77, passed away peacefully Wednesday, (July 11, 2012) after a long illness. She was born on Aug. 18, 1934 in New York City. The daughter of the late Nicholas and Irene Cuccia. She was the devoted wife of Walter J. Dombkowski for the last 54 years. Longtime residents of Southington, Anne and Walter moved to Palmetto, FL after retirement. She leaves behind her husband Walter; her son Paul Dombkowski; her daughters, Susan Mosley her husband Kent and Sandra English. She also leaves behind four grandchildren, Nichole Bernier and her husband James, Jacob Dombkowski and his wife Brigitte, Alex English and Jordan English; as well as three great-grandsons, Samuel Bernier, Joshua Bernier and Lucas Dombkowski. Send no flowers. Memorial contributions can be sent to Tidewell Hospice, 4151 37th St., E Palmetto, FL 34221. Interred in Section 6, Site 1148 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOMBROSKIE, Louis Charles Dombroskie**

Louis Charles Dombroskie was born 01/20/1933, died 07/17/2009. Interred in Section C1C-4, Row C, Site 32 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOMMER, Russell Boice Dommer**

Russell Boice Dommer was born 11/30/1922, died 11/10/2005. Interred in Section 12, Site 262 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONAGHY, Donald B. Donaghy**

Donald B. Donaghy was born 04/16/1930, died 04/22/2012. Interred in Section 13, Site 912 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONAGHY, Mary E. Donaghy**

Mary E. Donaghy was born 04/11/1931, died 12/01/2010. Interred in Section 13, Site 912 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Donald Brushette Donaghy.

**DONAHUE, Alan Eugene Donahue**

(Abstracted from <http://www.dignifiedcremations.com/obituaries/Alan-Donahue-34621/#!/Obituary>)

Alan Eugene Donahue, age 67, of Ft. Myers, FL passed away on Sunday November 24, 2013. Alan was born May 12, 1946. Affordable Cremations, A Dignified Alternative is in charge of arrangements. Interred in Section C1C-4, Row A, Site 2 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONAHUE, James Francis Donahue Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=115061934>)

James Francis Donahue Jr., age 87, Venice, formerly of Fairview Park, Ohio, died Aug. 4, 2008. James was born July 7, 1921. A Mass of Christian burial will be Saturday at Epiphany Cathedral. Ewing Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include his wife, Frances; sons James F. III of Zionsville, IN, Edward of North Lawrence, OH, and Christopher of Venice; daughters Charlotte Sendra Beger of Orlando, Patricia Triplett of Columbus, OH, Frances Baran of Venice and Mary E. of Chicago; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. James was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of Epiphany Cathedral. He worked as a sales engineer for Westinghouse Electric. Memorial donations may be made to Muscular Dystrophy Association, 2055 Wood St., Suite 204, Sarasota, FL 34237. Interred in Section 12, Site 74 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONAHUE, Robert Steven Donahue**

Robert Steven Donahue was born 10/04/1952, died 10/21/2009. Interred in Section 13, Site 28 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONALDSON, Donald Theodore Donaldson**

Donald Theodore Donaldson was born 04/25/1927, died 11/24/2013. Interred in Section 13, Site 807 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONALDSON, Ellen M. Donaldson**

Ellen M. Donaldson was born 09/26/1929, died 05/12/2010. Interred in Section 13, Site 807 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Donald Theodore Donaldson.

**DONALDSON, Martin K. Donaldson**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/martin-donaldson-obituary?pid=175971802>)

Martin K. Donaldson, age 67, of Largo passed away September 24, 2015 at Largo Medical. Martin was born January 15, 1948. There are no known survivors. Alife Tribute Largo. Interred in Section 5, Site 965 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONELAN, William Camille Donelan**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/berkshire/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=172791082>)

William Camille Donelan, age 91, of Fort Myers, Fla. born on May 3, 1923, in Roslindale, MA and passed away on Wednesday Oct. 8, 2014. He was a native of Boston, and longtime resident of Williamstown, before moving to Ft. Myers, FL in 1987. He served on the USS Boston in the [U.S. Navy](#) in [World War II](#) and was a member of the Navy V-12 program providing him the opportunity to attend Harvard, Princeton and Columbia Universities. After graduating Cum Laude from Boston College with B.S.B.A. degree in 1950, he worked at M.I.T., Litton Industries and retired after 22 years from Sprague Electric Co. in 1984 where he was Director of Contract Administration. He was a member of the American Legion and the VFW. Though he was a highly skilled hockey player and golfer in his younger years and still an avid tennis player and golfer into retirement, he will be most remembered as an excellent family man, father and husband. Survivors include his wife, of 68 years, Norma Wolf Donelan; children, Kathleen Donelan (Steve) Dallmeyer of North Fort Myers, FL, Patricia (Jay) Fortier of Washington, MA, William (Evelyn Rodriguez) Donelan of Sanford, FL, David Michele (Pierce) Donelan of Canterbury, NH, Thomas Donelan of Quincy, MA, Robert Donelan of Smyrna, GA, James ( Mary Beth Bonner) Donelan of Spokane Valley, WA; a sister, Anita Iverson of Bernardston, MA; grandchildren, Jacquelyn and Brian Fortier from Patricia, William, Darsa, Audrey, Julia, and Siara Donelan from William, Laura, Jennifer, and Stephen Donelan from David, Stephanie Donelan from Thomas, Alyssa and Trevor Donelan from James, Elimaida and Emileida Rodriguez from Evelyn; along with two great-grandchildren, Taylor Jane Donelan from William, and Lyla Renay Bailey from Audrey. He was predeceased by a daughter and son-in-law, Susan Donelan and James Boggs; and a grandson, Adam Fortier. The Family requests memorial contributions be made to the Susan E. Donelan Search For Hope Fund, c/o Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, 10 Brookline Place West, 6th Floor, Brookline, MA 02445-7226. Interred in Section 3, Site 599 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONES, Richard Dones**

Richard Dones was born 01/31/1936, died 07/31/2012. Interred in Section 6, Site 1216 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONNELLAN, Thomas Francis Donnellan**

Thomas Francis Donnellan was born 01/06/1947, died 11/16/2008. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row B, Site 8 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONNELLON, Richard Edmund Donnellon**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/richard-donnellon-obituary?pid=145995557>)

Richard Edmund Donnellon was born March 23, 1933 and died October 14, 2010. Arrangements under the direction of National Cremation Society, Port Charlotte, FL. Interred in Section 13, Site 758 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONNELLY, Patrick H. Donnelly**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/ellenton-fl/patrick-donnelly-5786903>)

Patrick H. Donnelly was born on May 16, 1919 in Malone, NY and passed away on December 20, 2013 in Sarasota, FL. Interred in Section 5, Site 65 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONNELLY, Richard John Donnelly**

Richard John Donnelly was born 12/07/1946, died 07/01/2012. Interred in Section 6, Site 1877 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONNELLY, William Patrick Donnelly**

William Patrick Donnelly was born 08/20/1934, died 01/18/2014. Interred in Section 5, Site 105 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONOHUE, Thomas Henry Donohue**

Thomas Henry Donohue was born 07/11/1926, died 03/16/2013. Interred in Section 7, Site 759 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONOVAN, Bennett Ramsey Donovan**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/ledgertranscript/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=175443332>)  
PORT CHARLOTTE, FL - Bennett Ramsey Donovan, (Nee: Francis Bakeman Donovan Jr.) was born in Peterborough on Jan. 27, 1929 to Mildred and Francis Donovan. Bennett died on August 2, 2015. He graduated from Tabor Academy in Marion, MA and joined the [U.S. Navy](#) in 1948. He graduated from Denison University in 1957. In 1955 he married Martha Brooks and they moved to Cleveland, Ohio where he worked for Sterling Lindner Davis and Forest City Materials. In 1964 he joined Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance and retired in 1988. Golf, tennis, crossword puzzles and reading were his favorite hobbies and he loved his church and his family, especially his eight grandchildren and his great grandson. He is survived by his wife, Marty, his sister, Dorothy Peterson of Peterborough, his son, Mike (Karen) of Knoxville, TN, daughters, Mary of Columbus, Ohio and Barbara (David) Wittick of Fountain Valley, CA, granddaughters, Katie, Patti, Jenny Donovan, Julie Donovan Bland (Wes), grandsons, Chris and Matt Donovan, Haley and Alex Wittick, and great grandson, Elijah Bennett Bland, and many nieces and nephews. Ben was preceded in death by his sister Mary Elizabeth Finger. Interred in Section C1C-8, Row D, Site 46 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DONOVAN, George R. Donovan**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=169684578>)  
George Robert "Bob" Donovan, age 80, of Lakewood Ranch passed away on February 12, 2014. Born on August 8, 1933 in Providence, RI, he was the son of George Rice and Mary Fisher Donovan. Bob lived most of his life in Rhode Island where he was a member of the [Rotary Club](#), [Elks Club](#), and Knights of Columbus. He spent most of his career in the travel industry - working as an air traffic controller followed by executive positions with various airlines. In 1972 he founded Donovan Travel and for 25 years he worked with his wife, Nancy Hall, by his side. Upon retiring the Donovans took up residence in Rosedale in Sarasota. Here they enjoyed the Florida lifestyle together - playing golf, dining out, and watching sunsets by the sea. Uncle Bobby, as he was known to so many, will be remembered for his easy-going disposition and kind heart. He is survived by his wife Nancy, his daughter Lynda, son-in-law Joe, and granddaughter Sarah Sprague, brothers Charles and Kenneth Donovan and many nieces and nephews. In honor of Bob's U.S. Naval service during the Korean War, funeral services will be held in Section 5, Site 151 at Sarasota National Cemetery on Monday, February 17th. Funeral arrangements were made by Jennings Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers please make a donation in Bob's name to a [charity of your choice](#).

**DOOLEY, Barbara K. Dooley**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/naples-fl/barbara-dooley-5978057>)  
Barbara K. Dooley was born November 29, 1944, and died May 16, 2014. Arrangements under the direction of Hodges Funeral Home At Naples Memorial Gardens, Naples, FL. Interred in Section 7, Site 256 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of Michael Eugene Dooley.

**DOOLEY, Michael Eugene Dooley**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/naples-fl/michael-dooley-4967887>)  
Michael Eugene Dooley born February 4, 1947 and died January 23, 2012. Arrangements under the direction of Hodges Funeral Home At Naples Memorial Gardens, Naples, FL. Interred in Section 7, Site 256 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOOLITTLE, John Michael Doolittle, Jr.**

(Abstracted from information received from Billy Payne, one of Elmer's shirt tail relatives)  
WAGENER, S.C. - John Michael Doolittle, Jr., age 18, entered into rest Tuesday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008. John Michael was the loving son of Alice Garvin Doolittle and John Michael Doolittle, Sr., loving brother to Lacie Nicole Doolittle all of Wagener and Heather Harmon of Leesville. He was the grandson of Mary and Billy Payne of North Augusta, the late Samuel Mack Doolittle, and Lloyd and Velda Garvin of Wagener. John Michael had several aunts and uncles and cousins; which include Dawn, Dale and Amanda Doolittle, Zach, Jake and Seth Garvin, Rosita, Cecilia and Nick Navarro, and Mack and Timothy Doolittle. John Michael was born Dec. 25, 1989. He was a member of Bethcar Baptist Church and a lifelong member of Fox Town Buck Club. John Michael was a big Georgia Bulldogs football fan as well as a Dallas Cowboy fan. He was employed by Yohe Plumbing in Aiken. He loved to spend time with his friends. Wagener Chapel of Blizzard Funeral Home, 163 Main Street South is handling the arrangements. The Memorial Service will be Saturday in the Bethcar Baptist Church. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the church or charity of your choice.

**DOOLITTLE, Karen Marie Doolittle**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=karen-marie-doolittle&pid=161500724>)  
Karen Marie Doolittle, age 72, of Nokomis formerly of Illinois died December 3, 2012. Karen was born June 29, 1940 to James H. and Gwendolyn M. (Webb) Smith in Princeton, IL. She was a loving wife and stay at home mom. She is survived by her husband David C. Doolittle of Nokomis, daughter Deborah Jones of North Port and son Scott Doolittle of Port Charlotte. A memorial service will be held December 6, 2012 at Peace Christian Fellowship in North Port. In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be

made to Tidewell Hospice, Inc. 5955 Rand Boulevard, Sarasota, FL 34238. Ewing Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Interment is in Section 6, Site 1559 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOPKINS, Robert F. Dopkins**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/robert-f-dopkins/72017236>)

Robert F Dopkins of Naples, Collier County, FL was born on March 12, 1925 and died on January 24, 2011 at 85 years of age. He was buried in Sarasota National Cemetery Section 6 Site 204, Sarasota, FL.

**DOPSON, Alvin Dwain Dopson**

(Abstracted from <http://obituaries.clintonherald.com/obituary/alvin-dopson-1933-2015-769756181>)

Alvin Dwain Dopson, age 81, passed away unexpectedly the morning of Feb. 9, 2015 at Blake Memorial Hospital, Bradenton Florida. Mr. Dopson is survived by his significant other of more than 29 years, Laura Sutton of Bradenton. He had five children: Dan (Deb) Dopson, Clinton; Scott (Julie) Dopson, Albany, IL; Steve (Mary Jo ) Dopson, Clinton; Tom (Paula) Dopson, Clinton; and Danette (Marty) Temple, Naperville, IL; 12 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. Al was born June 17, 1933 in Ontario, WI, the son of Oliver and Anna Dopson. He served in the Air Force for 18 years. In the Clinton area, he worked for Elmwood Dairy. For most of his professional career, Al was a salesman, primarily selling larger motor homes and RV's. He and Laura operated Miles Trailer Sales and Service in Bradenton. His success in business was largely attributed to his work ethic and his natural ability to relate to people. Al was a loving father and grandfather who loved to play cards, checkers and chess. He was also very fond of the accordion. Services were held, Friday, February 13, 2015 in Section 3, Site 697 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Al was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, Orville and George, one sister, Juanita and one son, Bruce.

**DORE, Florence Dore**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=177432100>)

Florence Dore, age 89, of Venice, FL, formerly of Boston, MA, died on Jan. 21, 2016. Mrs. Dore was born on June 5, 1926. Services will be Tue., in Section 7, Site 508 at Sarasota National Cemetery, 9810 State Road 72, in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by Toale Brothers Funeral Homes, Colonial Chapel. She is survived by her daughter, Nancy Dore of Sarasota; son, Stephen Dore and Gisele Pintchuck of Sarasota; sisters, Shirley Goldman and Barbara Greenglass; her grandchildren, Benjamin and Max (Liana) Dore and Phillip Villoutreix. Mrs. Dore was preceded in death by her husband, Richard Jack Dore and her daughter, Karen.

**DORE, Richard Jack Dore**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=159496215>)

Richard Jack Dore, age 86, of Venice, FL, formerly of Houston, TX, died on Aug. 23, 2012. Mr. Dore was born on Dec. 21, 1925. Services will be Tue., in Section 7, Site 508 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by Toale Brothers Funeral Homes. Survivors include his wife of 64 years, Florence; his daughter, Nancy of Venice, FL; his son, Stephen of Sarasota; grandchildren, Benjamin Dore, Max Dore and Phillip (Stephanie) Viloitreix. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to your favorite charity.

**DORIA, Joseph James Doria**

Joseph James Doria was born 09/05/1948, died 04/26/2014. Interred in Section 3, Site 367 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DORMAN, Raymond Louis Dorman**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=173403952>)

Raymond Louis Dorman passed away to be with the Lord on December 8, 2014. He was born on Aug. 11, 1926 in Southern Illinois. He was a U.S. Navy Veteran of World War II. He worked for US Steel for 30 years in Waukegan, IL. He fished all around Lehigh Acres and had a boat for many years. He is survived by his wife of 36 years Sylvia; a son Gary; daughters Raeanne (Dennis) Topcik, and Renee (Mike) Pastore; step daughter Leslie (Mario) Batas; 11 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife Anne; his parents Louis and Sophie; a daughter Rochelle Smith; sister Rita Richardson; and daughter-in-law Leta Dorman. Arrangements are being handled by the Hodges-Farley Funeral Home. Interred in Section 3, Site 594 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DORNSEIF, Allan Walter Dornseif**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=allan-walter-dornseif&pid=175477685>)

Allan Walter Dornseif, of Sarasota, Florida, died on Saturday, July 25, 2015 at the age of 84. He passed quietly in the presence of family. He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Jean and five children, Elise Hanson, Keith Dornseif, Scott Dornseif, Ursula Wills and Christiann Mullins, eight grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, his brother Don Dornseif and, sister Arlene Woods.

Born April 14, 1931 in Chicago, IL Allan received his Doctorate of Education at Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL and was the Assistant Superintendent of School District 162, in Matteson IL. He retired in 1984. A longtime member of the Association for Supervision of Curriculum Development, Allan recently served as the President of the Florida Chapter after moving to Sarasota, FL in 2000. Stationed in Alaska before it was a state, Allan served in the Armed Forces during the Korean Conflict. Allan loved to travel and was able to visit many different countries. He and his wife Jean also enjoyed attending symphonies and plays. We want to thank all of Allan's caregivers at Sarasota Memorial Hospital and Tidewell Hospice, and family and friends for all of their support. Allan will be interred in Section 3, Site 1060 at Sarasota National Cemetery with no formal services at this time. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

**DOROBIALA, Michael Anthony Dorobiala**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ltaylorfuneral.com/obituary/Michael-A-Dorobiala/Port-Charlotte-FL/1392331>)

Michael Anthony Dorobiala, age 53, of Port Charlotte passed away Wednesday, June 18, 2014. He was the son of Thomas and Arlene (Adykoski) Dorobiala, born March 25, 1961 in East Hartford, CT. Michael was a US Navy veteran, and came to this area in 1989 from New Jersey. He was a corrections officer for Charlotte County Corrections; he was also a painter and carpenter. He was of the Catholic faith. Michael will be greatly missed by his wife of 30 years, Stacy; daughters, Christine and Stephanie Dorobiala; son, Thomas (Rosio) Dorobiala; mother, Arlene Haire; father, Thomas (Kathy) Dorobiala; sisters, Dawn (Stephen) Ritter and Cheryl (Patrick) McCormick; brother, Mark (Linda) Dorobiala; and grandson, Michael. Burial will take place in Section 5, Site 316 in Sarasota National Cemetery. Arrangements are by Larry Taylor Funeral and Cremation Services.

**DOROSHENKO, Michael George Doroshenko**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/sarasota-fl/michael-doroshenko-6221403>)

Michael George Doroshenko, age 90, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of New Jersey, died on Nov. 28, 2014. He was born Feb. 27, 1924 and served proudly in the Navy during WWII. He will be buried with military funeral honors in Section 5, Site 511 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. Left to cherish his memory are his wife of 25 years, Kristina Kelly, his son, Matthew Kelly, his daughter, Kathleen (Dr. Richard) DeMarsico, and grandchildren, Gryphon Kelly, Richard, Matthew, and Lauren Demarsico and great-grandchild, Sophia DeMarsico.

**DORSEY, Allen Shaffer Dorsey**

(Abstracted from the Tuesday Sept 30, 2003 Bradenton (FL) Herald)

Mike and Sandy Dorsey are next door neighbors of the Spear's

Allen Shaffer Dorsey, age 79, of Bradenton, died Sept. 28, 2003, in Blake Medical Center. Brown and Sons Funeral Home, 604 43rd St. W. is entrusted with the arrangements. Service will be Wednesday at the funeral home. Burial will be in Union Cemetery in Columbus, Ohio. Memorial contributions may be made to Palma Sola Bay Baptist Church, 4000 75th St. W., Bradenton, FL, 34209. Born in Newark, Ohio, Mr. Dorsey came to Manatee County from Radcliffe, KY, in 1987. He attended Palma Sola Bay Baptist Church. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. Survivors include his wife, Ruth; three sons, Mark, of Harrodsburg, KY, Michael, of Fort Collins, CO, and Lt. Col. John Dorsey of Shreveport, LA; and five grandchildren.

**DORSEY, Carlton Dorsey**

Carlton Dorsey was born 12/24/1945, died 07/15/2009. Interred in Section 8, Site 96 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOSS, Jack Norris Doss**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/jack-doss-obituary?pid=136088416>)

Jack Norris Doss, age 52, died Mon, Nov 16, 2009. Jack was born March 19, 1957. Arrangements by Care Cremation & Funeral Service. Interred in Section 13, Site 488 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOTSON, Charlie Anthie Dotson**

Charlie Anthie Dotson was born 02/02/1933, died 01/15/2016. Interred in Section 5, Site 52 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOTSON, Jerrold Arthur Dotson**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/jerrold-dotson-obituary?pid=178801289>)

Jerrold Arthur Dotson of Saint Petersburg, FL was born on April 30, 1947 and passed away on Thursday, August 20, 2009. Interred in Section 8, Site 240 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOTSON, Lucy S. Dotson**

Lucy S. Dotson was born 11/18/1939, died 12/10/2013. Interred in Section 5, Site 52 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Charlie Anthie Dotson.

**DOUBERLY, Judy Sinclair Douberly**

(Abstracted from information received from Amy Chancey)

Judy Sinclair Douberly, age 60, of Patterson, passed away Friday, June 24, 2016, at her home. Born July 13, 1955 to the late Oscar and N.E. Sinclair, she was a loving wife and mother. She lived most of her life in Patterson where she was active in Pleasant Hill Baptist Church and worked at Thom's Transport Company. In addition to her father, Judy was preceded in death by her sister, Louise Hughes. Survivors include her husband of 40 years, Jimmie Douberly of Patterson; daughter, Julie Douberly (Amy Smith) of Statesboro; mother, N.E. Sinclair of Patterson; sister, Sandra (Johnny) Clark of Patterson; brother, Eddie (Pam) Sinclair of Patterson and mother-in-law, Christel Douberly of Patterson. Funeral services will be Sunday, June 26, at Pleasant Hill Baptist Church. Interment will follow in the New Home Cemetery near Offerman. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hospice Satilla, 808 Evergreen Way, Waycross, GA 31501 or to the Southeast Cancer Unit, PO Box 2764, Waycross, GA 31502. Pearson-Dial Funeral Home of Blackshear is in charge of arrangements.

**DOUBLE, Shari Lynn Double**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/national-cremation/obituary.aspx?n=Shari-Double&lc=2784&pid=145240194&mid=4375431>)

Shari Lynn Double, age 65, of Sarasota, formerly of Dover, N.J., died September 9, 2010. Shari was born December 25, 1944. A memorial service will be held Monday at National Cremation and Burial Society. Burial will be in Section 13, Site 917 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of William Clarence Double. Survivors include her daughter, Tracy; a son, William (Nicole) of Sarasota; a sister, Tamie (Gene) Farrell, of Andover, NJ and a brother, Jerry (Leah) Yancsek of Trout Run, PA. Shari retired from Bank of America in 2007 after 30 years and was recently a volunteer of Mote Marine.

**DOUBLE, William Clarence Double**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=86277857>)

William Clarence Double, age 68, Sarasota, died Oct. 8, 2002. He was born June 26, 1934, in New Castle, PA, and came to Sarasota in 1954 from there. He retired as a Navy torpedo man and served in the Bay of Pigs during the Vietnam War. He was a Presbyterian and a member of the American Legion in Sarasota. Survivors include his wife, Shari Lynn; a daughter, Tracy M. of Sarasota; a son, William Daniel of Sarasota; and a sister, Laura L. Rishel of Lowellville, Ohio. A memorial service will be Saturday at the American Legion, 5201 Richardson Road. National Cremation Society, Sarasota chapter, is in charge. Interment is in Section 13, Site 917 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOUGAL, Cissie G. Dougal**

Cissie G. Dougal was born 06/17/1924, died 10/03/2003. Interred in Section 6, Site 1886 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Leonard Joseph Dougal.

**DOUGAL, Leonard Joseph Dougal**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/leonard-j-dougal/51974393>)

Leonard Joseph Dougal, a resident of Sarasota, Sarasota County, FL was born on December 15, 1919. He died on February 27, 1996 at 76 years old. Interred in Section 6, Site 1886 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOUGHERTY, Barbara A. Dougherty**

Barbara A. Dougherty was born 09/23/1954, died 11/26/2012. Interred in Section 3, Site 1087 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Frank John Dougherty.

**DOUGHERTY, Frank John Dougherty**

Frank John Dougherty was born 11/15/1949, died 07/15/2015. Interred in Section 3, Site 1087 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOUGHERTY, Kent Alan Dougherty**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/cantonrep/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=169913250>)

Kent Alan Dougherty, age 69, of Bradenton, FL, formerly of Canton, Ohio died on Feb. 18, 2014. Kent was born Feb. 29, 1944 and is survived by his loving wife of 42 years, Nancy Dougherty; daughter, Shawna Salvador; son, Chad (Wendy) Dougherty; brother, Charles (Janice) Dougherty; three grandchildren, Katelyn Salvador, Camden Dougherty and Sebastian Cook and sister-in-law, Sandra Dougherty. He was preceded by his parents, Fred and Alice Dougherty; brother, George Delano Dougherty Sr.; sister, Ruth Kolp; and grandson, Shaun Salvador. Graveside services with military honors will be Friday, March 7, 2014 in Section 3, Site 26 at Sarasota National Cemetery.



**DOUGHTY, Clarence Doughty**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/clarence-doughty/15665470>)

Clarence Doughty of Bowling Green, Hardee County, FL was born on April 17, 1918. He died on June 18, 2009 at 91 years of age. Interred in Section 3, Site 981 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOUGLAS, Dennis Ray Douglas**

(Abstracted from [http://www.pongerkaysgrady.com/memsol.cgi?user\\_id=1664332](http://www.pongerkaysgrady.com/memsol.cgi?user_id=1664332))

Dennis Ray Douglas, age 61, of Arcadia, FL passed away March 12, 2015. Dennis was born December 25, 1953 in Fort Myers, FL and has called Desoto County home for the last 20 years. He spent a few years living in Charlotte County. Dennis was a man who loved his country and proudly served in the US Air Force during the Vietnam War. Dennis watched Fox News, which often fueled his political rants and was considered by family to be "House Speaker" at his house. He was a member of the AMVETS and VFW. Dennis enjoyed fishing, shooting and playing with his loyal dog, Sniper. Dennis is survived by his brothers; James G. (Caroline) Douglas, Jr., of Dade City, FL, Benjamin A. (Barbara) Douglas of Vero Beach, FL, Larry F. Douglas of Lake Port, FL, Timothy K. (Dana) Douglas of Tallahassee, FL, and 9 nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; James Garfield and Pauline (nee Irby) Douglas, Sr. A service with military honors will be held in Section 3, Site 774 at Sarasota National Cemetery at a later date. Arrangements have been entrusted to Ponger Kays Grady Funeral Home, Arcadia, FL.

**DOUGLAS, Eileen H. Douglas**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=164883738>)

Eileen H. Douglas, age 96, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of Garden City, NY, was born December 19, 1916 and died on May 11, 2013. Services will be Sat., May 25, 2013, in Section 6, Site 154 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home. Eileen is survived by her son, William (Susan B) Douglas, Jr., of Sarasota, FL; brothers, Jack Horschel of Melbourne, FL, Hank Horschel of Satellite Beach, FL; grandchildren William Douglas III, Donald Douglas, Betsy Douglas and Melissa Douglas. Widow of William B. Douglas.

**DOUGLAS, Harold Leroy Douglas**

Harold Leroy Douglas was born 03/10/1922, died 01/08/2014. Interred in Section 5, Site 96 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOUGLAS, William B. Douglas**

William B. Douglas was born 09/04/1915, died 05/02/1997. Interred in Section 6, Site 154 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOUGLASS, Elvera Ruth Douglass**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/tampabaytimes/obituary.aspx?n=elvera-ruth-douglass&pid=176858104&fhid=16811>)

Elvera Ruth Douglass of Maranatha Village in Sebring, FL passed into the loving arms of her Savior, on December 8, 2015. Elvera was born July 9, 1933 in Johnson City, NY to Clarence and Ruth Hayden. Her father was a Baptist minister in New York state and Michigan. Elvera attended Baptist Bible Seminary where she majored in Christian Education and where she met Walter Douglass. Elvera and Walter were married on June 17, 1955 in Bay City, MI. Walter and Elvera served in pastoral ministry for the next five decades in Michigan, New York, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania ministering in five different churches. They were blessed to have 4 children, Jeanette, David, Mark and Beverly. In addition to serving as a Pastor's wife, Elvera taught in both public and private school. She was a prolific writer using her gift for various publications. Elvera was also a gifted musician graced with a world-class soprano voice, which was often accentuated by her abilities as a pianist and organist. Elvera and Walter moved to Maranatha Village in Sebring, FL in November 2001 where she worked in the village office, as a librarian, and served in various capacities in the music ministry at Maranatha Baptist Church. Elvera spent the past few months at The Oaks in Avon Park, FL receiving specialized nursing care. Elvera was preceded in death by her daughter, Jeanette Ruth Douglass. She is survived by her loving husband of 60 years, Walter Douglass, three surviving children, David Douglass and his wife Christine of Avon Park, FL; Mark Douglass and his wife Mary, of Stowe, OH; Beverly Richmond and her husband Stephen of Clarks Summit, PA. In addition she is survived by her brother Vern Hayden and partner Oksana of Westport, CT and Elvera is survived by nine grandchildren who were her blessing and delight. A memorial service will be held at the Maranatha Baptist Church, of Sebring FL on Monday, December 14, 2015. Interment will follow in Section 5, Site 1026 at the Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, Florida.

**DOUGLASS, James Michael Douglass**

(Abstracted from <http://www.kays-ponger.com/obituary/174196/James-Douglass/>)

James Michael Douglass, age 67, of Englewood FL died on Aug 28, 2014. He was born June 3, 1947 and was a decorated Army Captain, served two tours in Vietnam, was awarded the bronze star. He practiced law for 33 years in Venice, FL. In retirement, he continued to serve the community as a volunteer tutor for reading at Englewood Elementary School. He was passionate about reading, loved the game of golf, and enjoyed seeing live music, especially the Blues. He is survived by his wife Angela, three daughters (Kristi, Shelly, and Melissa), five grandchildren (Madison, Kate, Jaxon, Lucianna, and Chaya), sister Theo, and two nieces (Katie and Rachel). Interred in Section C1C-6, Row D, Site 14 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOUTHITT, Glenn Ellis Douthitt**

(Abstracted from <http://www.farleyfuneralhome.com/obituary/glenn-e-douthitt/>)

Glenn Ellis Douthitt was born 05/24/1926, died 01/02/2015 and is survived by his loving wife Constance of Venice, daughters Lezlie Couch of Richland, WA and Lisa Parsons of Decatur, GA, son David Douthitt of Sarasota, FL, sister Dorothy Gorsky of Ocala, FL, 11 grandchildren, and 10 great grandchildren. He will be missed by all who knew and loved him. Interred in Section C1C-6, Row B, Site 49 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOVALE, Albert Pereira Dovale**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/albert-dovale-obituary?pid=153383203>)

Albert Pereira "Al" Dovale, age 82, of Ellenton, formerly of Bethel, CT died Aug. 23, 2011. Albert was born Feb. 6, 1929. Services with military honors will be Sept. 5, 2011 in Section 6, Site 32 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 43rd Street Chapel is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include wife of 32 years, Marian of Ellenton; sons Dove of Bandon, OR, and Scott of Pasadena, CA; daughter Cheryl of Suwannee, GA; and six grandchildren.

**DOVE, William Barton Dove Jr.**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/star-gazette/obituary.aspx?n=william-barton-dove-bill&pid=122635443>)

William (Bill) Barton Dove Jr., age 65, of Sarasota, FL and formerly of Elmira, NY, went to be with our Lord on December 21, 2008. William was born on March 22, 1943 and was predeceased by his wife, Shirley Decker Dove; and parents, Gloria and William Dove, Sr. Survived by sons, William Dove, III, and Ray Dove of Sarasota, Fred (Fritz) Dove, Rodney Dove, and Vincent Dove of Elmira; 12 grandchildren; brothers, Frederick Dove and Kenneth Dove of Elmira, and Gary Dove of Horseheads; sisters, Donna Dove Horton and Karen Dove Bohart of Elmira; and many nieces and nephews. Bill was a Navy veteran and will be interred in Section 8, Site 168 of the Sarasota National Cemetery with full Military Honors.

**DOVIDAS, Edmund J. Dovidas Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com/book-of-memories/2868198/dovidas-edmund/obituary.php>)

Edmund J. Dovidas Jr., age 62, Lady Lake, FL died on Thursday, August 16, 2012. He was born May 4, 1950 in Wilkes-Barre, PA and moved to Lady Lake from Orlando two years ago. He was Catholic by faith, loved bowling, enjoyed watching drag racing cars and attending the Gator National. He was a Utility Coordinator for Disney World. He is survived by 2 daughters: Lisa D. Brett, Orlando, FL and Theresa R. Velasquez, Lady Lake, FL; brother Thomas Dovidas, Nutley, NJ and one granddaughter. A memorial service will be held at the Lady Lake Chapel of Beyers Funeral Home on Saturday, August 18, 2012. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Florida Cancer Specialist, 1201 5th Ave. North, St. Petersburg, FL 33705. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row A, Site 24 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOVIDAS, Harriet Frieda Dovidas**

(Abstracted from <https://www.beyersfuneralhome.com/book-of-memories/2868561/dovidas-harriet/obituary.php>)

Harriet Frieda Dovidas, age 57, of Lady Lake, FL, died Tuesday, May 8, 2012 at her residence. She was born January 12, 1955 in Newark, NJ. She was a retired vacation planner with Disney. She moved to Lady Lake, FL from Orlando, FL 2 years ago. She loved to play Bingo and soap operas. She is survived by her husband: Edmund J. Dovidas of Lady Lake, FL; 1 son: Brian M. Roberts of Springhill, FL; 2 daughters: Lisa D. Brett of Orlando, FL; Theresa R. Velasquez of Winter Garden, FL; 1 sister: Bernice Curto of Middletown, NJ; and 4 grandchildren: Christian, Andrew, Lilly & Harper. In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to Florida Cancer Specialist, 1201 5th Ave, North, St. Petersburg, FL 33705. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row A, Site 24 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOW, George Willard Dow Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.farleyfuneralhome.com/obituary/george-willard-dow/>)

George Willard Dow, Jr., age 71, of Venice, FL, formerly of Boston, MA passed away on November 17, 2012. He was born on March 7, 1941 in Boston. George was preceded in death by his wife, Patricia Francis in 2011. He is survived by his children, Kimberly Boyd of Smyrna, GA and George Dow, III of Vail, CO and two granddaughters, Morgan Elizabeth and Addison Francis. Interred in Section 13, Site 1326 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOW, Patricia Francis Dow**

(Abstracted from <http://www.farleyfuneralhome.com/obituary/patricia-francis-dow/>)

Patricia Francis Dow, age 72, of Venice, FL, formerly of Winchester, MA, passed away on May 2, 2011. She was born on December 28, 1938 in Winchester. She was preceded in death by her parents, James Edward & Katherine Elizabeth (Francis) Callahan where her father was the Fire Chief for the Town of Winchester. She is survived by her husband of 41 years, George Williard Dow Jr. of Venice; a son, George Dow, III of Vail, CO and a daughter, Kim Boyd of Smyrna, GA. Interred in Section 13, Site 1326 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOWD, John Joseph Dowd**

(Abstracted from <http://www.tributes.com/obituary/show/John-J.-Dowd-87937953>)

John Joseph Dowd of Englewood, FL was born on April 1, 1940 and passed away on Monday, February 15, 2010. Interred in Section 8, Site 293 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOWDELL, Thomas J. Dowdell**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=148838317>)

Thomas J. Dowdell, age 57, of Englewood, formerly of Orlando, died Feb. 22, 2011. Private services held in Section 13, Site 1180 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include his mother, Doreen Anderson of Englewood. He was born Nov. 20, 1953 in Dover, NJ. Originally from Lake Hopatcong, NJ he graduated from Dover High School. Tom served in the US Navy. He went to drafting school. He worked for AT&T in Homestead, NJ. He became a video technician and learned to take care of video machines at the Playboy Club in NJ. Tom moved to Orlando, FL and worked as a video technician at Power Play. In lieu of flowers memorial donations can be made in Tom's name to TideWell Hospice Inc. 5955 Rand Blvd, Sarasota, FL 34238.

**DOWELL, Paul Richard Dowell**

(Abstracted from [http://www.tribstar.com/obituaries/paul-richard-dowell/article\\_d69a6c9f-eaf0-56cd-bf6a-91acf6c20a70.html](http://www.tribstar.com/obituaries/paul-richard-dowell/article_d69a6c9f-eaf0-56cd-bf6a-91acf6c20a70.html))

Paul Richard Dowell, age 82, a Fort Myers, FL, resident since 1986, passed away Friday, Aug. 28, 2015, in Cape Coral. He was born March 12, 1933, in Terre Haute, IN, to James and Sadie Dowell, now deceased. He is survived by his beloved wife of 60 years, Frances Joan Weil Dowell of Fort Myers; son, Jim Dowell of Coral Springs, FL, and daughter, Paula Dowell of Fort Myers; brother, Bob Dowell of Terre Haute; loving sister-in-law, Virginia Allen of Terre Haute; several nieces and nephews; as well as the love of his life, his grandson, Alec. Paul was in the U.S. Navy. He was a member of Steam Demon while serving aboard the U.S.S. Thomas E. Fraser. He retired from the Terre Haute Police Department. Paul was a member of the Retired Police and Fireman Association, the Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 85, the Terre Haute Mosaic Lodge 19 and the Blue Lodge. Paul was preceded in death by sisters, Maxine Bunch, Beatrice Cannon, Katherine Morley and Barbara Schimmel. There is a graveside service with military honors Friday, Sept. 4, in Section 5, Site 901 at Sarasota National Cemetery, 9810 Florida 72, Sarasota, FL 34241. Memorial Contributions in memory of Paul Richard Dowell are suggested to Hope Hospice, 9470 Healthpark Circle, Ft. Myers, FL 33908. Mullins Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Service, Cape Coral, is entrusted with final care.

**DOWLING, Molly Fay Dowling**

(Abstracted from <https://www.inglewoodfh.com/obituaries/Molly-Dowling/#!/Obituary>)

Molly Fay Dowling, age 85, of Englewood, FL passed away Friday, April 20, 2012 in Lee Memorial Hospital. Born on July 24, 1926 in Buffalo, NY she had been a resident of Charlotte County for twenty-four years coming from North Tonawanda, NY. A loving wife, mother and home maker for her family; she is pre-deceased by her husband William Harris Dowling and a daughter, Christine. Survivors include her three sons: Randy H. (Marcia) Dowling of North Tonawanda, NY; Richard N. (Patricia) Dowling of Kenmore, NY; Robert W. Dowling of Tampa, FL; one brother: Dr. Edward Dunlap of Ft. Myers, FL; 9 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. A graveside service will be held on Wednesday, May 16, 2012 in Section 12, Site 338 at the Sarasota National VA Cemetery where her cremains will be buried with her husband. Englewood Community Funeral Home with Private Crematory has been selected to handle arrangements.

**DOWLING, Richard George Dowling**

(Abstracted from <http://www.kays-ponger.com/obituary/173593/Mr-Dick/>)

Richard (Dick) George Dowling, age 87, of Punta Gorda, FL, passed away on February 21, 2015. Richard was born in Grassy Point, NY on December 19, 1927 to Thomas & Anna Dowling. He moved to Florida in 1990. Richard served his country honorably in the Navy and Army during WWII and the Korean conflict. He was a member of the Elks, American Legion, Volunteer Ambulance Corp. He was an avid gunman and hunter. He also worked for International Union of Operational engineers as a chief

construction engineer and was pivotal in building many bridges and tunnels. Richard is survived by his loving wife of 37 years Carol Dowling; daughters, Michele Dowling, Stephanie Lopez, Diane Price and Susan Houghtelling; son, Richard Dowling, Jr. and five grandchildren. Interred in Section 5, Site 636 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOWLING, William Harris Dowling**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=william-harris-dowling&pid=129101813>) William Harris Dowling, age 84, of Englewood, formerly of North Tonawanda, NY, died June 27, 2009. William was born January 24, 1925. Services will be at a later date. Inurnment will be in Section 12, Site 338 in Sarasota National Cemetery. Englewood Community Funeral Home & Cremation Service has been selected to handle arrangements. Survivors include his loving wife of 61 years, Molly of Englewood; sons Randy H. of North Tonawanda, Richard N. of Kenmore, NY, and Robert W. of Tampa; nine grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

**DOWNES, Laurance Joseph Downes**

Laurance Joseph Downes was born 03/18/1940, died 10/28/2011. Interred in Section 6, Site 450 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOWNES, Richard Lee Downes**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=richard-lee-downes&pid=99937812>) Richard Lee Downes, age 76, Sarasota, formerly of Wilmington, DE, born Dec. 23, 1930 and died Dec. 15, 2007. Services will be Wednesday at Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Sarasota. Good Earth Crematory is in charge. Survivors include his wife, JoAnn; daughters Karen Colon, Nina Downes, Susan Messer and Amy Rizzo; his son, David; his sister, Loretta Downes; and seven grandchildren. Known for his sense of humor and wit, Dick was one of four principal owners of the advertising design firm DMCD (DeMartin, Marona, Cranstoun, Downes) with offices in New York, Connecticut and Delaware for 30 years, providing communications and advertising solutions to many major accounts such as General Foods, Philadelphia Phillies, Delaware Sen. Bill Roth, Delmarva Power and the DuPont Co. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Nature Conservancy at (800) 628-6860, or sponsor a senior at The Living Rooms, Senior Friendship Center, 1888 Brother Geenen Way, Sarasota, FL 34236; 556-3270. Interred in Section 12, Site 782 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOWNEY, Barbara Downey**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=154549510>) Barbara Downey, age 66, of Sarasota died Nov. 3, 2011. Barbara was born on Sept. 9, 1945. Services will be Monday in Section 6, Site 499 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include her son, Reed Crosby of Sarasota; daughters Jodi Paglia and Pamela Chaapel, both of Sarasota; brother David Graham of Yonkers, NY; seven grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

**DOWNEY, John Patrick Downey**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=john-patrick-downey&pid=146121393>) John Patrick Downey, age 81, of Sarasota, formerly of Yonkers, NY, died Oct. 17, 2010. John as born on August 3, 1929. Memorial services will be Thursday at Church of the Incarnation. Inurnment will follow in Section 13, Site 630 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Survivors include his wife, Joan Downey; sons Kevin and Christopher; and a sister, Catherine Marlin. He is also survived by his grandson, John; and was predeceased by his daughter, Marybeth Downey.

**DOWNING, Carl Richard Downing**

Carl Richard Downing was born 02/09/1942, died 07/02/2009. Interred in Section 12, Site 295 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOWNING, Howard Frank Downing**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=86279885>) Howard Frank Downing, age 79, Punta Gorda, died July 2, 2002. He was born Dec. 2, 1922, in Brooklyn, NY. He attended Fordham University. He was an Army veteran, who served during World War II. He was in the printing and lithography business in New York City. He became a plant manager, and later worked in the sales department. He was a member of Burnt Store Country Club and a former member of Smithtown Landing Country Club and Merrywood Country Club in New York. Survivors include his wife of 59 years, Doris M.; sons Glenn H. of St. James, NY, and Gary W. of St. James, NC; and six grandchildren. Memorial services will be Friday at Kays-Ponger/ Royal Palm Funeral Home, Punta Gorda Chapel. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Southwest Florida, 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238. Interment in Section 3, Site 884 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOWNING, John C. Downing**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/link.asp?i=ls000163196916>)

John C. Downing was born 02/01/1922, died 02/15/2013. Interred in Section 6, Site 1675 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOWNS, George Edward Downs**

George Edward Downs was born 08/11/1921, died 04/08/2010. Interred in Section 13, Site 423 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOYLE, Edna May Doyle**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/metrowestdailynews/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=113089117>)

NORTH PORT, FL - Edna May (Dupont) Doyle, age 86, of Holiday Park, North Port, FL, passed away Wednesday, July 2, 2008. She was born Feb. 23, 1922, in Hudson to the late Emil and Beatrice (Hunt) Dupont. She moved to Holiday Park in 1992 from Brooksville, FL and Hudson. She leaves her husband, retired Lieutenant of the Hudson Fire Department, John Augustus Doyle Sr., with whom she would have celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary on July 18. She also leaves her daughter and son-in-law, Janice and Walter Hamilton of Port Charlotte, FL; a son, John Jack Doyle of Venice, FL, and a granddaughter, Christina M. Doyle of Venice, FL. She also leaves her brother, Emil Bill Dupont and sister-in-law Julie Dupont of Northborough and eight nieces and nephews. She was the sister of the late Lucille (Dupont) Lynch. Arrangements are with National Cremation Society of Port Charlotte, Fla. There are no services. Interment in Section 12, Site 12 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOYLE, Edward W. Doyle**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?n=edward-w-doyle&pid=128500538>)

Edward W. Doyle, age 85, of Sarasota, FL, died June 14, 2009. He was born August 25, 1923, in Rochelle, IL, and moved to Sarasota in 1960 from Glen Ellyn, IL, where he was a builder and land developer. He was the owner of West Florida Distributors, Inc. in Sarasota from 1967-2002. He was a pilot in the Army Air Corp. during World War II, serving in Europe, and was discharged as a 1st Lieutenant. He was Catholic and a Member of Incarnation Catholic Church. Also a member of Sara Bay Country Club. He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Elizabeth; three daughters, Kathleen Levins (Ed) and Mindy Blakeley (Rick) of Sarasota, and Mary Pat Lordi (Phil) of Fort Myers; four sons, Michael Doyle (Vicki), Terry Doyle, and Patrick Doyle (Laurie) of Sarasota, James Doyle (Sissi) of Fort Myers; 20 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren; and one brother and seven sisters. He was preceded in death by his son Edward and parents, Edward Patrick and Edna Kathryn Doyle. Toale Brothers, Colonial Chapel at 40 N. Orange Ave, Sarasota is entrusted with the arrangements. A funeral mass will be Thursday June 18 at noon at Incarnation Catholic Church. Burial with military honors will be Thursday in Section 8, Site 564 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Disabled American Veterans-DAV; PO Box 14301, Cincinnati, Ohio 45250-0301.

**DOYLE, Geraldine Marie Doyle**

(Abstracted from [http://obituaries1315.rssing.com/chan-59165898/all\\_p1.html](http://obituaries1315.rssing.com/chan-59165898/all_p1.html))

Geraldine Marie Doyle, age 82, of Goodyear died Dec. 29, 2015, from Alzheimer's disease. Mrs. Doyle was born Jan. 20, 1933, in Brooklyn, NY. She worked in retail for many years. She moved to Arizona in 2015. She was preceded in death by her husband, Michael Jerome Doyle. She is survived by one daughter, Maureen Doyle of Sarasota, FL; two sons, Michael Doyle of Goodyear and George Doyle of Glendale; two brothers, John Knortz and Paul Knortz, both of New Bern, NC; five grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. Private services will be at Avenidas Funeral Chapel in Avondale. Interred in Section 3, Site 1396 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOYLE, John Augustus Doyle Sr.**

John Augustus Doyle Sr. was born 08/21/1913, died 11/08/2008. Interred in Section 12, Site 12 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOYLE, John J. Doyle Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=85939100>)

John J. Doyle Jr., age 82, North Port, died Dec. 27, 2006. He was born March 22, 1924, in Dover, NJ, and came to North Port 21 years ago from Myrtle Beach, SC. He retired in 1979 as an investigator for law and public safety for the State of New Jersey. He was a Navy veteran of World War II and a member of the American Legion in Port Charlotte. He was past exalted ruler of Elks Lodge 782. Survivors include his wife of 61 years, Marjorie; and a daughter, Karen of Venice. Private services will be in Section 12, Site 309 at Florida National Cemetery. Farley Funeral Home, North Port, handled the arrangements.

**DOYLE, Marjorie Annie Pengilly Doyle**

(Abstracted from <http://www.farleyfuneralhome.com/obituary/marjorie-annie-pengilly-doyle/>)

Marjorie Annie Pengilly Doyle formerly of Dover, NJ and Myrtle Beach, SC, died November 25, 2009. She was born February 6, 1924 in Mt. Hope, NJ and had been a resident of North Port, FL since 1986. She was a Supervisor for Warner-Lambert Pharmaceuticals in Morris Plains, NJ for 15 years and was a member of Venice Nokomis Methodist Church. Marjorie also was a music teacher and a member of the Emblem Club (Ladies Group of the Elks in Dover). She was predeceased by her loving husband, John J. Doyle. Survivors include her daughter, Karen Lee Doyle Felfoldy and son-in-law, Gary Felfoldy of Venice, FL. Interred in Section 12, Site 309 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOYLE, Thomas James Doyle**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=149026582>)

Thomas J. Doyle, age 88, of Englewood, formerly of Lowell, MA died Feb. 26, 2011. Mr. Doyle was born on Jan. 7, 1923. Burial with military honors will be at a later date in Section 12, Site 19 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Lemon Bay Funeral Home and Cremation Services is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include his daughter, Barbara Sovan of Englewood; son Thomas of Salem, NH; six grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by his wife Vivian, and his daughter, Patty McKean. Memorial donations may be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

**DOYLE, Vivian Doris Doyle**

Vivian Doris Doyle was born 12/29/1928, died 05/22/2009. Interred in Section 12, Site 19 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Thomas James Doyle.

**DOYLE, William James Doyle**

William James Doyle was born 07/08/1920, died 01/29/2012. Interred in Section 6, Site 840 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DOYNE, William Carey Doyne**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=161136675>)

William Carey Doyne, age 65, of Englewood, FL, formerly of Milwaukee, WI, died on Nov. 12, 2012. Mr. Doyne was born September 8, 1947. Services will be Fri., Dec. 28, 2012 in Section 6, Site 1467 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by Neptune Society.

**DOZIER, Elizabeth Dozier**

Elizabeth Dozier was born 02/14/1930, died 02/18/2014. Interred in Section 3, Site 534 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Charles Denton Dozier.

**DRAB, Francis Joseph Drab**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=157187272>)

Francis Joseph Drab, age 89, of Venice, formerly of Campbell Hall, NY died April 17, 2012. Francis was born on October 1, 1922. Mass of Christian Burial will be May 4, 2012 at Epiphany Cathedral in Venice. Inurnment will follow in Section 6, Site 938 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Farley Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include his wife, Peg, of Venice; daughters Catherine Moylan of Kenwood, CA, Rosemary Hoffmann of Lafayette, NJ, and Christina McCart of Salem, VA; son Daniel C. Drab of Sarasota; sister Dorothy Aughey; and six grandchildren. Memorial donations may be made to the Blinded Veterans Association, Florida Regional Group, 3801 CoCo Grove Avenue, Miami, FL 33133.

**DRAGO, Kristen J. Scafella Drago**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Feb. 1, 2015)

Kristen J. Scafella Drago, age 50, of Riverview, died Jan. 29, 2015, after a nine-year battle with cancer. Born January 6, 1965 in Chicago, IL, the daughter of Drs. Frank and Jeanne Scafella, she grew up in Morgantown, WV and earned her Bachelor's Degree from West Virginia University. She later completed her Masters from the University of Maryland. She was married to LTC Joseph Paul Drago, U.S. Army, retired. They have one daughter, Mia, and is survived by her husband, daughter, parents, and one sister, Kerry Haines, Fort Myers. Kristen was a moving force in whatever endeavor she undertook. Prior to her marriage, she managed restaurants in Ohio, and also was manager of Papa Razzi's in old Georgetown, Washington, DC. She was president of a staffing company in Tampa before working from home as a recruiter/headhunter for restaurant managers with Moore Hospitality, Inc. Her involvement with youth soccer was conducted with equal zeal and she will be greatly missed by the parents who joined her on the sidelines. Southern Funeral Care, 10510 Riverview Drive, Riverview is entrusted with the arrangements. A Funeral Mass will be Feb 6, at St. Anne's Catholic Church, Ruskin. Interment will follow in Section 5, Site 603 at Sarasota National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Moffitt Cancer Research Foundation, 12902 Magnolia Dr., Tampa, FL 33012. Donations should be designated for Fund #33412 for colon cancer research, in memory of Kristen Drago.

**DRAGO, Robert Louis Drago**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=154176092>)

Robert Louis Drago, age 78, of Venice, formerly of Pelham, NY died October 7, 2011. Robert was born February 25, 1933. Services will be private by Ewing Funeral Home. Survivors include wife Barbara; daughter Pamela (Hugo) D'Esposito of Jericho, L.I. NY; son Wayne of New Rochelle, NY; four grandchildren, Robert, Daniel, Melissa and Alexandra and one great-grandchild. Robert served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He was an avid gardener. In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to Tidewell Hospice, Inc. 5955 Rand Boulevard, Sarasota, FL 34238. Interred in Section 6, Site 1059 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DRAGON, Donald Alfred Dragon Sr.**

(Abstracted from <https://www.mckeenorthport.com/obituaries/Donald-Dragon/#!/Obituary>)

Donald Alfred Dragon, Sr., age 84, passed away on May 8, 2013 at Tidewell Hospice House in Venice, FL following a short illness. He was born to Joseph and Antonina Dragon on July 10, 1928 in Fredonia, NY. He was preceded in death by his parents, and unnamed infant child and 12 brothers and sisters. Don proudly served in the US Army from May 1953 to Jan. 1957, receiving an Honorable Discharge. He was employed by the Observer in Dunkirk, NY from which he retired in 1991 moving to Florida that same year. Don enjoyed carpentry work, gardening, playing several different card games with friends and families and was an avid bowler. He was especially proud of his children and grandchildren. He is survived by his spouse, Ethel Houchens, of 45 years whom he married on April 26, 1968, his children: Donald A. Jr. (Bonnie) of Lakeland, FL, Kevin J. (Vivian) of Englewood, FL, Rebecca J. Maciorowski of Hudson, FL and Daniel L. (Lynne) also of Englewood, FL, 11 grandchildren, 8 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Interred in Section 7, Site 821 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DRAKE, James Curtis Drake**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=james-curtis-drake&pid=174773591>)

James Curtis Drake, age 78, of Venice, Florida died on April 26, 2014. Born at Passaic General Hospital, NJ on February 11, 1937, Jim attended Penn State University and Drexel University in PA and served in the U.S.M.C., on the USS Forrestal. Jim and his family moved to Venice in September 1968. He is survived by his wife Lois, son J. Kevin (Diane), daughter Carole, son Daniel, grandchildren Jay (Candice), Patrick (Kate), Meghan, Danielle, Michael (Savannah), Sean, Ryan, Lindsey and 6 great-grandchildren, brother-in-law Donald Fox, sisters-in-law Peg Drake, Jessie A. Nobles and Marilyn Muzzonigro. At Jim's request, there will be no service. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to the wonderful and caring people at Tidewell Hospice, Inc., Venice. Jim's legacy of great attitude, love of life and family and good humor lives on in his children and grandchildren. Toale Brothers Ewing Chapel is in charge of arrangements. Interred in Section 3, Site 1040 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**NOTE: Cemetery records indicate he died April 26, 2015 but obituary says it was April 26, 2014**

**DRAPCZYNSKI, Francis John Drapczynski**

(Abstracted from <http://www.kays-ponger.com/obituary/175531/Francis-Drapczynski/>)

Francis John Drapczynski, age 65 of Englewood, FL died November 29, 2010. He was born on June 19, 1945 in Philadelphia, PA and came to this area in 2008 from there. Mr. Drapczynski served as a Police Officer for 22½ years with the Philadelphia Police Department. He was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie #3885, St. Raphael's Catholic Church both in Englewood and was a Veteran of Vietnam serving as a Corporal in the U.S. Marine Corp. He is survived by his wife, Kathleen; two daughters, Debbie (Jeff) Allspach and Dawn Drapczynski both of Englewood; two grandchildren, Samantha and Danielle. Kays-Ponger & Uselton Funeral Home in Venice is entrusted with the arrangements. Funeral Mass will be at St. Raphael's Catholic Church in Englewood. Burial and military honors will follow in Section 8, Site 787 at Sarasota National Cemetery. At the request of the family memorial donations may be made to Easter Seals of S.W. Florida c/o Sensory Equipment Room for Autism, 350 Braden Ave., Sarasota, FL 34243.

**DRAAYER, Lieselotte Drayer**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/lieselotte-drayer/14404894>)

Lieselotte Drayer was born on September 20, 1925. She died on March 4, 2006 at 80 years of age. She was buried in Sarasota National Cemetery Section 13 Site 723, Sarasota, FL. Wife of Regis B. Drayer.

**DRAAYER, Regis B. Drayer**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=146364881>)

Regis B. Drayer, age 93, of Sarasota, formerly of Tonawanda, NY, and Reynoldsville, PA, died October 21, 2010. Regis was born on August 26, 1917. A memorial service will be Wednesday in Section 13, Site 723 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Toale Brothers Colonial Chapel is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include daughters Shirley (David) Bruce of Fort Erie, Ontario,

Canada, and Barb Enney of Lockport, NY; and grandchildren Kristina and Katherine Bruce. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions to the Pines of Sarasota Foundation, 1501 North Orange Ave., Sarasota, FL 34236

**DRECHSEL, Jean K. Drechsel**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=jean-k-drechsel&pid=138186260>)

Jean K. Drechsel, age 91, of Sarasota, formerly of Waldwick, NJ, died January 2, 2010. Jean was born September 28, 1918. National Cremation and Burial Society, Sarasota is entrusted with the arrangements. Services will be Wednesday at St. Thomas More Catholic Church, Gulf Gate Drive, Sarasota. Survivors include her husband, Alfred Harry Drechsel; a daughter, Gloria of Venice; five sons, Harry of West Milford, NJ, Robert of Hackettstown, NJ, Thomas of Passaic, NJ, Paul of Venice and James of Oakland, NJ; a brother, Michael Mazzarello of Bayside, NY; five grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. Interred in Section 8, Site 154 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DRESSEL, Dale Lynn Dressel**

(Abstracted from )

Dale Lynn Dressel was born 07/09/1953, died 05/08/2015. Interred in Section 3, Site 903 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DREWRY, Roger William Drewry**

(Abstracted from

<http://obits.democratandchronicle.com/obituaries/democratandchronicle/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=175364402>)

Punta Gorda, FL: Roger William Drewry, age 84, passed away on Wednesday, July 15, 2015 in Punta Gorda, FL. He was born May 27, 1931 and is survived by his wife of 60 years, Donna Morgan Drewry; children, Beverly (Richard) Servati, Victoria (Thomas) Whitman, Elizabeth Drewry, Dawn M. Kowalski and Gordon Roger Drewry. He is also survived by 12 grandchildren, 19 great grandchildren, his brother Douglas Drewry, sister Ann Drewry along with many nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Henrietta Volunteer Fire Dept in his honor or to a [www.gofundme.com/rogerdrewry](http://www.gofundme.com/rogerdrewry) memorial account which has been set up to help his widow with expenses. Interred in Section 3, Site 1078 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DREYER, Robert L. Dreyer**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=159573867>)

Robert L. Dreyer, age 92 of N. Fort Myers, FL, peacefully passed on to his reward, at Charlotte Regional Medical Center, in Punta Gorda, FL on August 31, 2012. His wife Nancy was by his side as she had been since they met in 1972. Bob was born in Lynn, MA, June 8, 1920. MA was "home" until moving to Florida in 1986. Bob served his country in the U.S. Army Air Force from March 1942 to January 1946. He was a Control Tower Operator, last stationed on Amchitka, in the Aleutian Islands of Alaska. Before leaving MA, his last personal accomplishment was to earn his B.A. in the Management of Health and Human Services from the U. Mass Boston in 1980. He is survived by wife, Nancy; children, Stephen (Diane) Dreyer of West Lake Village, CA, Sharlene Dreyer Ford of Wakefield, MA, Andrew (Cathy) Dreyer of Saugus, MA, Ava Dreyer of Framingham, MA; grandchildren, Evan Dreyer, Jamie Dreyer, Kendall Dreyer, Julia Rose Dreyer, Brian Seekins and great-grandchildren, Benjamin Dreyer, Charlotte Dreyer, Rachel Dreyer, Samuel Dreyer. Bob leaves behind a legacy of happy memories. He always had a joke to tell; loved performing in plays and skits, especially (impersonating Jimmy Durante); played softball until he was 86, was an avid L.F.'s golfer and bowled through his 92 birthday; volunteered at C.R.M.C. for 20 years and stayed a Red Sox and N.E. Patriots fan always. His most recent great pleasure and honor was serving as a Coach for the Suncoast Youth Archery Team in N. Fort Myers. That program and those children have been very dear to his heart these last 2 years. Memorial Donations can be directed to Suncoast Neighborhood Task Force, Inc., 2241 case Lane, N. Fort Myers, FL 33917; Memo: Suncoast Youth Archery Team. Interred in Section 6, Site 1285 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DRISCOLL, Deirdre Hutton Driscoll**

Deirdre Hutton Driscoll was born 07/28/1930, died 04/02/2015. Interred in Section 12, Site 251 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of John Howard Driscoll.

**DRISCOLL, Donald Dennis Driscoll Jr.**

Donald Dennis Driscoll Jr. was born 12/08/1944, died 08/29/2015. Interred in Section C1C-9, Row D, Site 16 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DRISCOLL, Helen Marie Driscoll**

Helen Marie Driscoll was born 07/03/1917, died 12/17/2008. Interred in Section 12, Site 281 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Harold A Driscoll.

**DRISCOLL, John Howard Driscoll**



(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=121715769>)

John Howard Driscoll, age 78, Venice, formerly of Northampton, MA, died Dec. 18, 2008. John was born on July 6, 1930. Services will be private. Lemon Bay Funeral Home, Venice Chapel is handling arrangements. Survivors include his wife, Deirdre; stepchildren Robert Christenson, Nan Christenson and Priscilla Mitchell; and a brother, Thomas of Northampton. Interred in Section 12, Site 251 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DRIVAS, Peter Moutis Drivas**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=168017776>)

Peter Moutis Drivas, age 86, of Venice, FL, formerly of Andover, MA, died on Nov. 13, 2013. Peter was born on March 27, 1927. Funeral arrangements by National Cremation and Burial Society. Survivors include his wife of 32 years, Claire; children, Peter Jr., Peter and Keith Warren, Michelle Vasil and Frank Warren; 10 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Interment will take place in Section C1C-4, Row D, Site 3 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DROESSER, Melvin G. Droesser**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/melvin-g-droesser/49174511>)

Melvin G. Droesser was born on June 17, 1923. He died on October 29, 2008 at 85 years old. He was buried in Sarasota National Cemetery Section 12 Site 882, Sarasota, FL.

**DROST, Henry Francis Drost**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=173183319>)

Henry Francis 'Hank' Drost passed away peacefully in his home on Wednesday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2014. Although a long time resident of Key West, Hank always considered Sarasota his home. Hank was born in Highland Park, MI on February 27<sup>th</sup>, 1948 to parents Louis and Diana Drost. The family moved to Sarasota in 1957. Hank attended and graduated from Sarasota High School in 1966. Shortly after, he was drafted into the army on June 27<sup>th</sup>, 1968. Hank served in Vietnam, as a door gunner, for 2 years. He was honorably discharged, receiving the National Defense Service Medal; the Vietnam Service Medal with two bronze service stars; the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal; Marksman (M-14); Expert (M-16) and Expert (hand grenade) acclamations. Hank was also offered the Purple Heart for wounds he suffered during service, but declined it. After moving back to Sarasota, Hank married his beloved Patsy McDonald in 1975 and had three children, Kelly, Jake, and Katie. After parting ways with Patsy in 1995, the two remained the best of friends until Patsy's passing in April of this year. Hank's love for fishing and boating brought him to the keys in 1996, and kept him there for the remainder of his life. No writing about Hank is complete without mention of his sense of humor and ability to make people laugh. It's what people were drawn to, loved about him, and it's what will mostly be missed about him. With a sharp wit and quick response, Hank could cause the most hysterical laughter out of any person he met. This was his best quality and it had a way of making people feel happy, accepted and loved. This gift was very special and will be remembered forever by his family, friends, and children's friends. Hank will be survived by his partner Colleen Werner; his beloved children, Kelly, Jake, and Katie; his grandchildren Taj and Khya; his dear brothers Chip, Robert, Tim and Tom; his loving sisters Carolyn, Janice, and Valarie. A full Military Honors Ceremony is now re-scheduled for Friday Nov. 21st in Section 3, Site 460 at The Sarasota National Cemetery, 9810 S.R. 72, Sarasota, FL.

**DROWN, Larry Thomas Drown**

Larry Thomas Drown was born 05/05/1936, died 12/20/2012. Interred in Section 6, Site 1769 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DRUCKENMILLER, Charles Gene Druckenmiller**

Charles Gene Druckenmiller was born 08/20/1928, died 11/04/2002. Interred in Section 13, Site 295 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DRUCKENMILLER, Elizabeth H. Druckenmiller**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/elizabeth-druckenmiller-obituary?pid=136417657>)

Elizabeth H. Druckenmiller, age 82, of Tampa died Nov. 19, 2009. Elizabeth was born on April 18, 1927. Survived by her two loving daughters and their families. Interred in Section 13, Site 295 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of Charles Gene Druckenmiller.

**DRUDGE, Harold Dean Drudge**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Jan. 14, 2016)

Harold Dean Drudge, age 83, passed away on Monday, January 11, 2016 in Sebring, FL. He was born on October 29, 1932 in Wabash County, IN. He was a veteran serving with the U.S. Army. Harold spent his career as a Water Well Driller. He moved to

Sebring in 1998. Survivors include his wife, Carrol Sue Drudge-Sebring, FL, children, Douglas (Debra) Drudge-Claypool, IN; Tammi (Gary) Morgan-N. Manchester, IN; Shelly (Phillip) Thomas-N. Manchester, IN., six grandchildren and one great-grandchild, sisters, Lois Smith-Warsaw, IN; Maryanna Sprong-Columbia City, IN; Janie (Jr.) Stutzman-Ft. Myers Beach, FL. He was preceded in death by his brother, James Drudge. Interred in Section C1C10, Row B, Site 6 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DRUKER, Gary Marvin Druker**

(Abstracted from <http://www.tributes.com/obituary/show/Gary-Druker-92941432>)

Gary Marvin Druker of Cape Coral, FL passed away December 14, 2011. Gary was born March 1, 1943. Graveside Service Friday, December 16, 2011 in Section 7, Site 194 of the Sarasota National Cemetery, 9810 State Road 72, Sarasota, FL 34241-9574.

**DRUMMOND, Paul Henry Drummond**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=169004564>)

Paul Henry Drummond, age 78, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of St. Johnsbury, VT, died January 7, 2014. Mr. Drummond was born September 3, 1935. Funeral arrangements by Gulf Coast Cremations. Burial in Section 6, Site 53 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DRURY, Bobbie Lee Drury**

(Abstracted from <https://www.serenitymeadows.com/obituary/drury-bobbie>)

Bobbie Lee Drury, age 84, of Brandon, passed away on February 11, 2013 and was born January 27, 1929 in Tampa. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ed. Bobbie was a devote Christian, loving mother, witness and prayer warrior for her Lord. Survivors include her children, Bruce, Jr. (Deanetta), Debbie (Mike), Beverly (Keith), Betty Jo (Mike), Sydney (Penny), Dane (Patti), and Candice; 12 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. Flowers are welcomed or donations may be made to your local Humane Society or LifePath Hospice in her memory. A Memorial Service will take place Saturday, February 16, 2013 at Serenity Meadows Funeral home. Interred in Section 6, Site 16 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DRURY, Edwin Drury**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times of Nov. 8, 2012)

Edwin Drury, age 87, of Brandon, passed away Nov. 4, 2012, while fishing. Born Feb. 23, 1925, in Scranton, PA. Ed served in the U.S. Navy during WWII. He was a proud member of Brick Layers & Florida Trowel Local 3, Tampa. He is survived by his wife, Bobbie, 6 children, 11 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. The family is having a Celebration of Life, Saturday, Nov. 10 at Camp Tiger 1731 Sam Keen Road, Lake Wales, FL 33898. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the charity of your choice. Interred in Section 6, Site 16 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DRURY, James E. Drury Jr.**

(Abstracted from <https://veteransfuneralcare.com/obituary/James-E-Drury-Jr>)

James E. Drury, age 69, of Sarasota, FL died August 6, 2010 at Bay Pines VA Healthcare System. Born December 27, 1940 in Orlando, FL, he moved here from Texas in 1977. He was a photographer and worked for Buck Mailing Service. He served in the US Air Force earning the rank of Airman Second Class. Survivors include his wife, Helen and two daughters, Carrie and Darlene. A graveside service will be Mon., August 16th in Section 13, Site 848 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DRYJA, Joseph James Dryja**

(Abstracted from <https://www.gendronfuneralhome.com/obituaries/Joseph-Dryja-34902/#!/Obituary>)

Joseph James Dryja, age 74, of Sarasota, Florida passed away peacefully at home on May 6, 2013 after a courageous battle with PSP. He was born November 24, 1938 in Newark, NJ the son of Barney and Florence Dryja. He proudly served in the United States Air Force, 141st TF Squadron and was stationed at Chaumont Air Base in France after which he was a store manager for Stop-N-Shop in New Jersey in 1979 he moved to Florida where he became a truck driver for Borden/Lil General. In 1991 he went to work for the Promenade Condo where he retired in 2009. He leaves to cherish his loving memory, his loving wife Michelle Dryja, 4 children, Joseph II, Raymond, and Corrine Corvelyn of New Jersey and step daughter, Stephanie Miller of North Port, 2 sisters, Kathy and Karen, 2 brothers, George and Kevin and 4 grandchildren, Corey, Joseph III, Dakota and Cheyanne. In lieu of donations, please send to Tidewell Hospice 1751 Mound St., Sarasota, FL 34236. Services will be held at the convenience of the family. Funeral arrangements under the direction of Gendron Funeral & Cremation Services Inc., 135 N. Lime Ave, Sarasota, Florida 34237 941-365-1767. Interred in Section C1C-6, Row B, Site 12 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUALSKY, Rudolf J. Dualsky**

(Abstracted from <https://obitree.com/obituary/us/new-york/rome/barry-funeral-home/rudolf-dualsky/1610493/>)  
Rudolf J. Dualsky, age 91, formerly of Rome, NY, passed away Thursday June 13, 2013, at the Hospice Center in Bonita Springs, FL, after a long illness. Rudy was born on February 27, 1922, in the Bronx, the son of the late Rudolf J. and Caroline Wentura Dualsky. He graduated from Commerce High School and attended college for two years. Rudolf was united in marriage to the former Alma Koenig, on April 10, 1948, in St Jerome's Church in the Bronx, a loving marriage of 65 years. He was a sales rep for PABCO of Manhattan, NY, retiring on February 28, 1982. Rudy was a veteran of WW II, having served as a Tech Sgt with the Army Air Corps. He was Past Commander and a Life Member of VFW Post #200 of Hastings, NY, and a member of the American Legion Post #458 in Ardsley, NY. He was a communicant of St. Joseph's Church in Lee Center, after moving to Rome. Rudy is survived by his wife, Alma; four daughters and two sons in law, Susan and Joseph Ortolano of Rome, Martha and Michael Bartell of Bonita Springs, FL, Joanne Dualsky of Port St Lucie, FL and Stephanie Dualsky of Quincy, MA; four grandchildren, Stephanie Ortolano and her spouse Keith Jenkins, Matthew and Sarah Ortolano, Danielle Valenzuela and Mario Valenzuela; five great grandchildren, Sabrina, Josephine and Cecilia Ortolano- Jenkins, and Lily and Eli Orotolano. A Memorial Mass will be Friday, June 21, 2013, at St. Joseph's Church in Lee Center. Interment will be in Section 6, Site 1849 in Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements are entrusted to Barry Funeral Home, 807 W. Chestnut Street.

#### **DUANE, Donald Duane**

(Abstracted from <http://www.kays-ponger.com/obituary/173994/Donald-Duane/>)  
Donald A. Duane, age 82, of Port Charlotte, FL died on May 27, 2013 at Sarasota Memorial Hospital, Sarasota, FL. Don moved to Port Charlotte, FL from Forked River, NJ in 1988. He was born in Queens, New York City on November 9, 1930 and grew up in Jackson Heights Section. Upon graduating from High School, he joined the US Navy serving as a radio man aboard a destroyer during the Korean Conflict. When he was discharged he attended the 1952 - 53 Semester at St. Johns University. He received his Merchant marine commission as a radio officer in 1945. He sailed on his license for 38 years, and the last 33 years in the American Flag Tanker fleet of Texaco Inc. Donald retired as a radio electronic officer. The year 1959 was spent ashore as a marine Telegrapher for the RCA Communications at their Tuckerton / WSC N.J. station. Don was a charter member of Lacey Elks 2518 of Fork River, NJ. He served 2 terms as Exalted Ruler of Port Charlotte Elks 2153 and is a life member of the VFW post 5690, American Legion 110 Port Charlotte, FL; member of the Wireless Pioneers, Veterans Wireless operators Association, American Merchant Marine Veterans Association and a member of St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church parish. Don's son, John lives in Dallas, TX and his daughter, Carol Duane lives in Browns Mills, NJ with granddaughters, Jennifer Dyas and Brittany Person. Funeral Mass Friday, May 31, 2013 at St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church. Burial will follow with military honors in Section 7, Site 844 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Arrangements by Kays-Ponger & Uselton Funeral Home and cremation services. Port Charlotte Chapel.

#### **DUANE, Lawrence Anthony Duane**

Lawrence Anthony Duane was born 08/05/1924, died 06/26/1994. Interred in Section 6, Site 861 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DUBACH, Leland Lloyd Dubach**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=165247196>)  
Leland Lloyd Dubach, Lt. Col. USAF, Ret., age 90, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of St. Joseph, Missouri, died on Jun. 1, 2013. Leland was born on April 15, 1923. Services will be Tuesday, June 18, 2013 at Church of the Palms in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by Packer Funeral Home. He is survived by his wife, Lois Dubach, son James Dubach, daughter Karen Scott (Harold), daughter Christina Dubach, brother Harold Dubach (Pauline) and two granddaughters, Lindsey and Shannon Scott. Burial will be in Section C1C-2, Row A, Site 23 at the National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Church of the Palms, Tidewell Hospice Philanthropy Dept., 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238 or to a charity of your choice.

#### **DUBOIS, Carol Ann Dubois**

(Abstracted from <http://www.kays-ponger.com/obituary/177526/Carol-Dubois/>)  
Carol Ann Dubois, age 67, of Port Charlotte passed away on Wednesday October 3, 2012. Carol was born February 28, 1945. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Kays-Ponger Uselton Funeral Home and Cremation Services Port Charlotte Chapel. Interred in Section 6, Site 1381 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Robert A. Dubois.

#### **DUBOIS, Iris Powell Dubois**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/iris-dubois-obituary?pid=174158623>)  
Iris Powell DuBois, age 70, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of Morganton, NC, born on January 27, 1945 and died on Feb. 4, 2015. Inurnment will be in Section C1C-7, Row B, Site 12 on Tue., Feb. 17, 2015 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. Funeral arrangements by: The Good Earth Crematory. Wife of Marshall Dubois.

**DUBOIS, Terry Lee Dubois**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=terry-lee-dubois&pid=160783701>)

Terry Lee DuBois, age 65, of Myakka City, FL., passed away on Saturday, October 27, 2012. Born February 2, 1947 in Defiance, Ohio he had been a long time local resident. Mr. DuBois proudly served in the U.S. Air Force and had served for the last 12 years as the president of the DuBois Family Association. He enjoyed spending time with his family. Survivors include his sons, Michael (Angela); Jeff (Ronda); Kenneth (Angela); mother, Dorothy J. DuBois, brothers, John (Betsy); Larry (Anita); sister, Billie Kleem and five grandchildren Dale, Nicole, James, Taylor and Kylee. Visitation is at the DAV Hall, 7177 Bee Ridge Rd., Sarasota, FL, 34241, followed by a funeral service at 12 noon. Burial with military honors will be in Section 7, Site 597 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Arrangements by Veterans Funeral Service and Cremation.

**DUBOSE, Rickey Scott Dubose**

Rickey Scott Dubose was born 10/02/1956, died 02/09/2012. Interred in Section 6, Site 536 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUBREUIL, John Joseph Dubreuil**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=john-joseph-dubreuil&pid=118732867>)

John Joseph Dubreuil of Sarasota died Oct. 1, 2008, after a long battle with cancer. John was born Sept. 4, 1945. John J. Dubreuil, CPCU, was an expert on Florida workers' compensation and insurance. He was the author of Dubreuil's Florida Workers' Compensation Handbook (LexisNexis Matthew Bender), which he recently updated in August 2008. John was known for his insights into the law and his accurate predictions of where the law would lead. His book was used by both attorneys and adjusters and cited by the courts. He enjoyed writing the "red book" and regarded it as the accomplishment of his 40 years of experience in the industry. He was involved for many years with the Suncoast Offshore Grand Prix and proud to be involved with the events for the benefit of the Child Development Center. Survivors include his wife, Sandi, of 43 years, his daughter, Barbara, his son, Ritchie, daughter-in-law Judy, and grandson Jesse, all of Sarasota. John is also survived by two sisters Cecile and Rose Marie, both of Miami. A Celebration of Life will be Saturday, Oct. 18, at the National Cremation Society, 2990 Bee Ridge Road, Sarasota. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Child Development Center 800 Gulf Coast Blvd. Venice, FL 34285. Interred in Section C1C-2, Row C, Site 9 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUCHARME, Ronald Alfred Ducharme**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/ronald-ducharme-obituary?pid=155143422>)

Ronald Alfred Ducharme, age 64, of St. Petersburg, born February 27, 1947 and died Saturday, December 17, 2011 at Northside Hospital. There are no known survivors. A Life Tribute-Gulfport. Interred in Section 7, Site 246 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUCKER, Kenneth Frederick Ducker**

(Abstracted from [http://www.dignifiedcremations.com/obituaries/Kenneth-Ducker-34621/?wms\\_redirected=1#!/Obituary](http://www.dignifiedcremations.com/obituaries/Kenneth-Ducker-34621/?wms_redirected=1#!/Obituary))

Kenneth Frederick Ducker, age 80, of Fort Myers passed away peacefully at his residence on March 7, 2012. He was born in Brooklyn, NY October 6, 1931 to Charles and Evelyn Ducker. Ken proudly served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War and was a Military Police Officer before returning home as a Corporal. He spent most of his life as a sheet metal draftsman. He was a life-long fisherman and also a member of The Landings Fishing Club of Fort Myers. He is survived by his loving companion of 27 years, Susanne Brown; his son, Kenneth Ducker; daughters, Linda Noone and Barbara Figuero; and 7 grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held in Section 6, Site 794 at Sarasota National Cemetery with military honors on Friday, April 6, 2012.

**DUCKETT, James Edgar Duckett**

(Abstracted from <http://www.tributes.com/obituary/show/James-E.-Duckett-100058727>)

James Edgar Duckett, a resident of Dunnellon, Florida was born on April 22, 1934 and passed away on Friday, January 31, 2014. Interred in Section 3, Site 358 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUDA, Phillip Anthony Duda**

Phillip Anthony Duda was born 05/12/1949, died 02/21/2011. Interred in Section 13, Site 1181 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUDASH, John Edward Dudash Sr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=john-edward-dudash&pid=155700593>)

John Edward Dudash Sr., age 71, of Sarasota, formerly of Indiana, PA died January 24, 2012. Memorial Service is at the Church of the Palms in Sarasota. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory, Bradenton, is in charge of arrangements. Interment in Section 6, Site 844 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Mr. Dudash was born on September 18, 1940. Survivors include his wife, Joann of Sarasota; sons John Edward, Jr. of North Port, and Joseph James of Sarasota; daughters Janice Marie Keller of Sarasota, and Joyce Ann McCarffrey of Venice; brother Fred of Sarasota; sister Darleen Kunkle Zeigler of Sarasota; grandchildren Mitchell, Austin, Natalie, John William, Jesse, Christian, Jeanette, and Krystal and cousin Gloria Brown of Sarasota, FL. A Veteran of the U.S. Army during peacetime, he was also a member of the Sarasota V.F.W. Memorial donations made to Beacon House Campus 1680 C, South Tamiami Trail, Venice, FL 34292.

**DUDECK, Leonard Lawrence Dudeck**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/leonard-lawrence-dudeck/26452149>)

Leonard Lawrence Dudeck was born on October 3, 1928. He died on September 3, 2006 at 77 years old. He was buried in Sarasota National Cemetery Section 12 Site 52, Sarasota, FL.

**DUDLEY, Angeline Dudley**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/ellenton-fl/angeline-dudley-5534582>)

Angeline Dudley, age 88, of Parrish, FL born January 23, 1925 and passed away May 14, 2013. She is survived by her daughter Sheila (David) Wetherbee and grandchildren Kevin S. and Kelly A. Wetherbee. Groover Funeral Home in Ellenton, Florida is entrusted with the arrangements. A Funeral Mass on Saturday, May 25, 2013, at St. Francis X Cabrini Catholic Church in Parrish, FL. Interred in Section 8, Site 453 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of Robert W. Dudley.

**DUDLEY, Robert W. Dudley**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/robert-dudley-obituary?pid=126984471>)

Robert "W" Dudley, age 82, of Parrish, born January 22, 1927 and passed away May 1, 2009. Service time will be Thursday May 7 at Mansion Memorial Funeral Home, 1400 36th Ave. East, Ellenton, FL 34222. Burial will follow in Section 8, Site 453 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUDLEY, Timothy Dudley Sr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/tampabaytimes/obituary.aspx?n=timothy-dudley&pid=176115925&fhid=16805>)

Timothy Dudley Sr., age 69, of St. Petersburg, passed away Friday Oct. 9, 2015 at Kindred Hospital. Mr. Dudley was born July 22, 1946 and leaves to mourn and cherish his memories one brother, Clarence Dudley; sons, Timothy Dudley Jr., Vincent L. Dudley, Tremayne D. Dudley; daughters, Yvonne D. Skinner, Tameka Dudley, Kendra Stevens, and stepdaughter, Donna Welch; 18 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Lawson Funeral Home is entrusted with the arrangements. Funeral service Saturday, Oct. 17, 12 noon at Prayer Tower C.O.G.I.C. 1137 37th St. S. Interment in Section 5, Site 950 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUERK, Alene B. Duerk**

(Abstracted from information received from June Spear, 21 August 2018)

Alene B. Duerk, who rose through the ranks of the Navy Nurse Corps to become the U.S. Navy's first female admiral in 1972, died recently at the age of 98. Duerk enlisted in the Navy Nurse Corps in 1943 during the midst of WWII, serving first in naval hospitals and later on a hospital ship treating newly liberated prisoners of war. Over the course of her 40-year-long career, she became the public face of what women could achieve in the Navy, a role that she found daunting at times. "I did feel some pressure at the time," Duerk said in a 2016 interview. "It was a lot to take on because when you are the first women in any high-profile role everyone is watching you." Duerk was first introduced to nursing at home: her father was frequently ill due to his service in WWI so she often saw nurses come to care for him. She once said, "I believe those nurses were my first introduction to nursing." After she graduated from Toledo Hospital School of Nursing in Ohio, there was a huge demand for military nurses since the US had recently entered WWII so she decided to enlist. Among her wartime service, she worked on the USS Benevolence, a Navy hospital ship. She once recounted, "We pulled into Japan when the peace treaty was signed, and we helped evacuate the P.O.W.s — a very moving experience." Duerk then worked as a Naval reservist at several hospitals, until she was recalled to active duty during the Korean War in 1951 to serve as a nursing instructor. By 1970, she was a captain in charge of the Navy Nurse Corps; two years later, she became the first woman to attain the rank of rear admiral. As an admiral, Duerk frequently made appearances and statements in support of Navy women, fighting for better pay and working conditions. In one public appearance, she presided over the swearing in for nine female recruits on board the USS Constitution, also known as Old Ironsides, in September 1972. "Until recently not even women reporters were allowed on the Constitution during its annual turnaround cruise," the Boston Globe wrote of the event, "but yesterday was women's day." Duerk retired in 1975 but remained an advocate for women in the Navy and for Navy nursing in particular. "I had an amazing career," she observed. "It was a nice

distinction to have and to be recognized as the first, but I wanted to make certain that I used that notoriety to do as much positive as I could."

**DUERR, Carl E. Duerr**

Carl E. Duerr was born 11/17/1923, died 02/23/2014. Interred in Section 5, Site 166 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUFALA, Lenore May Dufala**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Nov. 2, 2011)

Lenore May Dufala, age 74, of Bellaire, born September 9, 1937 and passed away October 29, 2011 at Bellaire East Health Care. Lenore proudly served in the U.S. Navy. A Life Tribute Funeral Care Largo Chapel 727-559-7793. Interred in Section 7, Site 149 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUFFEY, Donn W. Duffey**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/dispatch/obituary.aspx?n=donn-w-duffy&pid=144737657>)

Donn W. Duffey, age 84, died Friday, August 13, 2010 in Sarasota, FL with his wife by his side. Donn was born August 6, 1926 in Columbus, OH, where he spent his childhood years and later graduated from Central High School. Following his high school graduation in 1944, Donn enlisted in the Army. One year later, he graduated from Officer Candidate School as a 2nd Lieutenant, making him the youngest person ever to graduate from OCS. He later served in the 88th Infantry Division in Italy where he served from Southern Italy to the Brenner Pass. Donn retired from active duty in December 1946 but still felt compelled to serve his country, so he enlisted in the Ohio National Guard, where he was eventually promoted to Captain. In 1948 he enrolled in Tri-State College in Angola, IN and graduated in 1952 with a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering. He later attended the University of Cincinnati where he earned a M.S. in Mechanical Engineering. He ultimately spent the last twenty years of his career with Rockwell Manufacturing, where he served as the VP of Engineering and Research until 1988. His work kept him focused on the latest design concepts for nuclear reactors, which led to nine patents. Donn was preceded in death by his parents, the late Benjamin and Mildred Duffey. He is survived by the true love of his life, his wife of 58 years, Grace; and by his loving and devoted children, Mark Duffey; Jill (David) Kearney and Kevin (Noreen) Duffey; grandsons, Brenden Duffey, Sean Duffey; granddaughters, Erin Duffey, Samantha Duffey, Lindsay Kearney, Laurel Kearney, Katherine Duffey, Emily Duffey and Elizabeth Duffey; as well as numerous other relatives. A Funeral Service will be at Vamo United Methodist Church, 8521 Vamo Road, Sarasota, FL. Inurnment will take place in Section 13, Site 481 at Sarasota National Cemetery at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Parkinson Disease Association, Inc. Arrangements by Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home, 941-921-5755.

**DUFFEY, James E. Duffey**

James E. Duffey was born 07/11/1924, died 12/17/1991. Interred in Section 12, Site 498 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUFFY, James J. Duffy**

James J. Duffy was born 04/16/1925, died 03/09/2014. Interred in Section C1C-4, Row A, Site 32 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUFFY, John Francis Duffy**

John Francis Duffy was born 10/05/1924, died 02/08/1998. Interred in Section 13, Site 300 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUGAN, Donald Franklin Dugan**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=donald-franklin-dugan-duffy&pid=154528835>)

Donald Franklin "Ducky" Dugan of Sarasota, FL died Nov. 2, 2011 surrounded by the love of his friends and family. Ducky was born November 2, 1934. Loved by all and many, Ducky was as genuine as they come. As a respected mortgage banker, he spent 50 plus years in Dayton, OH and Sarasota, FL in a perfect venue for his character and giving personality. He is survived by his significant other, Cathy Florio of Sarasota, FL; son, Donald F. White of Dayton, Ohio; sister, Mary Lou Hansen of Venice, FL; brothers, David L. Dugan of Carrollton, GA, John F. Dugan of Nokomis, FL and Dr. George R. Dugan of Homer, NY; granddaughters, Ashley Durig of St. Pete, FL and Krysta L. White of Columbus, Ohio and grandson, Alex M. White of Dayton, Ohio. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Laurie Durig of Dayton, Ohio. A memorial service will be held at the Gulf Gate Moose Lodge #608 on Saturday, Nov. 12, 2011. He was honorably discharged from the U.S. Army and will be interred in Section 6, Site 495 at Sarasota National Cemetery on Monday, Nov. 14, 2011. Arrangements are by Jennings Funeral Home & Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Tidewell Hospice, Inc., 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238.

### **DUKE, Raymond Cecil Duke**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=169343960>)

Dr. Raymond Cecil Duke, DDS, died peacefully with his children by his side, Tuesday, January 21, 2014. Born November 20, 1922 in Trenton, FL to John Thomas and Idella (Woodard) Duke, Dr. Duke has been a resident of Venice, FL since 1934. He graduated from Venice-Nokomis High School, Class of 1940. In 1943 he was inducted into the U.S. Army, serving in WWII in the Asiatic-Pacific Theater. He was a sergeant in Battery C, 199th Coast Artillery Battalion (automatic weapons) and served in three campaigns, Guadalcanal, Bougainville and Leyte in the Philippines.

<http://www.heraldtribune.com/article/20130419/ARTICLE/130419598>. After his discharge in 1946, he received his pre-dental education at the University of Florida, Gainesville. He received his Doctor of Dental Surgery from Northwestern University, Chicago, IL in 1953 where he met his beloved wife, Stephanie. After graduation he was assigned to Japan where Dr. Duke served in the U.S. Air Force as the Base Dental Surgeon for the 6920th Security Base in Mastodon, Japan. They lived there with their daughter, Janet, until his discharge in 1955 with the rank of Captain. Dr. Duke returned to Venice to practice family dentistry until his retirement in 1984. He will be remembered fondly by generations of Venice area patients. He was predeceased last year by his devoted wife of 60 years, Stephanie (Kucyk). Survivors include their four children, Janet Duke Baker of Sarasota, FL, Mary Alice Duke of Venice, FL, Steven Duke of Bradenton, FL and Audrey Duke of Dallas, TX; four grandchildren, Noah Baker of Sarasota, FL, Dirke Baker (Clay) Hill of Wilmington, DE, Lindsey Von Ahnen of Dallas, TX and Milton Von Ahnen of Dallas, TX; sisters-in-law Leona (Anthony) Angelico of Des Plaines, IL and Anne Duke of Pensacola, FL; nephews and nieces include Dr. Ronald (Sue) Higel, Lynn (Bill) Johnson, Sandra Nommenson, Sharon Cobb, Shirley (Peter) Codrington, and many other cousins, nieces, nephews, grand and great grand nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his parents, four brothers, Herman, Jack, Gerald and Harry, and three sisters, Vera and Mamie Jewel Duke and Francis Higel. Dr. Duke was a life member of the American Dental Association, the Florida West Coast Dental Association, and the Sarasota Manatee Dental Society. He was a past president of both the Venice Lions Club and the Venice Little League. He was a co-founder in 1946 of the American Legion Post 159 in Venice, as well as a member for many years. He helped found and was a charter member of the Lake Venice Golf Club, as well as a past president of the Club. He was also a charter member of the Mission Valley Golf and Country Club. For years on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, and Sundays he could be found on the golf course. Often he came home to a message from a patient in need and headed off to the office, one of his daughters in tow, to tend to the emergency. In his youth, Raymond delivered telegrams by bicycle from the Venice Train Depot. When he and his family moved back to the United States to Venice, they lived in the Higel-Lord house, owned by his sister and brother-in-law, George Higel, at the time. In lieu of flowers, the family asks donations be made in dad's memory to Venice Heritage, Inc., P.O. Box 1190, Venice, Florida 34284-1190, [veniceheritage.org](http://veniceheritage.org), or Venice Area Old Timers Picnic, P.O. Box 1997, Venice, FL 34284-1997. Graveside services will be held in Section 3, Site 24 at Sarasota National Cemetery at a later date. Ewing Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

### **DUKE, Stephanie K. Duke**

Stephanie K. Duke was born 06/22/1924, died 02/26/2013. Interred in Section 3, Site 24 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Raymond Cecil Duke.

### **DUKES, Jim Roe Dukes Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=jim-roe-dukes&pid=86250502>)

Jim Roe Dukes Jr., age 83, Sarasota, died Jan. 11, 2006. He was born May 8, 1922, in LaGrange, GA, and came to Sarasota in 1984 from Willoughby, Ohio. He retired as a real estate broker and was an Army Air Forces pilot during World War II. He was a Mason and a member of Airstream Club International, Buckeye Squares Square Dancing Club, several bridge clubs, and Trinity United Methodist Church. Survivors include his wife of 61 years, Leah Ann; daughters Nancy Ostuni of Sarasota and Marilyn Bursch of Vienna, VA; sons Craig of Troy, MI, and Larry of Charlotte, NC; and eight grandchildren. Toale Brothers Funeral Home, Gulf Gate Chapel is entrusted with the arrangements. A memorial service will be Saturday at Trinity United Methodist Church. Burial will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Memorial donations may be made to Trinity United Methodist Church, 4150 S. Shade Ave., Sarasota, FL 34231.

### **DUKES, Maryann Montanti Dukes**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on May 8, 2012)

Maryann Montanti Dukes, age 72, of Oldsmar, born on September 3, 1939 and passed away May 5, 2012. She is survived by her husband, George Joseph Dukes, 3 daughters, 6 grandchildren. Curlew Hills Funeral Home, 727-789-2000. Interred in Section 7, Site 380 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

### **DUKES, Richard Eugene Dukes**

Richard Eugene Dukes was born 01/04/1931, died 07/27/2007. Interred in Section 13, Site 1165 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUKES, Samuel Lewis Dukes**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Oct. 22, 2009)

Samuel Lewis Dukes, age 60, of St. Petersburg, died on Oct. 18, 2009. Born May 7, 1949 and a native of St. Petersburg, he was a 1967 graduate of Gibbs High School and received his Bachelor of Science in Biology from Florida State University. He was formerly employed as a chemist for the City of St. Petersburg and worked for West Pharmaceutical Co. and member of Glad Tidings Assembly of God. He served in the U.S. Army. Survivors: wife, Rochelle; daughter, Samara; sisters, Doris Guess, Betty Ann Martin (Howard), Janet Harmon, Joyce Thompson (Earl), Clarice Pearson (Norman) and Carol Ann and other relatives. Funeral services Saturday, Oct. 24th, Glad Tidings Assembly of God, 4200 17th Ave. N. Smith Funeral Home 894-2266 is entrusted with the arrangements. Interred in Section 8, Site 375 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DULICK, Louise T. Dulick**

(Abstracted from <http://www.kays-ponger.com/obituary/176493/Louise-Dulick/>)

Louise T. Dulick, age 91, of Venice, FL formerly of Cleveland, Ohio died Sunday April 21, 2013. Mrs. Dulick was born August 28, 1921 in Youngstown, Ohio. On June 5, 1941, she married Steve Dulick in Youngstown, Ohio. Louise was a homemaker, and raised six children. She was a member of Epiphany Cathedral Church. Louise was married to Steve Dulick for 69 years. She is survived by her sons, Paul (Pat), Nick and Glenn (Dianne); daughters, Linda (John) Reiland and Susan Shkrab; grandsons, Matthew, Nathan, Justin and Joshua; granddaughter, Danielle; step-grandchildren, Nicole, Angela and Jessica. Mrs. Dulick was preceded in death by her husband, Steve and son, Gary. Interred in Section 8, Site 830 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Kays-Ponger & Uselton Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

**DULICK, Steve Dulick**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=147351299>)

Steve Dulick, age 93, of Venice, formerly of Youngstown, Ohio died Dec. 19, 2010. A celebration of his life will be Thursday at Kays-Ponger & Uselton Funeral Home, Venice Chapel. Burial will follow in Section 8, Site 830 at Sarasota National Cemetery. He leaves behind his wife of 69 years, Louise; sons, Paul (Pat); Nick and Glenn (Dianne); daughters, Linda (John) and Susan; sister, Rose; grandsons, Matthew, Nathan, Justin and Joshua; granddaughter, Danielle; and step-grandchildren, Nichole, Angela and Jessica. He was born Dec. 26, 1916 in Youngstown, Ohio. On June 5, 1941, he married Louise Theresa in Youngstown, Ohio. He served in the United States 8th Air Force during WWII as a member of the 303rd Bomb Group. He successfully flew 30 missions over Europe and was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and Three Oak Leaf Clusters air medals. Steve retired from 3 C Highway after 32 years and moved to Venice in 1980. He was a member of Epiphany Cathedral Church, Venice. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to The Loveland Center, 157 S. Havana Road, Venice, FL 34292.

**DULITZ, Sander Dulitz**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=170710962>)

Sander Dulitz, age 91, WWII, US Army veteran of four major battles, passed away on April 17, 2014. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather, community leader, and patriot. Sandy was born in Harlem, NYC on April 6, 1923 and grew up in Washington Heights. A truly dedicated New Yorker, Sandy was Chairman of Community Board 12 of Washington Heights and Inwood. He was married to Sylvia Bayer-Dulitz for 67 years having two children, Arlene Dulitz-Rosenblum and Jeffrey Dulitz, five grandchildren, Daniel Rosenblum, Kyle, Chase, Ridge, and Bryn Dulitz. Lifelong New Yorkers, Sander and Sylvia relocated to Sarasota, FL last May. A respected friend of Admirals and Generals, Sander was buried with full Military Honors in Section 5, Site 242 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Arrangements by All Veterans-All Families Funerals & Cremations.

**DULK, Peter August Dulk Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://hosting-24913.tributes.com/obituary/show/Peter-A.-Dulk-91256570>)

Peter A. Dulk, Jr., age 78, of Rotonda West, FL. sailed his final voyage on April 28, 2009 following a brief illness and residence at Tidewell Hospice House in Port Charlotte, FL. Peter was born June 23, 1930 in Elizabeth, NJ to Peter A. (Sr.) and Ines (nee Cardona y Silvestrini) Dulk. He attended Elementary, Junior High and Senior High Schools in Elizabeth, NJ. He studied journalism at Rutgers University in New Brunswick, NJ for one semester before being accepted at the United States Merchant Marine Academy in Kings Point, NY. He graduated in March, 1953 with a Bachelor of Science Degree. Upon graduation, he went to work for Electric Boat in Groton, CT where he worked on the construction of the first atomic submarine, The Nautilus. After two years with Electric Boat and as a commitment to the USMMA, Peter decided to complete his naval services. For the first years he sailed aboard the USS Seminole out of San Diego, CA and then transferred to Key West, FL where he spent another two years aboard the USS Robinson. Following his four years of active duty, Peter remained in the naval reserves for the next twenty years. Peter retired from the naval reserve in June, 1979 having attained the rank of commander. After his four years



of active duty, Peter pursued a career as a teacher. He received his teaching certificate and his Masters Degree in Education from Rutgers University. For twenty six years, he taught junior high school science in Clark, NJ. Upon retiring in 1985, he and his wife retired to Port Charlotte, FL where they lived for the next nineteen years. Here Peter pursued his passion of sailing throughout Charlotte Harbor. He and his wife traveled extensively here and abroad. Peter loved baseball and in 1987 his dreams came alive when the Texas Rangers came to town. For the next sixteen years he worked in the Press Box during Spring Training rubbing elbows with the many "old-timers" while during the minor league season he was the official score keeper for the team. Following Hurricane Charley's winds and water in 2004, the couple relocated to Rotonda West, FL. Interred in Section C1C-1, Row D, Site 12 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUMAS, George Carlile Dumas**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=george-carlile-dumas&pid=158116047&fhid=5832>)

Rev. George Carlile Dumas, age 78, of Bradenton, born on January 11, 1934 and died on June 15, 2012. Services will be Fri., at 43rd Street Church of Christ in Bradenton, FL. Funeral arrangements by Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 43rd Street Chapel. He will be laid to rest in Section 7, Site 428 in Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUMAS, Joan Miller Dumas**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=joan-miller-dumas&pid=160698336&fhid=5832>)

Joan Miller Dumas, age 81, of Bradenton, FL, born on Apr. 28, 1931, died on Oct. 25, 2012. Services will be Fri., at 43rd Street Church of Christ in Bradenton, FL. Funeral arrangements by Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 43rd Street Chapel. Burial will be in Section 7, Site 428 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of George Carlile Dumas.

**DUMFORD, Donald W. Dumford**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=159757035>)

Donald W. Dumford, age 63, of Sarasota, FL died August 27, 2012. Donald was born January 26, 1949 and served in the Marine Corp and was severely wounded during the Vietnam War. He was highly decorated, receiving a Purple Heart, Bronze Star and several other awards. He is survived by his wife, Sondra (Cookie), three daughters, Terri Dawson of Clayton, IN, Sheila Veeris of Sarasota, Sarah Siddal of Vincennes, IN, three stepsons, Jason McDaniel of Sarasota, David Bockover of New Castle, IN, Brad Bockover of Richmond, IN; 6 grandchildren, 5 step grandchildren, and 1 great step grandchild; his mother Evelyn in Weslaco, TX, and 2 sisters Janice and Jeanie both of TX. Simper Fi Marines, God Bless You All. Interred in Section 6, Site 1237 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUMONT, Juanita Dumont**

Juanita Dumont was born 01/29/1950, died 06/01/2014. Interred in Section 3, Site 98 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Larry Allen Dumont.

**DUNBAR, Lester Dunbar Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=149827825>)

Lester Dunbar II, age 84, of Palmetto, formerly of Bradenton born September 22, 1926 and died March 22, 2011. Abundant Favor Mortuary, Bradenton is entrusted with the arrangements. Services will be Saturday, at St. John M. B. Church, Palmetto. Survivors include sons, Ulysses, Alfred, Roosevelt, Daryl; daughters, Mary L. Wilson, Christine, Geneva Martin, Zenia, Betty, Debbie Hammond; 24 grandchildren; 54 great grandchildren; a sister: Ella; and a brother, Jerry. Interred in Section 8, Site 958 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUNBAR, Philemon Dunbar Jr.**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Jan. 6, 2011)

Philemon Dunbar Jr. was born 11/30/1956, passed away 01/02/2011, age 54, of Bay Pines. A U.S. Navy veteran, he is survived by loving family. Gee & Sorensen 727-323-5111. Interred in Section 13, Site 991 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUNBAR, Ulysses Lester Dunbar**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/Ulysses-Dunbar-obituary?pid=166428477>)

Ulysses Lester Dunbar, age 64, Palmetto, died August 12, 2013. Mr. Dunbar was born May 24, 1949. Services Saturday, August 17 at St. John Church, 1701 1st Ave E, Palmetto. Interment in Section 7, Site 936 in Sarasota National Cemetery, Monday, August 19, 2013. Abundant Favor Mortuary, 916 13th St. W., Bradenton, FL 34025 is handling the arrangements.

**DUNCAN, James Bailey Duncan**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/james-b-duncan/53187046>)

James Bailey Duncan of Port Charlotte, Charlotte County, FL was born on October 4, 1932. He died on April 8, 2011 at age 78. Interred in Section 3, Site 858 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUNCAN, Jearlene Duncan**

(Abstracted from <http://www.tributes.com/obituary/show/Jearlene-Duncan-101800781>)

Jearlene Duncan was born on July 12, 1937 and passed away on Saturday, October 18, 2014. Jearlene was a resident of Palmetto, Florida at the time of passing. Jearlene was married to Sidney L. Duncan. There will be a memorial service on Tuesday, October 21, 2014 at the Trinity Baptist Church, 702 W Del Webb Blvd, Sun City Center, FL 33573. Interment will be in Section 3, Site 337 at Sarasota National Cemetery. There will also be a memorial service in Monticello, KY at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made in Jearlene's honor to the Trinity Baptist Church Building Fund, 702 W. Del Webb Blvd., Sun City Center, Florida 33573 or to the Shriner's Hospital for Children at [www.shrinershospitalforchildren.org](http://www.shrinershospitalforchildren.org).

**DUNCAN, John Wayne Duncan Sr.**

John Wayne Duncan Sr. was born 05/07/1954, died 03/01/2012. Interred in Section 6, Site 671 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUNCAN, Richard C. Duncan**

Richard C. Duncan was born 08/12/1931, died 07/18/1996. Interred in Section 12, Site 601 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUNCAN, Richard Lee Duncan**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=157253824>)

Richard Lee Duncan, age 72, of Sarasota, formerly of Reston, VA born February 25, 1940 and died April 20, 2012. Services will be Friday at Church Of The Redeemer. Interment will be in Section 6, Site 923 at Sarasota National Cemetery. Jennings Funeral Home & Crematory is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include his wife, Teresa of Sarasota; daughters Cathy Facer and Susan, both of Atlanta, GA, and Elizabeth of Tampa; brother James of Billings, MT; and four grandchildren. In lieu of flowers please send donations in his name: Amyloidosis Support Groups Inc., 232 Orchard Drive, Wood Dale IL 60191.

**DUNCAN, Thomas Albert Duncan Sr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/theledger/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=176836520>)

LAKELAND - Mr. Thomas Albert Duncan, Sr., age 82, died Wednesday, December 9, 2015. Born in Lakeland on October 10, 1933, Thomas was a lifelong resident. After obtaining an Associate's degree from Florida Southern College, he served in the U.S. Navy. He retired from the Lakeland Fire Department as a Lieutenant Fire Fighter. Mr. Duncan is survived by his wife Mary M. Duncan, Lakeland; son Tad Duncan (Lee Wickham), Tampa; daughter Laura Duncan, Lakeland; brother Earle Duncan, Lakeland. Lanier Funeral Home Chapel is entrusted with the arrangements. Private interment will be in Section C1C-9, Row D, Site 48 in the Sarasota National Cemetery. Donations may be made to Good Shepherd Hospice, 3450 Lakeland Hills Blvd., Lakeland, FL, 33805. (863) 583-3300.

**DUNDORE', Richard Arthur Dundore'**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-press/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=154300078>)

Richard Arthur Dundore' was born September 7, 1936 and passed away on October 27, 2011. He is survived by his loving wife Virginia (Ginger) Dundore' of Cape Coral, sisters Bea Basansky of Ft. Myers, Jan Reed of Cape Coral, Michele O'Donnell of Melbourne, FL and brother Thomas Dundore of Tulsa, OK and a loving flock of nephews, nieces, and grand nieces and nephews. A homecoming service will be celebrated on Monday October 31, 2011 at the Fort Myers Christian Outreach Center, 3500 Fowler St, Ft. Myers. A short prayer service will also be held on Tuesday at the church prior to burial in Section 7, Site 142 at the Sarasota National Cemetery with military honors.

**DUNGAN, Christopher Wright Dungan**

(Abstracted from <http://www.tributes.com/obituary/show/Christopher-Wright-Dungan-86020046>)

Christopher Wright Dungan of Bradenton, FL was born on April 20, 1935 and passed away on Friday, May 15, 2009. Interred in Section 12, Site 856 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUNLAP, Dorothy C. Dunlap**

Dorothy C. Dunlap was born 11/28/1928, died 06/25/2012. Interred in Section 6, Site 959 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of Robert Marion Dunlap.

**DUNLAP, Robert Marion Dunlap**

Robert Marion Dunlap was born 01/04/1928, died 04/05/2012. Interred in Section 6, Site 959 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUNLOP, Cecil L. Dunlop**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/cecil-dunlop-obituary?pid=170796043>)

Cecil L. Dunlop was born 07/07/1924, died 04/25/2014. Arrangements under the direction of Branam Funeral Home/Memorial Plan, Homestead, FL. Interred in Section C1C-5, Row B, Site 24 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUNMIRE, Michael Anthony Dunmire**

Michael Anthony Dunmire was born 11/06/1959, died 07/10/2012. Interred in Section 6, Site 1101 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUNN, Carl Bradford Dunn**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/tampabaytimes/obituary.aspx?n=carl-bradford-dunn&pid=164814084&fhid=16809>)

Carl Bradford Dunn, age 85 of Lake Placid, FL, went home to his Lord and Savior on Tuesday, May 14, 2013. He was born in Nashville, TN, on November 26, 1927, to Zib Andrew and Dorothy Dunn. Carl served in the US Army from 1945 to 1948, receiving the World War II Victory Medal and the Army of Occupation Japan Medal. He served as a martial arts instructor and was the US Army Light-Weight Champion in boxing for the Pacific Theater. After serving his country, Carl moved to Miami Springs, FL, and spent his years there as a loving husband and father. In 1983, he retired from Eastern Airlines and relocated to Lake Placid, FL, and to a summer residence in Byrdstown, TN. A gifted woodcarver, he held the rank of Master Carver and co-founded the Lake Placid Woodcarvers. For many years, he served as a Board member of the Lake Placid Art League. Carl was a member of Community Christian Church, Miami, FL, and he actively attended Faith Baptist Church, Lake Placid, FL, and First Baptist Church, Byrdstown, TN. He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Joan Oakes Dunn; a brother, Lee (Janet) Dunn of Nashville, a son, Johnny (Kellene) Dunn of Rural Hall, NC; and a daughter, Bandy Draper of Cookeville, TN. He greatly loved and enjoyed his grandchildren: Whitney (Brandin) Bays, Seth Dunn, Gil Draper, Sarah (Jeremy) Finison, and Ashley (Brad) Stewart; and his great-grandchildren: Charlotte Bays, Aiden Finison, Bailey Stewart, and Mason Stewart. Carl is also survived by a sister-in-law, Hettie Thompson and many nieces and nephews. Graveside services and burial with military honors will be held on Friday, May 17, 2013, in Section 7, Site 825 at Sarasota National Cemetery, Sarasota, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Good Shepherd Hospice, 1110 Hammock Road, Sebring, FL 33850. Funeral arrangements are under the loving devotion of Michael A. Brochetti Funeral Home 404 Plaza Avenue Lake Placid, FL 33852 863-465-9997.

**DUNN, Frank F. Dunn Jr.**

(Abstracted from <https://suncitycenterfuneralhome.com/tribute/details/92970/Frank-Dunn/obituary.html>)

Frank F. Dunn, Jr., age 99, of Sun City Center, FL passed away June 19, 2015. He was born April 8, 1916 and served in the U.S. Army during World War II and the Korean Conflict, retiring with the rank of Major. He retired as Director of Guidance for West Bridgewater High School, West Bridgewater, MA. He was an alumnus of the Bridgewater State University, member of the Board of the University Trustees, member of the University Foundation, and served on the University Alumni Board. He was a member of the Military Officers Association of America, (M.O.A.A.), the Veterans Association of Bridgewater, MA and an active volunteer for Respite Care and Meals on Wheels. Frank was a world traveler, he especially enjoyed going on freighters and cruise ships. Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Dorothy and many nieces and nephews. Memorial Mass with Military Honors will be celebrated Friday, June 26, 2015 at Prince of Peace Catholic Church, 702 Valley Forge Boulevard, Sun City Center, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Bridgewater University Foundation, Davis Alumni Center, 25 Park Terrace, Bridgewater, MA 02325. Burial will be at a later date in Section C1C-8, Row B, Site 22 at the Sarasota National Cemetery, Sarasota, FL. Arrangements by Sun City Center Funeral Home, Sun City Center, FL (813) 634-9900

**DUNN, James Luther Dunn Jr.**

James Luther Dunn Jr. was born 07/29/1940, died 07/15/2015. Interred in Section C1C-8, Row C, Site 45 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUNN, John Richard Dunn Sr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=170157397>)

John Richard Dunn, Sr., age 80, born July 18, 1933 in Aliquippa, PA, passed away March 12, 2014. John served in the US Air Force during the Korean War, graduated from the University of North Texas, worked 44 years in transportation, retired and moved to Sarasota, FL. John was an active member of the American Legion. Survivors are his wife of 40 years, Dolores; sons, Jeffrey and John, Jr., Robert Greenhalgh, David Greenhalgh; daughters, Debbie Duda, Joyce Stanley, Sandy Iwaskewycz,

Debbie Bowser; brother, Robert Dunn and sister, Mary Lou Foltz. Services will be held at Jennings Funeral Home & Crematory on Saturday, March 15. Interment will be in Section 3, Site 87 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUNN, Mary Jane Dunn**

Mary Jane Dunn was born 11/16/1926, died 08/27/1993. Interred in Section 12, Site 831 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Harold L. Dunn.

**DUNNE, Nancy Anne McSween Dunne**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/dailygazette/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=134409171>)

Nancy Anne (McSween) Dunne, age 80, educator and professional volunteer, died on October 11, 2009 in Holmes Beach, FL. Born August 5, 1929 in Ionia, MI to Warner and Hazel McSween, Nancy later moved to Grand Rapids, MI, and graduated from East Grand Rapids High School in 1947. She attended Albion College, Albion, MI, and graduated with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Education in 1951. She taught briefly in both the Grand Rapids and East Grand Rapids, MI school systems. She married ENS James Robert Dunne on October 28, 1952 in East Grand Rapids, and lived in Newport, RI, Woodbridge, NJ, and Washington, DC during her husband's tour of duty in the U.S. Navy. In 1955 she moved to Schenectady, NY upon her husband's release from active duty, and began a long service of volunteering in civic and religious organizations. She was an officer in the Schenectady Jr. League, President of the Schenectady Symphony Orchestra Assoc., and was named Volunteer of the Year in Schenectady. She also served on the City's Volunteer Bureau staff. Bishop Broderick of the Albany Diocese commissioned her to establish a Ladies of Charity Catholic Service Organization (LCUSA) in the Capitol District and that began a 50 year association with the organization. She served as that organization's national President, and was elected as a representative from the United States to the Association of International Charities, the organization's international group based in Brussels, Belgium. She also founded a Ladies of Charity group in Orlando, FL. She served as the LCUSA Representative on the U.S. Catholic Charities Board, and she was affiliated with local Catholic Charities office in Albany, NY, and Orlando, FL. Since moving to Anna Maria Island in 1999 she has served as a Director and President of the American Association of University Women, Manatee County Branch; as a Director for the Manatee Symphony Association; and she was the last President for the Anna Maria Women's Club. She was a tutor for students at both the Community Center and the Elementary School. She was an Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist at The Church of the Annunciation, Altamonte Springs, FL, and St. Bernard, Holmes Beach, FL. Nancy was a member of both the Key Royale Golf Club, and the "Order of the Rose" for her 50 year affiliation with the Alpha Xi Delta National Sorority. She is survived by her husband and two sons, James (Cindy), Lakeland, FL, and Stephen (Patricia), Orlando, FL, and one grandson, Ryan of Murrells Inlet, SC. Memorial services at St. Bernard R.C. Church, Holmes Beach, FL, Saturday, October 17, and burial in Section 12, Site 799 in the Sarasota National Cemetery, Sarasota, FL. Donations may be made in her name to a project developing the reading habits of elementary school children: The Diane Downey Reading Enrichment Project, c/o LCUSA, 13663 Rider Trail North, Earth City, MO 63045.

**DUNNING, Robert E. Dunning**

Robert E. Dunning was born 08/31/1922, died 08/28/2014. Interred in Section 5, Site 399 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUNTON, Gary Gail Dunton**

(Abstracted from <http://www.tributes.com/obituary/show/Gary-Gail-Dunton-87850458>)

Gary Gail Dunton of Sun City Center, FL was born on January 21, 1940 and passed away on Thursday, February 11, 2010. Interred in Section 3, Site 225 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUPRE, Richard W. Dupre**

Richard W. Dupre was born 06/25/1948, died 05/11/1994. Interred in Section 5, Site 24 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUPUIS, Donald Arthur Dupuis Sr.**

(Abstracted from [http://www.pongerkaysgrady.com/sitemaker/sites/Ponger1/memsol.cgi?user\\_id=1663654](http://www.pongerkaysgrady.com/sitemaker/sites/Ponger1/memsol.cgi?user_id=1663654))

Donald Arthur Dupuis, Sr., age 71, passed away Sunday, April 11, 2010 in Sarasota, FL. He was born November 4, 1938 in Hanover, NH and was a member of our community for the past 36 years. Donald was a member of the First Baptist Church of Arcadia. He served as a Deacon and worked with the Sunday school. Donald was a loving husband, father and grandfather, and enjoyed spending time with his family. In his younger years, Donald enjoyed swamp buggy racing in Naples on Big Mac, hunting, fishing, taking cruises and trips to Disney World. Donald served our country with the U.S. Coast Guard. During his working career he was a foreman in the cattle and grove industry. He also worked in the test department at Central Maloney Transformer in construction. He is survived by his wife Diane Dupuis of Arcadia, FL. two sons; Donald A. (Colette) Dupuis, Jr. and David A. Dupuis, both of Arcadia, FL; one daughter Deborah A. (Kevin) Ordway of Brandon, FL; one sister Patricia (Roger) Franks of Pekin, IL; ten grandchildren; two nieces and two nephews. Donald was preceded in death by his parents Arthur C. and Hilda A. Grunwell Dupuis. Funeral services will be Thursday, April 15, 2010 at Ponger-Kays-Grady Funeral Home, 50 N.

Hillsborough Ave., Arcadia, FL Interment will follow with full military honors by the U.S. Coast Guard in Section 8, Site 544 at Sarasota National Cemetery.

#### **DUQUETTE, Denis Richard Duquette**

(Abstracted from [http://gom.tributes.com/our\\_obituaries/Denis-Duke-Duquette-95535151](http://gom.tributes.com/our_obituaries/Denis-Duke-Duquette-95535151))

Denis Richard Duquette, age 68, of Sun City Center, was born October 9, 1944 and passed away on April 2, 2013. He is preceded in death by his son, Daryl Duquette, and his granddaughter, Bethany Ponte. He is survived by his loving wife of 26 years, Sharon Duquette, his son, Denis R. Duquette II (Sandra), his daughter, Doreen Manchester, his grandson, Aaron Manchester and great granddaughter, Nevaeh Ponte, sister, Diane Svenson (Arthur) and other loving family. He worked for ITT for 27 years as a Purchasing Manager. He was a Mason, Shriner, and a very proud Marine. He was also a big Harley Davidson fan and he loved his red Corvette. He was a very loving father and husband. Garden of Memories Funeral Home, 4207 E. Lake Ave. Tampa, FL is entrusted with the arrangements. A Funeral Mass will be held on Monday at the Prince of Peace Catholic Church, 702 Valley Forge Blvd., Sun City Center, 33573. A committal service will follow in Section 7, Site 78 at the Sarasota National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, consider making a donation to Life Path Hospice House in Sun City Center.

#### **DURAKOVICH, David Durakovich**

(Abstracted from the Internet)

COSHOCTON - David Durakovich never knew his father, who presumably died in the early 1950s while serving in the U.S. Army in North Korea during the Korean War. Monday, accompanied by his own son, Durakovich will attend his father's funeral in Arlington National Cemetery, just outside of Washington DC, in a ceremony complete with full military honors. A native of Gary, IN, Durakovich is now 67, lives in Coshocton with his wife Edna, and serves as vice president of operations for Buckeye Brine. His only child, Michael, now 48, works in information technology and lives just north of Baltimore, MD. According to the Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency, Sgt. Joseph Durakovich, of Gary, IN, served in Company G, 5th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division, when his regiment was attacked by the Chinese People's Volunteer Forces in Pongmyong-ni, North Korea, in late November 1950. The Americans withdrew along a supply route to Samsori, the DPAA reports, and were unable to break through a roadblock. Following a battle there, Sgt. Durakovich was unaccounted for and was reported missing in action on Nov. 28, 1950.

#### **DURAKOVICH, Joseph Durakovich**

(Abstracted from various internet sources)

Master Sergeant Durakovich was a member of Company G, 2nd Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division. He was listed as Missing in Action while fighting the enemy in North Korea on November 28, 1950. He was presumed dead on December 31, 1953. His remains were later recovered and identified. His name is permanently inscribed on the Courts of the Missing at the Honolulu Memorial. For his leadership and valor, Master Sergeant Durakovich was awarded the Bronze Star, the Purple Heart, the Combat Infantryman Badge, the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation and the Republic of Korea War Service Medal. When an individual's remains have been accounted for by the U.S. Department of Defense, a rosette is placed next to the name on the Wall / Tablet / Court of the Missing to mark that the person now rests in a known gravesite.

#### **DURAND, Francis Z. Durand**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/new-port-richey-fl/francis-durand-4501231>)

Francis Z. Durand, born March 27, 1917 in Woonsocket, RI died on Monday January 3, 2011 in Palm Harbor, FL after a brief illness. Mr. Durand was married 61 years to Jeannette (St. Pierre) who died in June 2007. Brother of Victory Byron of Johnston, RI and father of eight children - the late Emma A. Durand formerly of Jamestown, RI, Paul R. Durand of Oldsmar, FL, William D. Durand of Pawtucket, RI, Douglas N. Durand of Tarpon Springs, FL, Susan Ritchotte of Davenport, FL, Stephen J. Durand of Pawtucket, RI, Nancy McAllister of Guntersville, AL, and Lynne Zygmunt of Windham, NH; grandfather of 18 and great-grandfather of 11. He was a veteran of WWII (43rd Infantry Division / Pacific). He a Staff Sergeant was wounded in 1945 and received a purple heart. A memorial mass will be held at St. Ignatius of Antioch Catholic Church, Tarpon Springs on Saturday January 22, 2011. Burial will be in Section 12, Site 457 at the Sarasota Veterans Cemetery on Monday January 24, 2011.

#### **DURAND, Jeannette Durand**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on June 26, 2007)

Jeannette Durand, age 86, of Palm Harbor, FL, formerly of Port Richey, FL, passed away Sunday, June 24, 2007. Jeannette was born December 1, 1920. North Meadowlawn Funeral Home, New Port Richey, FL, (727)849-9281. Interred in Section 12, Site 457 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Francis Z. Durand.

#### **DURANT, Louis R. Durant**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=120137159>)

Louis R. Durant, age 91, Sarasota, formerly of Cos Cob, CT, died Nov. 8, 2008. Louis was born on January 17, 1917. Services will be private. Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include his son, Eric, and wife, Silja-Riitta of Old Greenwich, CT; and two grandchildren. Interred in Section 6, Site 222 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DURDA, Betty Tarr Durda**

Betty Tarr Durda was born 02/03/1922, died 07/29/2015. Interred in Section 3, Site 1096 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DURDA, Joseph Durda**

Joseph Durda was born 08/16/1923, died 07/25/2015. Interred in Section 3, Site 1095 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DURDUREKAS, Spiro L. Durdurekas**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=94474944>)

Spiro L. Durdurekas, age 77, of Sarasota since 1995, formerly of Worms, Germany, died Sept. 14, 2007. Spiro was born on July 26, 1930. Memorial services will be at Wiegand Brothers Funeral Home. Survivors include his loving wife, Helga; a son, Ty of Los Altos, CA; a daughter, Vanessa Hanke of Augsburg, Germany; and four grandchildren. Memorial contributions may be made to TideWell Hospice and Palliative Care, 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238. Interred in Section 12, Site 452 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUREN, Clifford L. Duren**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=161136676>)

Clifford L. Duren, age 66, of Harris County, TX, died on November 1, 2012. Clifford was born on January 29, 1946. Funeral Arrangements by National Cremation Society. Interred in Section 6, Site 1403 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DURGIN, Robert O. Durgin**

(Abstracted from <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/bradenton-fl/robert-durgin-5493998>)

Robert O. Durgin was born on December 25, 1922 and passed away on April 11, 2013 in Bradenton, FL. Robert Toale and Sons Funeral Home at Manasota Memorial Park

Bradenton, FL 941-755-2688. Interred in Section 6, Site 1755 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DURHAM, Edward J. Durham**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/national-cremation/obituary.aspx?n=Edward-Durham&lc=2784&pid=146244446&mid=4420074>)

Edward J. Durham was born 07/08/1920, died 10/16/2010. Arrangements under the direction of National Cremation & Burial Society, Sarasota, FL. Interred in Section 13, Site 679 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DURHAM, Michael Eugene Durham**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=86253987>)

Michael Eugene Durham, age 56, Venice, died July 31, 2005. He was born Jan. 24, 1949, in Champaign, IL, and came to Venice five years ago from Urbana, IL. He had owned and operated the Arcade Barber Shop of Venice for the past four years. He was involved in the planning of the St. Patrick's Day Parade in Venice. Survivors include his wife, Barbara; his mother, Charlotte of Urbana; children, Julie Mesker and Jamie Matheny, both of Champaign, Mike of Wyoming, Tracy Floyd of Arnold, MO, Tony of Imperial, MO, Gregory of St. Louis, Toni DuBois of San Antonio, TX, and Minor D. Shores of Urbana; brothers Jim of Rantoul, IL, and Dave of Arizona; half-sisters Patty Gray and Debbie Snyder, both of Margate; half-brother, Jim of Southwest Ranches; and 18 grandchildren. Funeral Home, Venice Chapel is entrusted with the arrangements. Memorial donations may be made to the National Hemophilia Foundation, 116 W. 32nd St., New York, NY 10001. Interred in Section 6, Site 248 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DURHAM, Rose P. Durham**

Rose P. Durham was born 03/14/1919, died 12/10/2013. Interred in Section 13, Site 679 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Edward J. Durham.

**DURIO, Maurice F. Durio**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=160540571>)

Maurice F. Durio, age 89, of Sarasota, FL, died on Oct. 18, 2012. Maurice was born Nov. 17, 1923. Funeral arrangements by Toale Brothers Funeral Home. The family request that donations be given to Tidewell Hospice in lieu of flowers. Interment in Section 6, Site 1319 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DURKIN, William Russel Durkin Jr.**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Apr. 5, 2009)

William Russel Durkin Jr., age 65, of St. Petersburg, passed peacefully at home Monday March 30, 2009 after a long illness. Mr. Durkin was born June 13, 1943, He is survived by his spouse, Sharon; his sons, Clifford, William III, Jonathan (Melissa), Michael (Rebecca); his daughter Brandy (Pete); 12 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; his father William Sr.; and a sister Debra Spence. He was preceded in death by his mother Freda and his brothers, Robert and Michael. Mr. Durkin was an optician and a member of the American Board of Opticians. He loved basketball, football and bowling. In particular he was an avid fan of the Kentucky Wildcats. Go Cats! A Life Tribute, 5601 Gulfport Blvd. S., is entrusted with the arrangements, Interred in Section 8, Site 323 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DURR, Clarence Durr**

Clarence Durr was born 05/08/1944, died 01/18/2008. Interred in Section C1C-3, Row D, Site 2 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DUTKOWSKI, Vincent Dominick Dutkowski**

(Abstracted from <http://www.tributes.com/obituary/show/Vincent-Dominick-Dutkowski-94280747>)

Vincent Dominick Dutkowski was born on April 19, 1929 and passed away on Friday, August 10, 2012. Vincent was a resident of Lehigh Acres, FL at the time of passing. Vincent was a graduate of the University of Miami (Florida). He served his country in the United States Army and was awarded both the World War II Victory Medal and the Army of Occupation Medal for Japan. A private burial service will be conducted in Section 6, Site 1245 at Sarasota National Cemetery at the convenience of the family.

**DUVAL, Claude Guy Duval**

(Abstracted from <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/unionleader/obituary.aspx?n=claudes-g-duval&pid=167156999>)

MANCHESTER - Claude Guy Duval, CW3-USA Ret., born June 20, 1929, to Ovide and Rosilia (nee Gendron) Duval in Manchester, passed away Sept. 23, 2013. Claude was one of 10 children. Claude retired from the U.S. Army after serving 26 years and moved to Florida after several years in the technical division of the Bank of New Hampshire. He is survived by his wife, Barbara and three children, son, Richard (Leslee) and daughters, Carolyn Olsen and Renee Angel; stepdaughter, Julie (Dennis) Pulos; grandchildren, Maren Olsen, Ryan Bradford, Jamie and Matthew Duval, Samantha and Benjamin Angel; great-grandchildren, Serenity Dykstra, Talon and Taylor Bradford; sisters-in-laws, Margaret, Lorraine, Joanne and Caroline Duval and numerous cousins, nieces and nephews. Claude is preceded in death by his parents, Ovide and Rosilia; and siblings, Robert, Clement, Jean Pierre, Bernard, George, Francois, Jean Michel, Pierre and Pierrette. He served in the Korean occupation and two tours of duty in Vietnam, once as an adviser and was assigned to the quartermaster division. He received several medals and commendations, including the Bronze Star during his Army career. Claude retired to Florida in 1998 and currently resided at Terra Ceia Bay Golf and Tennis Club in Palmetto. He enjoyed traveling and sports and his interest in his family's genealogy. He was a member of the Canadian-American Genealogical Society of New Hampshire and a member of NAAS and the DAV. Services will be Friday, Oct. 11, in Section 6, Site 2056 at Sarasota National Cemetery, Sarasota, FL. A celebration of Claude's Life will be held at a later date. The family is requesting that in lieu of flowers, a donation be made to TideWell Hospice of Ellenton, FL or to the Life Long Learning Academy at USF-SM, 8350 N. Tamiami Trail, Sarasota, FL 34243.

**DUVALL, Charlotte Freels Duvall**

(Abstracted from information received from three of Elmer's Miami genealogy friends)

Charlotte Freels Duvall, age 95, died Saturday, April 2, 2016 in Miami, FL. She was born and raised in Morristown, the daughter of James Cleveland Freels, owner of Freels Drugstore, and his wife, Aileen Fisher. She earned degrees at Mount Vernon Junior College, Washington, DC and University of Miami, class of 1942. She met her husband of 69 years, John Emack Duvall of Cheraw, SC at a dance in Coral Gables, FL. She was preceded in death by her husband and brother, James Cleveland Freels, Jr. She is survived by her three children, Mary Aileen (Harold) Smith, Charlotte Denise (Macdonald) West and Mareen Walker (Millicent) Duvall; three grandchildren, Jonathan Walker (Karen) Duvall, Taylor Mareen (Ryan) Bennett and Gideon Williams Duvall; 3 great-grandchildren, Micah Walker Duvall, Gabriel John Duvall and Charlotte Rose Bennett; 2 sisters, Mary Nelson White and Julia Chwalik. She was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, Beaux Arts and Coral Reef Yacht Club. She enjoyed genealogy research and was a member of many hereditary societies including DAR, NSCDA, CDA, NSDAC, FFV, DFPA, Order of the Crown, Colonial Governors, and Crown of Charlemagne. Services were held in Cheraw, SC on Saturday, April 9. Memorial contributions may be made to St. David's Cemetery Association, PO Box 1196, Cheraw, SC 29520.

**DVORAK, Florian Anthony Dvorak**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on Jan. 13, 2012)

Florian Anthony Dvorak, 88, of Lake Placid, FL, entered into eternal rest on December 18, 2011, in the Florida Hospital in Lake Placid. He was a native of Illinois, born January 19, 1923, in Chicago. Florian was inducted into the U.S. Navy in 1942 and was honorably discharged in 1945 as Yeoman 2/C. He went to work after his hitch in the Navy as an accountant, working for many years with John T. Shayne & Company in Chicago, IL. When Florian retired he came to Lake Placid in 1984 from Chicago. As Florian settled in to his new community he became active as a volunteer at St. James Catholic Church, Florida Hospital-Lake Placid and served as president of the Sylvan Shores Home Owners Association. He was a member of the VFW, Knights of Columbus, and a member of St. James Church. Florian is survived by his wife of 68 years, Geraldine; children, Phillip Dvorak of AK, Marybeth Dvorak of Lake Placid; sister, Mary Warner of CO; grandchildren, Corinne Wodzinski, Michael, John and Jeff Tokarz; and he was blessed with two great grandchildren, Ethan and Dylan Wodzinski. He was predeceased by his daughter, Carol Masenia. Michael A. Brochetti Funeral Home is entrusted with the arrangements. A Christian Memorial Mass will be at St James Catholic Church. Interment in Section 6, Site 757 in the Sarasota National Cemetery along with the sounding of taps and folding of the colors by the US Navy Honor Team.

**DVORAK, Geraldine B. Dvorak**

Geraldine B. Dvorak was born 04/30/1925, died 09/08/2013. Interred in Section 6, Site 757 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Florian Anthony Dvorak.

**DVORAK, William Walter Dvorak Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=170248265>)  
William Walter (Bill) Dvorak Jr., age 90, born Feb. 16, 1924 in Chicago, IL, passed away March 9, 2014. Formerly of So. Holland, IL, Holiday, FL and Sarasota, FL. A Veteran of the U.S. Navy; resident of the Douglas T. Jacobson State Veterans Home, Port Charlotte, FL since Dec., 2012. Preceded in death by his parents William and Marie (Dolansky) Dvorak and brother Richard Dvorak (Nancy Yarbrough, Traverse City, MI). Survived by his wife Virginia (Fetta) of 64 years, Sarasota, FL; daughters Barbara Dvorak; Bev (Jim) LeChien, Sarasota, FL; son, Robert (Mary) Dvorak, Naperville, IL; four grandchildren: Lindsay Berstling; Don, Stephanie and Austin Dvorak. He was an avid golfer and bowler. He will be laid to rest in Section 3, Site 379 at Sarasota National Cemetery in a private ceremony with the immediate family. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Loveland Center, 157 South Havana Road, Venice, FL 34292.

**DWORSCHAK, Walter M. Dworschak**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=124335599>)

Walter Mark Dworschak, age 84, Palmetto, formerly of Champaign, IL, died February 15, 2009. Walter was born December 3, 1924. A memorial service will take place at Holy Cross Catholic Church. Arrangements are by Kicliter Funeral Home. Survivors include his wife, Joan; sons Steven of Norcross, GA, Thomas of Atlanta and Scott of Orland Park, IL; and three grandchildren. Interred in Section 3, Site 509 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DWYER, Doris Elizabeth Dwyer**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/doris-elizabeth-dwyer/19628447>)

Doris Elizabeth Dwyer was born on May 5, 1926. She died on September 16, 2006 at 80 years of age. She was buried in Sarasota National Cemetery Section 13 Site 1029, Sarasota, FL. Interred in Section 13, Site 1029 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Wife of Francis X. Dwyer.

**DWYER, Francis X. Dwyer**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=147779943>)

Francis X. Dwyer, age 88, of Sarasota died Jan. 9, 2011. Mr. Dwyer was born September 23, 1922. An inurnment will take place Jan. 21, 2011 in Section 13, Site 1029 at Sarasota National Cemetery with military honors. Survivors include sons, Francis of NM; Dennis NY, William of Sarasota; daughters, Barbara Duzleman of NJ, Diane Klein of Sarasota, Margaret Cunningham of NC, Bonnie Hartman of Alaska, Katherleen Stephens of Ohio, Florence Field of Boynton Beach; a brother, Lawrence of Sarasota; 27 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren. He served in the Army during WWII and received a Silver Star and Purple Heart for gallantry in Battle of the Bulge. He was predeceased by his wife of 60 years, Doris and his son, Michael Dwyer of Alaska. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to TideWell Hospice of Sarasota.

**DWYER, Peter Christopher Dwyer**

(Abstracted from the Tampa Bay Times on June 23, 2004)

Peter Christopher Dwyer, age 68, of Tampa, passed away June 21, 2004. Peter was born June 3, 1936. He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Ellen Dwyer; son, Kevin Dwyer and wife, Jill Buford of Tampa; daughter, Kathleen Roehm and husband, Ryan of Wauchula; son, Kenneth Dwyer of Tampa; son, Peter Dwyer Jr. and wife Pornpanah of Los Angeles; son, Charles Dwyer and wife



Beth of Charleston, SC; daughter, Elizabeth Ward and husband Sean of Tampa; eight grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and cousin, Nancy Prescott of Massachusetts. Mr. Dwyer loved the game of golf and his family. He was a lifetime member of the Marine Corps League and long-standing member of A.A. He was of the Catholic faith. A Funeral Mass will be Friday at St. Mark Catholic Church. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to LifePath Hospice or Moffitt Cancer Center. Interred in Section 13, Site 784 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DWYER, Robert Henry Dwyer**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/uticaod/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=170306118>)

Robert Henry Dwyer, age 87, of Venice, FL, died on March 11, 2014. Services will be held at a later date in Section C1C-4, Row C, Site 42 at Sarasota National Cemetery in Sarasota, FL. A memorial mass will be held at Our Lady of Lourdes in Venice, FL. Robert was born April 29, 1926, in Cortland, NY, son of Thomas B. and Elsie L. Dwyer, of Glen Falls, NY. Robert enlisted in the U.S. Navy at the age of 17 with an honorable discharge in 1946. He graduated from St. Mary's Academy in Glen Falls, NY, in 1943. He then went on to attend Skidmore Ext. College for 2 years, 1946-1948. He then attended and graduated from Bowling Green Univ. in Bowling Green, OH, in 1950. Robert worked for Prudential Life Ins. Co. from 1950-1953, owned General Ins. Agency from 1954-1975, was partner in Distributorship from 1975-1978 in Albany, NY, owner of Distributorship from 1978-1986. He then entered into the retail car wash business in 1986 and operated several businesses in the meantime. Robert retired in 2007 at the age of 81. Robert married Mary T. Dwyer on Sept. 12, 1948. He married Mary W. Kwasniewski-Irla at St. Peter's Church in Utica, NY, on Oct. 26, 1991. Robert is survived by his wife, Mary W. of Venice, FL; five children, Mary C. (Kurt) Kasson, of Austin, TX, Constance E. (Richard) Heiden, of Lancaster, PA, Carolyn E. Dwyer, of Kingston, NY, Robert H. Dwyer, II, of Astoria, NY, and Matthew P. Dwyer, of Oakland, CA; grandchildren, Jessica Gargano of Saratoga, NY, Michael Gargano of Saratoga Springs, NY, Everett, Hart and Degary Heiden of Lancaster, PA, Michael (Sarah), of Highlands, NY, Dana Pistone of Kingston, NY, Matthew Dwyer II, Meaghan and Donovan Dwyer of Brooklyn, NY; great-grandchildren, Zachary of Waterbury, CT, and Giuletta Gargano of Saratoga, NY; brothers, Edward D. (Dorothy) Dwyer of Punta Gorda, FL, and David W. (Harriet) Dwyer, of Athens, GA; sisters-in-law, Theresa Dwyer, of Eaton, MA, Lottie Janowski, of Oneida, NY, Beverly Kwasniewski, of West Leyden, NY, and Eunice Kwasniewski, of Elkins, WV; brother-in-law, Anthony (Nina) Kwasniewski, of Boonville, NY; many nieces and nephews and great-nieces and nephews. Robert was predeceased by his brother, Capt. Thomas L. Dwyer, USN, of St. Michaels, MD; sister, Joan Doyle of Glen Falls, NY; and great-granddaughter, Chloe Ottman of Waterbury, CT. Robert enjoyed golfing and touring model homes. Memorial donations may be made to the Wounded Warriors Project, [www.woundedwarriorproject.org/Donate](http://www.woundedwarriorproject.org/Donate) or to St. Jude Children's Hospital, [www.stjude.org](http://www.stjude.org).

**DYBAS, Leonard J. Dybas**

Leonard J. Dybas was born 08/11/1925, died 07/23/2014. Interred in Section C1C-6, Row D, Site 5 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DYDOWICZ, Theodore Chester Dydowicz**

(Abstracted from <https://www.ancientfaces.com/person/theodore-chester-dydowicz/4255492>)

Theodore Chester Dydowicz a resident of Apollo Beach, Hillsborough County, FL was born on December 20, 1938. He died on October 28, 2009 at 70 years of age. He was buried in Sarasota National Cemetery Section 8 Site 41, Sarasota, FL.

**DYER, David Stanley Dyer**

(Abstracted from <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/157145090/david-stanley-dyer>)

Dr. David Stanley Dyer, age 67, of Punta Gorda, FL, died on Wednesday, Dec. 30, 2015. He was born May 20, 1948, in Green Cove Springs, FL. David was a Vietnam Veteran in the U.S. Army as an aircraft commander. He was the recipient of the Air Medal for Heroism, Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star and the Purple Heart. David spent 30 years in the health industry, and became a Licensed Massage Therapist, Licensed Colon Therapist and Cancer Coach. He obtained a Doctorate in both Naturopathy and Science. He will be greatly missed by his wife, Ramona (nee Fulton-Enger); daughter, Gentry (Logan); brother, Tom; as well as many other relatives. Interred in Section 3, Site 1376 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DYER, George Thomas Dyer Jr.**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=174441100>)

Captain George T. Dyer, Jr. U.S. Navy (Retired) of Sarasota, FL died at his home on March 16, 2015. Funeral services will be Monday, March 23, 2015 at Toale Brothers Funeral Home, Colonial Chapel, 40 N. Orange Avenue. Captain Dyer will be buried on Monday at 2:30 PM in Sarasota National Cemetery with military honors. Captain Dyer, known to his family and friends as Tom, was born January 23, 1929 in Rumford, Maine, son of Dr. and Mrs. George T. Dyer. He attended the University of Maine prior to receiving a congressional appointment to the US Naval Academy, Annapolis MD. He graduated and was commissioned Ensign on 6 June 1952. He later earned a Masters Degree from George Washington University. Tom was a decorated Naval Officer, serving on land and sea, aboard ship, in the Pentagon, and as an instructor at the Naval Academy, until his retirement in 1979. Captain

Dyer served his entire Naval Career during the COLD WAR years, seeing combat in the 7th Fleet Amphibious Force in Vietnam from 1965 to 1969. His decorations include the Bronze Star Medal with Combat V, 3 Navy Commendation Medals with Combat V, 2 Meritorious Service Medals, the Joint Service Commendation Medal and numerous campaign ribbons. On retirement from the Navy, Captain Dyer earned a US Merchant Marine license as Master Steam and Motor Vessels, Unlimited Tonnage, Oceans. He was an executive with Midland Enterprises, the 2nd largest inland/coastwise barge operators in the United States, until 1994 when he joined wife Selma as a licensed Realtor in Sarasota, FL. On graduation from the Naval Academy, Tom married June Ann Arison; together they had 5 children and later divorced. In 1974 Tom married Selma W Daigneault. His survivors include his beloved wife of 40 years, Selma; daughters Margaret Egan (Bill) and Sheila Dyer-Novoa; sons Barry Dyer (Jill), Brian Dyer (Tracy), Dan Dyer (Jennifer), Joe Daigneault (Marilza) and Bryan Daigneault; sister Cynthia Murphy and her husband Edward; 10 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. He was a member of the USNA Alumni Association, Surface Navy Association, US LST Association, Tin Can Sailors and the Navy League of the United States. Tom especially enjoyed walks on Siesta Beach with Selma, the love of his life. Also he relished golfing with friends and making time at his cabin in Bailey Island, Maine. Memorial Contributions may be made to the Navy-Marine Corps Relief Association or the Massachusetts General Hospital Center for Laryngeal Surgery and Voice Rehabilitation. Interred in Section 5, Site 675 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DYER, William F. Dyer**

(Abstracted from <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/heraldtribune/obituary.aspx?n=william-f-dyer&pid=160301240>)  
William F. Dyer, age 91, died on Sep. 16, 2012. Born September 24, 1921 in Reading, PA, he grew up in Utica, NY. He was a veteran of World War II, 10th Mountain Division and was a member of the Sarasota Power and Sail Squadron. He is survived by his daughters Esther Gleason, Nancy Pettitt, Sally Grey and niece Nancy Polachek. He will be laid to rest in Section 6, Site 1270 at the Sarasota National Cemetery.

**DYKSTRA, Bertha Imogene Dykstra**

Bertha Imogene Dykstra was born 09/20/1927, died 09/30/2011. Interred in Section 8, Site 872 of the Sarasota National Cemetery. Widow of Thomas Andrew Dykstra.

**DYKSTRA, Thomas Andrew Dykstra**

(Abstracted from [http://www.brownsandsonsfuneral.com/home/index.cfm/obituaries/view/fh\\_id/14772/id/2429096](http://www.brownsandsonsfuneral.com/home/index.cfm/obituaries/view/fh_id/14772/id/2429096))  
Thomas Andrew Dykstra was born February 9, 1926 in Kalamazoo, Michigan and moved to Bradenton in 1992 from Lambertville, Michigan. Thomas passed away January 7, 2011. He served in the US Navy during World War II. He was a member of Bradenton Christian Reformed Church and was a longtime volunteer for Manatee Religious Services. He was employed in the printing and graphic arts industry his entire career. He was predeceased by his first wife, Berniece and is survived by his present wife of eighteen years, Gene; two daughters, Marsha (Jerry) Hayne of Apollo Beach, FL and Fran (David) Reichert of Bradenton; a son, Thomas R. (Julie) Dykstra of Lake Worth, FL; two sisters, Ann Verstelle of Kalamazoo, MI and Jean Vande Vord of Zephyrhills, FL; a brother, Samuel Dykstra of Wayland, MI; six grandchildren, Andrea, Tom, Jeff and Courtney Dykstra, Josh (Kris) and Laurie Reichert; a great grandson, Jake Reichert. Brown & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 43rd Street Chapel, 604 43rd St. West, Bradenton, FL 34209 is entrusted with the arrangements. Funeral services will be Monday, January 10, 2011 at Bradenton Christian Reformed Church, 4208 26th St. W., Bradenton, FL 34205. Military honors and burial will be Tuesday, January 11, 2011 in Section 8, Site 872 at Sarasota National Cemetery, 9810 State Road 72, Sarasota, FL 34241. Memorial contributions may be made to Bradenton Christian School or Manatee Religious Services.

**DZIKIEWICZ, Paul Andrew Dzikiewicz**

Paul Andrew Dzikiewicz was born 06/12/1945, died 10/15/2013. Interred in Section 6, Site 2097 of the Sarasota National Cemetery.