



Gerald J. Clinton, Sr.

July 6, 1925 - December 12, 2017

Rye – Gerald J. Clinton, Sr., 92, formerly of Rye, died Tuesday, December 12, 2017 after a period of failing health.

He was born in Boston, MA July 6, 1925 a son of the late John and Edith (Jule) Clinton and was a graduate of Mechanic Arts High School in Boston with the class of 1943.

A veteran of WW II and Korea he served 32 years with the US Army retiring in 1976 with the rank of Major. He was the recipient of the Bronze Star and served as a senior paratrooper.

After his retirement from the Army he was self employed in real estate investment.

He was a former communicant of St. James Church in Portsmouth, a member of Knight of Columbus Council 140 and St. Mary's Assembly 4th degree and VFW Post 168 all of Portsmouth.

He was the husband of the late Barbara (Burke) Clinton who predeceased him in 2012.

Family members include his daughter, Carma Clinton Makarewicz and her

husband Steven of Tyngsborough, MA, two sons, Gerald J. Clinton, Jr. and his wife Mercedes of Rye, Andrew B. Clinton and his wife Lori of Long Beach, CA, five grandchildren, Jessica, Mark, Dina, Jonathan and Lauren, and three great grandchildren.

He was predeceased by his sister, Ruth McElroy.

A vising hour will be held from 9 - 10 A.M. Saturday, December 16, 2017 at the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home-Crematory, 811 Lafayette Road, Hampton followed by a mass of Christian burial at 10:30 A.M.at St. Theresa Church, 815 Central Road, Rye Beach. Burial will be in Central Cemetery, Rye. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited. The family requests that in lieu of flowers donations be made to New Generation 568 Portsmouth Avenue Greenland, NH 03840.

Cemetery Details

Central Cemetery

20 Central Road
Rye, NH

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 16. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Remick & Gendron Funeral Home - Crematory
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Tribute Wall



“ *Gerald J. Clinton, Sr.*

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ *Dad, I am sorry that I couldn't be there with you at the end but I am grateful for the opportunities that I had to spend time with you over the last few years. I will miss you very much but I am happy that you are no longer suffering and that you have moved on to your next adventure. You were my role model as a father because you taught me that doing the right thing was sometimes hard and that they easy thing was generally wrong. I trust that you will be together with Mom and that you will watch over me and my family as we move through the day to day. I love you and miss you.*

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“Dad, I know it was time for you to join Mom in Heaven, but that doesn't make your passing any easier on those of us who love you. I am going to miss the Saturday visits we had this past year, but so grateful we had that time together. We talked about so many things. Now, this Saturday instead we will be honoring your life.

Everyone of your caregivers misses you too. And, to the person has said "Gerry was such a nice man. Always polite, very appreciative, with a wonderful sense of humor." I'm going to try and post the video here that I took of you singing "The Shadow of Your Smile" with your nurse Cathy.

Selfishly, I wish we had more time together. I'm a bit lost right now.

Love you, Dad, and miss you so very much.

Carma

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