



Jean B. Melanson

November 12, 1931 - May 9, 2023

Newburyport, MA – Jean B. Melanson, 91, of Danvers, formerly of Seabrook passed away peacefully on Thursday, May 9, 2023.

He was born in Danvers, MA on November 12, 1931 a son of the late Rene Melanson and Harriett (Irving) Melanson.

Born and raised in Danvers he moved to Sandown, Newburyport, MA and Hampton Falls before making his home in Seabrook for 26 years. He was employed for a number of shoe manufacturers, a groundskeeper for a large estate in Topsfield, MA and retired from Owens Illinois of Newburyport, MA after 17 years.

He was the husband of the late Mary (McCormick) Melanson who predeceased him in 2018.

He leaves his children, Linda J. Rosssen of Oswego, NY, Jeanne R. Melanson of Lewiston, ME, Richard Dana Melanson of Hudson, Sharon K. Holbrook of Ray City, GA, Michelle A. Dinivs of Newport News, VA, Barbara S. Giles of Jaffrey and Kathryn M. Mayer of Owego, NY; four siblings, Katherine Carbone, Rene, William and Robert Melanson, many grandchildren and great grandchildren.

In addition to his parents and wife, he was predeceased by his siblings, Kay Cabona, Rena Melanson, Bill Melanson and Bob Melanson.

A graveside service will be held at 11 AM on Thursday, May 18th 2023 in the Hillside Cemetery, Seabrook. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Avita of Newburyport Employee Holiday Fund, 4 Wallace Bashaw Junior Way, Newburyport, MA 01950 or High Pointe Hospice House, c/o Tufts Medicine Care at Home, Attn: Community Engagement, 360 Merrimack Street Suite 425, Lawrence, MA 01843.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAY 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

Hillside Cemetery
100 Lafayette Road
Seabrook, NH 03874