



## Nick Vangel

October 9, 1923 - October 16, 2014

North Hampton – Nick Vangel, 91, formerly of North Hampton, died peacefully on Thursday, October 16, 2014 at Portsmouth Regional Hospital. He was surrounded by his children while the classic country music he loved twanged lightly in the background.

Nick was born in Bridgeport, CT, a son of the late Peter and Eva Vangel.

He was raised in Southbridge, Mass., and graduated from Cole Trade School. Nick was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II, serving in the European Theatre of Operations.

After the war he was employed as a machinist and worked for several years for Spherex Inc. of Seabrook. He enjoyed music, bowling, alternative health practices and riding his bike to the library. Nick was a thoughtful, inquisitive and sensitive man who loved his family and was thoroughly engaged in their lives. He loved to entertain others with his singing and humor, which was infectious and endearing.

Nick and his wife of 52 years, Karlana Vangel, who predeceased him in 2004, moved to North Hampton in 1964. The couple moved to Florida in 1987 and Nick moved back to North Hampton in 2006.

Family members include his daughter, Eva (Vangel) Coburn of Portsmouth, his son, Mark Vangel and his wife Michelle of Portsmouth, and his sister Viola Vangel of Brockton, MA. Grandchildren include Nick and Zack Coburn, Eli Vangel and Colby Senior.

Nick was predeceased by his brothers Peter Vangel, Henry Bushe and John Bushe, and his sisters Constance Bushe and Olivia Bicki.

A memorial service will be held at 11 am Saturday, November 15, 2014 at the United Church of Christ at 295 Atlantic Avenue in North Hampton, with a reception to follow. Assistance was provided by the Remick and Gendron Funeral Home in Hampton.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

NOV **15**. 11:00 AM (ET)

United Church of Christ  
295 Atlantic Avenue  
North Hampton, NH 03862

# Tribute Wall



“ *Nick Vangel*

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ *Dear Eva and Mark and families, I was saddened this morning to learn of your dad's passing. I have many fond memories of good times at your home just a few doors down on Post Road in North Hampton all those years ago with you and your mom and dad. What a good man your dad was. I remember his as a tough, no nonsense man. I admired your father but am heartened that he lived a good long life and now rests in Heaven with your mom and our Lord. I am also profoundly grateful for your father's faithful service to our country in the United States Army. He made a difference - a big difference and I know that although you miss him terribly, you must be so proud to be his children. I have recently relocated back to Hampton. I hope to see you both someday soon. Again, my most sincere condolences to you and your families. Peter Martin*

**Pete Martin** - October 28, 2014 at 06:45 AM

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“ *Dear Eva and family, We just learned of your dad's passing. Please know you and your family are in our thoughts, hearts and prayers. Sheree + Agnes Brown, Hampton, NH*



**Sheree / Agnes Brown** - October 27, 2014 at 08:21 PM

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“ *Shaun Ennis & Katherine Huck purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Nick Vangel.*



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**Shaun Ennis & Katherine Huck** - October 24, 2014 at 06:45 PM