



## Rudolph A. "Rudy" Pearce

December 10, 1924 - September 18, 2017

Raymond – Rudolph Allison “Rudy” Pearce, 92, of Raymond, formerly of Hampton, passed away peacefully on Monday, September 18, 2017.

Mr. Pearce was born on December 10, 1924 in Lake City, FL, a son of the late Allison L. and Clara M. (Tyre) Pearce.

Rudy was raised in Florida and entered the United States Marine Corps at 19 years of age. He saw action in the South Pacific during WWII and was awarded the Purple Heart Medal for injuries he received during the Battle of Iwo Jima. After his honorable service to his country, Rudy returned home and met the love of his life, Lillian (Sanfilippo) Pearce. They were married in 1944 and moved to Kittery, ME where he worked in the construction of the base housing at Pease Air Force Base. The couple moved to Hampton in 1960 where he ran a successful drywall business until he retired.

He is survived by his sons, Stephen and wife, Lori of North Hampton, John of Wolfeboro, William of Somersworth and Thomas and wife, Christine of Lake Mary, FL; his daughters, Caroline Bray of Portsmouth, Sandra Hunt of Houston, TX, Sharon Mulligan and husband, Hugh of Riverview, FL and Barbara Duffen and husband, Hal of Exeter. He also leaves his half-brothers, Wayne and Everett Crews and his 12 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren and many nieces, nephews and close friends.

A private graveside service with full military honors will be held in the Center Cemetery, North Hampton. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to Veterans Count, an Easter Seals program supporting our military and their families at <http://vetscount.org/nh/>.

# Cemetery Details

## Center Cemetery

186 Post Road  
North Hampton, NH 03862

# Tribute Wall



“ Rudolph A. "Rudy" Pearce

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ So sorry I we did not know of Rudy's passing. We certainly would have come to pay respects. We loved Rudy, and he became surrogate grandfather to my kids, Christa and Danny. A wonderful man outspoken in his faith, I'm sure he'll spend eternity with our Lord. Dottie's daughter - Lisa Roderick

Lisa Roderick - March 03, 2020 at 02:53 PM



“ Everybody loved Pop-Pop! He was always so glad to see you and he made friends everywhere he went. Pop brought joy to our lives.

Tracey Ruest - September 22, 2017 at 07:41 AM



“ With deepest sympathy to the entire Pearce Family, will be sadly missed and his memories will remain forever.

Hal Duffen - September 21, 2017 at 11:25 AM



Prayers to the family, when I was a kid he was big as life I, I called him uncle Rudy , I will miss him , R I P uncle Rudy

chops baillargeon - September 21, 2017 at 08:41 PM

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*A great man has passed,,to us he was Uncle Ruddy. So many good time,,,The pool & pool partys....All the kids on our street jumping into his red chevy pick up and going to Benson;s Animal Farm each year...My Dad, Mr. Allard, Mr Pillsbury , Al Dailo anf Mr. Bennett all drinking beer together.....Such a hard working, kind, lovinging person...Please know you are loved...So happy I took the time to visit you this past spring...Thank you for so many good time Uncle Rudy,,,Rest in Peace*

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**Margo B Collins** - September 22, 2017 at 06:09 PM

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*Sorry to hear about Rudy, we always had fun at thire house. Time go by to fast,but still have great memories of the fun times.RIP Rudy. Love to the family ..Ann Pillsbury Wood*

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**Ann Wood** - September 22, 2017 at 11:16 PM