



Wayne Bernard Cleveland

April 8, 1924 - March 14, 2012

Wayne Bernard Cleveland, 87, of Butler, passed away after an 8 year battle with Alzheimer's on Wednesday, March 14, 2012 at St. Barnabas Arbors in Gibsonia.

He was born April 8, 1924 in St. Paul, MN, the son of the late Wayne Bayard and Gertrude (Canton) Cleveland.

Wayne was a veteran of the U.S. Coast Guard. He was an engineer for the Armco Project 600, Director of Maintenance and Engineering for Butler Memorial Hospital and at 60 was founder and owner of WBC & Associates Electrical and Mechanical Consultants. He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, Masonic Lodge #272, Scottish Rite of New Castle, Syria Temple, Butler Caravan, Elks #170, Moose Lodge #64, and Armco Golf Club. He was a graduate of Franklin Tech in Boston and did his graduate work at University of Pittsburgh. At 77, he wrote and published the book, Reminiscence of a Traveling Salesman's Son. He enjoyed hunting, golfing and playing his clarinet in many bands. He continued to entertain residents with his music up until 9 months ago at New Haven Court and St. Barnabas. Wayne was a man with a sense of humor who loved life.

Surviving are 3 daughters, Mrs. Harry (Mary Lou) Boben of Butler, Mrs. David (Nancy) Zirnsak of Butler and Mrs. Ben (Jeanne) Bestwick of Zelienople; 7

grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren; and a brother, Jerome A. Cleveland of Paramus, NJ.

He was also preceded in death by his wife, Lois Louise Cleveland who died October 24, 2006, an infant son and a sister.

Friends will be received at Young Funeral Home, Ltd., 127 W. Jefferson St., Butler, on Friday, March 16, 2012 from 2-4 & 7-9PM. Masonic services at 6:45PM.

Services will be held at Trinity Lutheran Church, 120 Sunset Dr., Butler on Saturday, March 17th at 10AM with Rev. Joel Benson officiating.

Interment in the Crown Hill Cemetery, Prospect, PA. Military honors at the graveside.

Contributions may be made to the Syria Shrine Transportation Fund, 1877 Shriner's Way, Cheswick, PA 15024.

Tribute Wall



“ Our prayers are with you all... so sorry we could not be there...

Love

Barb and Steve##imported-begin##Nancy and Dave##imported-end##

March 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM