



## John "Jack" O'Dell

March 27, 1923 - August 25, 2007

John "Jack" F. O'Dell, 84, of New Britain, husband of Vivian Lockery O'Dell, died Saturday August 25, 2007 at Hospital of Central Connecticut in New Britain. A lifelong New Britain resident, Jack was a World War II US Coast Guard veteran serving about the General M.C. Meigs troop transport maintaining a continuous flow of reinforcements for European Battle areas. He was employed at Fenn Manufacturing in Newington for 35 years until his retirement in 1988. Upon retiring, he worked part time for Napa Auto Parts in New Britain for 10 years. While at Fenn Manufacturing, Jack was vice president of the Union and was past president of the Fenn Club. He was also a member of the American Legion in New Britain.

Besides his wife Vivian, he is survived by two sons, John F. O'Dell Jr. and his wife Muriel of Southington, and Robert "Bob" O'Dell and his wife Carin of New Hartford; a grandson, John Francis O'Dell; and six great grandchildren, Vivain, Bonita and Madeleine O'Dell, and Andrew, Matthew and Peter O'Dell. Jack was predeceased by a daughter, Lynn Bednarz; a sister, Jane Kamman; and two grandchildren, Robyn Bednarz and Patrick O'Dell.

Calling hours are Wednesday evening 6 to 8 PM at Carlson Funeral Home, 45 Franklin Square, New Britain, CT. Funeral service will be private. Donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 306 Industrial Park Road, Suite 105, Middletown, CT 06457. Please share a memory or note of

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“ Dear Jack,  
You always called me Sarah Bernhart when I was growing up. An actress I did not become, but it was always a thought in my mind because of you.  
I am so glad that we all had the opportunity to spend the evening together at my Mom and Dad's 60th anniversary party.  
I also don't want you to worry, I'll drive Viv and Barb to the mall!  
God Speed Jack!

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**Carol Maselbas Shappy** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM