



Raymond F. Hoffman

May 21, 1922 - May 18, 2006

Raymond Hoffman, 83, of New Britain died Thursday May 18, 2006 at New Britain General Hospital. A native and lifelong New Britain resident, Ray was a graduate of New Britain High School, class of 1940 and Renssalaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, NY. A World War II US Army veteran, he was employed at Stanley Tool Division of Stanley Works for 37 years, retiring in 1986. Raymond was an active member and former treasurer of Trinity United Methodist Church in New Britain. He was treasurer of the NBHS class of 1940 Reunion Committee; was a former member of the Board of Directors of the Stanley Works Credit Union; and was a member of Unity Lodge AF&AM. He is survived by his wife and best friend, Shirley Darling Hoffman; a daughter, Linda Hoffman-Keith of Avon; two sons, Bruce Hoffman and his wife Virginia of Bethlehem; and Guy Hoffman and his wife Dawn of Berlin; eight grandchildren, Rebecca, Stephanie, Allison, and Lindsey Hoffman; Scott Keith and his wife Michelle; James Keith and his wife Angela; Heidi Keith and her companion Travis Downey; and Melanie Clark and her husband Joseph; four great grandchildren, Owen Clark, Ashley, Saige and Aiden Keith; several loving nieces and nephews. Ray was predeceased by his sister, Mae Hoffman.

A memorial service will be held Monday 11 AM at Trinity United Methodist Church, 19 Chestnut Street, New Britain, CT 06051. Burial will be at the convenience of the family at Rose Hill Memorial Park prior to the Memorial service. Calling hours are SATURDAY afternoon 3 to 6 PM at the Carlson

Funeral Home 45 Franklin Square, New Britain. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Trinity United Methodist Memorial Fund.

Please share a memory or words of sympathy with Ray's family on our online guestbook by "clicking" GUESTBOOK at the bottom of the page.

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“ Dear Family Members,
I was so sorry to read about Ray's passing. I had the privilege of working with Ray at Stanley Tools many years ago I worked in accts.payable dept.and found him to be so helpful and a true gentleman. It wasn't until reading the newspaper memorial that I learned he, like my own father, was a graduate of RPI and had served also in the Army. I'm so glad to have known him.My sincere condolences to all of you. May God Bless you--Kathy Ordonez

Kathy Ordonez - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Guy,

Sorry about your dad - also sorry I could not be there on Saturday. I was caring for a sickly Abigail stomach virus while Sally and Tony went out. I know you and your family will miss your dad, especially on the the yearly pilgrimage to the Lake.

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Albert Iacobucci - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM