



Edwin Skolka

March 15, 2003

Edwin "Ed" J. Skolka of Stevensville, MD died at the Future Care of the Chesapeake Nursing Home in Arnold, MD on Saturday, March 15, 2003. He was 78.

Mr. Skolka was born on May 19, 1924 in Long Island, NY, son of the late Jerry and Anna Cjka Skolka. After graduating from John Adams High School in Queens, NY, he enlisted in the United States Army and during WWII he served in the Army Air Force, training to become a pilot. He was honorably discharged on October 25, 1945. On August 29, 1953 he married, Mary Ann Dotson of Cuyahoga Falls, OH and they resided in Wichita, KS. While residing in Kansas, he attended Wichita University and received an Aeronautical Engineering degree. After graduation, he and his wife moved to Baltimore, MD and he was employed with Martin Company. After an estimated six years, he began working for NASA as an Aero Space Engineer. After moving from Baltimore to Severna Park, MD, where they resided for 15 years, he and his wife moved to the Eastern Shore of Maryland, residing in Stevensville.

He was a member of A.F & A. M Masonic Lodge in Akron, OH and the Kent Island Yacht Club. He enjoyed boating, reading, and spending time with his grandchildren.

In addition to his wife, Mary Ann, he is survived by two sons, Douglas A.

Skolka of Stevensville, MD and Dr. James M. Skolka of Salisbury, MD; one brother, Kenneth M. Skolka of Wayne, PA and four grandchildren, Megan I. Skolka of Stevensville, MD, Kayte R. Skolka of Salisbury, MD, Sarah A. Skolka of Salisbury, MD and Stephanie A. Skolka of Stevensville, MD. One son, Thomas E. Skolka, and one brother, Jerry Skolka, predeceased him.

A graveside service will be held at Crownsville Veterans Cemetery on Wednesday, March 19, 2003 at 1 PM. Family and friends may call at the Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home in Chester, MD on Tuesday, March 18, 2003 between the hours of 2 PM to 4 PM and 6 PM to 8 PM.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Leukemia Society of Maryland Chapter, 8600 LaSalle Road, Chester Building, Suite 314 Baltimore, MD 21286-2011.

Tribute Wall



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October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Edwin Skolka

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Edwin Skolka

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM