



## Eugene M. Brandus

November 19, 1932 - January 26, 2018

Eugene M. Brandus (Gene) died on Friday, January 26, 2018, at the University of Maryland Shore Regional Health Center. He was 85 years old.

A Brooklyn native, Gene was the son of the late Edward and Shirley Brandus.

He served in the United States Air Force, seeing service in Japan and Korea during the Korean War. Following his military service, Gene attended Brooklyn College and graduated from the Television Workshop of New York. After working at local television stations in Connecticut, Michigan and Virginia, Gene joined the engineering staff of the ABC News Washington Bureau in 1963. In more than thirty years at ABC News, he worked on many historical events, including the funeral of President John F. Kennedy and multiple presidential inaugurations. He was the sole television cameraman in the Oval Office on the night that the first men landed on the moon. He was also a part of ABC's engineering crew during coverage of Olympic Games in Lake Placid and Los Angeles. He retired from ABC News in the position of Master Control Engineer.

He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Rosemary; sons Mark (Lynn), Paul (Kathryn); and daughter, Sharon Owens (Jeff); and seven grandchildren, Chris, Kate, and Grace Brandus, Justin, Brian and Kyle Owens, and Julia Brandus.

Burial will be private at Arlington National Cemetery at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Talbot Hospice, 586 Cynwood Drive, Easton, MD 21601 or the USO, 2111 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA, 22201.

# Tribute Wall



“ Eugene M. Brandus

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Eugene M. Brandus

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Eugene M. Brandus

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ Rosemary & Family,

**william bailey** - February 24, 2018 at 06:05 PM



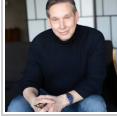
“ We send our love and prayers to all the family at this difficult time.  
May Gene rest in peace ! Barbara and Jack

**Barbara and Jack Troutner** - January 31, 2018 at 12:28 PM



“ Very sorry for your loss. I have fond memories of my years as  
Gene's neighbor. My sympathy to the family.

**Robert Coufal** - January 29, 2018 at 08:18 PM



*Thank you, Mr. Coufal - so nice of you. I hope this finds you happy and healthy - where are you? Paul*

**Paul Brandus** - January 29, 2018 at 10:06 PM



*Thank you Mr. Coufal.*

**Sharon Owens** - January 29, 2018 at 11:23 PM



*I'm very sorry for your loss Paul and Brandus family. I was just with my Dad last week and had asked about your parents. He said they were living back in Maryland. I will chant for your family in my prayers today.*

**Liz Latham** - January 30, 2018 at 08:04 AM



*Sincere condolences to all of the Brandus family. Many warm memories of carpooling to ABC and time spent in central switching. May he rest in peace.*

**Patricia Beck Ryan** - January 30, 2018 at 08:47 AM



*Condolences on your loss. We at Sharon's workplace offer our sympathy and prayers.*

**David Shaw** - January 30, 2018 at 03:56 PM