



James E. Phillips

May 4, 2006

James Eugene Phillips of Stevensville, MD died Thursday, May 4, 2006 at Anne Arundel Medical Center, Annapolis, MD. He was 87.

Born on September 1, 1918 in Takoma Park, MD he was the son of the late, Maurice & Virginia Clark Phillips. He was a graduate from Gonzaga High School class of 1935. After high school, Mr. Phillips attended American University and studied law and business. In 1938, he was drafted into the U.S. Army and served during WWII stationed in Onwattoo Island in Hawaii and fought on Palau Island. After Mr. Phillips was honorably discharged he returned home and began his career with the Federal Government as a supervisor in personnel management with the Department of Defense, Veterans Administration, Internal Revenue Service, Federal Aviation Administration and the Department of Transportation. In 1951, he met and married Maria Rosa Casbarian. In 1964, they made their home in Stevensville, MD. He retired in 1981 and during his retirement he received Associates of Arts degrees in Art History, Business Administration and Political Science from Chesapeake College in Wye Mills, MD. He enjoyed reading, exercising, painting, sang with a barber shop quartet, sang with and was a member of St. Christopher's Catholic Church Choir, participated in the Kent Island Lions Club where he served as Governor from 1976-1977. Mr. Phillips was also a member of Bay Country Moose Lodge in Queenstown, MD and American Legion Post #278.

He is survived by his wife of fifty-five years, Maria "Mary" Rosa Phillips of Stevensville; three daughters, Tracy Young of Stevensville, Stephanie and husband Ron Ullrich of Queenstown, MD and Christina Marie and husband John Zimmerman of Silver Spring, MD; a son Randy Phillips of Portland, Maine; six (6) grandchildren, Amy Conover, Tara Schultz, Shawna Jones, Jason Young, John Paul and Marie Rosa; and three (3) great grandchildren, Cody Wood, Mackenzie Schultz and Jamisene Schultz. A daughter Janis Phillips (1994) and brother Richard "Dick" Phillips, sisters Ruth McKay and Sally Grounsell all predeceased him.

Family and friends may visit from 2-4pm and 6-8pm on Monday, May 8, 2006 at Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P. A., Chester, MD where funeral services will be held at 11am on Tuesday, May 9, 2006. Interment will be held in Stevensville Cemetery, Stevensville, MD.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions be made to: Alzheimer's Association, Eastern Shore Chapter, 213 West Main Street, Suite 205, Salisbury, MD 21801.

Tribute Wall



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October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



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January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



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