



Millard E. "Pete" Quinn

July 8, 1921 - July 7, 2013

Millard Edward "Pete" Quinn passed away peacefully on July 7, 2013, with his loving wife by his side, after an illness of several months.

Born at Love Point, MD, on July 8, 1921, he was the son of the late William L. Quinn and Janie Quinn. He was preceded in death by his brothers Bill and Jack, and his sisters Jane Burns and Emily Jones.

He served his country in World War II for three years, as a Supply Master Sergeant in the US Army on the island of New Caledonia, in the Pacific Theatre.

For a short time, he drove long distance tractor trailers to New York City. He was also a talented carpenter, helping to build the first Chesapeake Bay Bridge, and also the Kent Island Fire House, and the Grasonville VFW, both of which he was a founding charter member. Most of his life he was a waterman, clamming and oystering on the bay on his various boats, his favorite of which was the "Two Roses." He was also a seafood sales manager for Carnabucci Seafood and United Shellfish. Later in life, he was a courier for National Health Labs. He believed the key to his 91 years was honesty and hard work, along with the love of family.

Pete lived his entire life on the Eastern Shore, and met the love of his life,

Rose, in 1941, marrying her six months later on the fourth of July. They settled in Grasonville and built a house there where they lived together until his recent illness, and where they raised their daughter, Roseanne.

Pete loved baseball and spent many years with a traveling team of his lifelong buddies, playing competitive ball well into his thirties. Pete enjoyed driving on long trips to Florida and the Gatlinburg TN area, vacationing at the Majestic Hotel in Ocean City, keeping up with local news, watching the Orioles play baseball, and being outside, working in his yard, and on his house.

He will always be remembered for his ability to tease a smile out of anyone, his love of children, his endless curiosity about people and places, his great memory for the little details of life, and his generous, loving heart.

He adored his wife and daughter, and he will be terribly missed.

Pete is survived by his wife of 72 years, Ros;, his daughter, Roseanne, and her husband, Alan, and his sweet dog, Buddy. He is also survived by numerous special nieces and nephews, and their children, most especially the ones who travelled with him on this journey, Rena and Roger Dye, Nicole Ransom, and Reggie Jones.

A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, July 11, at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Chester, MD, where the family will receive friends beginning at 10 a.m.

Burial will follow at Woodlawn Memorial Park, Easton, MD.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Memorial Park

11365 Ocean Gateway
Easton, MD 21601

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 11. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Chester Location / Kent Island
106 Shamrock Road
Chester, MD 21619
(410) 643-2226
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Millard E. "Pete" Quinn*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Millard E. "Pete" Quinn*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Millard E. "Pete" Quinn*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Miss Rose and RoseAnne,
I just heard about Mr. Pete and I am so sorry.
I will always remember the trips you took me
on and the fun we used to have together.
Both of you and Mr. Pete are very special
people to me. May God wrap His loving arms around you and
comfort you as only He can do at this time. My love and sincere
sympathy to you and yours, Kathy Lantz*



Kathy Lantz - July 15, 2013 at 04:15 PM



“ *Gene And Lynda Palmatary sent a virtual gift in
memory of Millard E. "Pete" Quinn*



Gene and Lynda Palmatary - July 13, 2013 at 07:53 AM

GP

Ms. Rose: Thinking of you at this time in our prayers and thoughts in the loss of your husband. Gene and Lynda Palmatary, Centreville.

Gene and Lynda Palmatary - July 13, 2013 at 07:54 AM

KG

“ *Miss Rose, I am so sorry for your loss! I will always remember how kind and sweet both of you have been. The girls both loved you alot. May Mr. Pete rest in peace! Bless you and the family.*

Kim Greenly - July 10, 2013 at 05:17 PM

EW

“ *Roseanne:*

My deepest sympathies to you and your mother. The beautifully written obituary and your devotion to your father through his life, especially during his recent illness, serves as a true testament of your love.

Ed Wetterman

Ed Wetterman - July 10, 2013 at 09:19 AM

FE

“ *I recently read about the loss of your dear loved one. Although we are not acquainted personally please accept my condolences. Psalms 90:10 says "in themselves the days of our years are seventy years; and it's because of special mightiness they are eighty years..." Amazing! Cherish the memories and the times you shared. May the God of comfort continue to be with you during this difficult time.*

Felicia - July 10, 2013 at 05:55 AM

WS

“ *Ms. Rose, My brother and I are so sorry for the loss of Mr. Pete. Our prayers and thoughts are with you, your lovely daughter, Roseanne, and the rest of the family. Please do not hesitate to call if any of you need anything.*



Wilma (Shaulis) Phoebus and Bill Shaulis - July 10, 2013 at 02:58 AM

CS

“ *Roseanne --*

I am so sorry for the loss of your father. It is evident in how much you loved your dad by all the time you spent with him and by bringing your mother to see him every day. He sounds like he was a wonderful man - and that he loved you and your mother very much - his Two Roses. May you have comfort in the fact that he will live in your heart forever.

Please let me know if there is anything I can do for you.

Carol Smouse

Carol Smouse - July 09, 2013 at 10:17 AM

JC

“ *Roseanne...words will never suffice, however please know that our love, prayers and thoughts are with you and your mom.*

John & Muffy Caputo

John Caputo - July 09, 2013 at 08:16 AM

EK

“ Roseanne...at this difficult time the love you gave your father will sustain you and give you the strength to get through these sad times. You did everything in your power to help your father with his illness and he new it. That special bond you and your father had is rare and you lived it.
I am thinking of you and your family.
Enid Kiely

Enid Kiely - July 09, 2013 at 08:13 AM

JA

“ Roseanne- I was sorry to hear about the passing of your Dad. What great memories you have to help you through the difficult days! What a remarkable accomplishment to have been married for 71 years, and..... to the same person! Take care and please know that my thoughts are with you!
Jane Anthony

Jane Anthony - July 08, 2013 at 08:27 PM

PB

Roseanne,
What a wonderful tribute to your Dad...he was a fine person who obviously enjoyed life. Please know that you and your Mother are in my thoughts and prayers !
Pam Bailey

Pam Bailey - July 09, 2013 at 03:27 PM