



Arthur J. Grant, Jr.

September 17, 1925 - September 11, 2014

Albany-Arthur J. Grant, Jr, six days short of his 89th birthday, died Thursday, September 11, 2014 at Baptist Health Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Scotia. Born in Ashburnham, MA, he was raised by the Sisters of the Presentation at St. Coleman's Home, Watervliet and by the Christian Brothers of LaSalle School, Western Ave., Albany. He attended Vincentian Institute, Albany, NY. Arthur retired in 1995 from Vulcan Properties, Menands.

Mr. Grant was a WW II US Army Veteran. He served his Country honorably in the 100th Infantry Division in the European Theater, and was awarded a Purple Heart. Mr. Grant's Division saw action in some of the most epic and fierce battles and campaigns of the war, including Ardennes, Central Europe, Northern France, Rhineland and Normandy. In addition to his Purple Heart, he was also awarded the African East Europe Medal with five Battle Stars, along with several other decorations.

He was a life member of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the Disabled Veterans of America. Mr. Grant was a member of the North Albany American Legion Post 1610, and Elks Lodge 49 for 25 years.

Mr. Grant was a hardworking man who enjoyed NY Giants Football, Detroit Tigers Baseball, and in his younger days was quite the dart player.

Art had an abiding love for children, and in this he and his wife were blessed with 8 children, 15 grandchildren, 27 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren. He was predeceased by his wife Catherine Kindlon Grant, his daughter Catherine, his sons Arthur and Roy (Shirley), his brothers James and Roy and his sisters Lena, and Mary.

He is survived by his daughters Linda Duboy (late Bob), Carolyn Carr (Charles), Annamarie DiToro (Joseph) and his sons Francis (Bridget) and Edward, who is in a nursing home suffering from a chronic illness (late Karen); several nieces and nephews also survive.

The family would like to offer a heartfelt thank you to the staff at Baptist Health Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, H-3 for their kind and compassionate care.

Funeral services Monday, September 15, 2014 at 11:30 am in the McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany thence to the Parish of Mater Christi, Albany at 12:00 pm where a Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated.

Relatives and friends are invited and may visit Sunday, September 14, 2014 4:00 to 7:00 pm in the funeral home.

Interment Calvary Cemetery, Glenmont.

To leave a message for the family, please visit www.McveighFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

481 Route 9W
Glenmont, NY

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **14**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Service

SEP **15**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Parish of Mater Christi
40 Hopewell Street (Rev. Kenneth J. Doyle Way)
Albany, NY 12208

Tribute Wall



“ *McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Arthur J. Grant, Jr.*



McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. - September 12, 2014 at 01:30 PM



Beautiful

Elaine Hirt - September 14, 2014 at 12:26 PM



“ *Arthur J. Grant, Jr.*

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ *My sincere condolences. May the words at Isaiah 25:8 bring you comfort during this difficult time " He will swallow up death forever, And the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces."*

Montana W. - December 31, 2015 at 05:49 PM

CT

“ Carolyn and Family,

My deepest sympathy to you and your loved ones. Your dad is home now and at peace.

Chris Taranto

Christine Taranto - September 15, 2014 at 11:17 AM



“ Sorry for you loss i remember bringing ed to his fathers house to help with yard work the times i met Arthur he was a good man rest in piece

Mike Polec - September 14, 2014 at 04:32 PM

LB

“ Sorry to hear of your loss, wish that I could tell you in person, but I will not be able to attend the service. Many fond memories of time spent with your Dad and Mom. May God help you find comfort in the memories that are yours to cherish always and strength in the companionship of those that share your loss. Wishing you much love.

Cousin Leona Beach

Leona Beach - September 14, 2014 at 02:11 PM

BG

“ Great father in law, great conversationalist, great friend. Wishing you godspeed Art. Peace.

Bridget Morrissey Grant

Bridget Morrissey Grant - September 13, 2014 at 05:26 PM

MS

“ I am so sorry to hear about Art's recent passing. He was a good friend and very loyal employee for so many years at 800 North Pearl Street. I will truly miss him.

My condolences to all of Art's family.

Sincerely,

Mark Simmons

Mark Simmons - September 13, 2014 at 11:10 AM

JL

“ So sorry to hear about Grandpa Grant's passing. He was always such a sweet and gentle person. Thinking of you all.

Jeannie and Cos Lorica

Jeannie and Cos Lorica - September 13, 2014 at 09:16 AM

CP

“ You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

cathy pastore - September 13, 2014 at 09:04 AM

EH

“ I have lots of memories of Art besides being a wonderful, caring and loving person. But the one memory I will never forget is attending a party and he asked me to dance with him. I think it was the fox trot or something like that. Although I did not know what I was doing I enjoyed the dance and was honored that he asked me to dance with him. Art may you rest in peace and somewhere in heaven I am pretty sure they may be a dart board. Until we meet again Peace and Love Elaine Hirt



Elaine Hirt - September 13, 2014 at 09:02 AM

CP

“ Cathy Pastore lit a candle in memory of Arthur J. Grant, Jr.



cathy pastore - September 13, 2014 at 08:49 AM