



George J Bender

April 4, 1926 - December 10, 2012

George J. Bender, Salisbury died on December 10, 2012. Born on Easter Sunday, April 4, 1926 in Brooklyn, N.Y. Upon graduation from Fort Lee (NJ) High School, he served in the US Marine Corp First Division as Sargent during WWII in Okinawa earning two Purple Hearts and combat medals. He also attended New York University after his discharge. Mr. Bender retired from New York Telephone.

He leaves behind a loving wife Lovern Roxby Bender whom he married on December 19, 1981. They are the parents of Robert (Denise) Bender, Lisa (David) Bogdon, Margaret (Tony) Pethel, John (Lahni) Gorman, and Edward Bender. George P. Bender and John Bender predeceased him. He also leaves nine grandsons, four granddaughters, one great-grandson, two great-granddaughters, two sisters Kathryn Tricarico and Mary Clarke, and several nieces and nephews.

He had been a member of the Telephone Pioneers; VFW Post Saddle Brook N.J.; Harold B. Jarrett Post; JF Hurley YMCA; and RFS Center. He was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Ruffy Holmes Senior Center Exercise Department in his name. A private ceremony is being planned.

Summersett Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Online condolences may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Lovern,
Sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.
Sincerely,
Jim Baird*”

December 22, 2012 at 08:53 AM



“ *Robert, Peggy and Ed I am so sorry for the loss of your father. It is truly a blessing that the three of you were by his side when the Lord took him to his kingdom of peace and happiness. Take comfort in knowing the love you shared will keep him close forever. The three of you are in my thoughts and prayers now and throughout the difficult days to come.*”

December 19, 2012 at 10:17 PM



“ *Lovern: We were so sorry to hear of George's passing. Why did you not let us know? I see that you would like donations to go to the Ruffy Homes Center. I will get a check out to them ASAP for George's memorian. We are truly sorry for your loss.*”

December 19, 2012 at 11:41 AM