



Charles J. Purcell

November 8, 1932 - May 22, 2019

Charles J. Purcell, loving husband and father, age 86 years, of Catskill, passed away on May 22, 2019 at Columbia Memorial Hospital, Hudson, N.Y. He was born on November 8, 1932 in Archibald, PA., and is the son of the late Joseph and Alice (Reedy) Purcell.

Besides his parents, Charles is predeceased by his wife of 45 years, Lois in 2008, sharing an incredible love and devotion to one another.

Charles is also predeceased by his brother Robert and his sister Alice.

Survivors include his daughter Nancy and her husband George and his son Joseph and his wife Colleen, and two grandsons Timothy Nichols and Evan Purcell.

During Charles' lifetime he served his country proudly in The United States Army during The Korean Conflict, he was a retiree after thirty years of employment from The A and J Washroom Accessories Company as plant manager, and he enjoyed being a pilot.

Charles was a loving, kind and generous man.

Relatives and friends are cordially invited to memorial services on Wednesday, May 29, 2019, at 6:00P.M. at Richards Funeral Home, 29 Bross Street, Cairo, N.Y., with Honor Guard services taking place at the funeral home at that time.

Contributions in his memory may be made to The American Cancer Society, Memorial Processing Center, 6725 Lyons Street, P.O. Box 7, East Syracuse, N.Y. 13057 or to The American Diabetes Association, National Processing

Center, P.O. Box 13067, Alexandria, VA 22312.

Condolences may be made at www.richardsfuneralhomeinc.net.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY **22**. 6:00 PM (ET)

Richards Funeral Home - Cairo
P.O. Box # 383
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Cairo, NY 12413
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Honor Guard Services

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Tribute Wall



“ Charlie.....hands down the nicest person I've ever met. A caring soul and an awesome dad to Nancy and Joe. I've always admired the Love and support he gave them through the years. He was my favorite volunteer at our community thanksgiving dinners. Rest in peace, you will be missed.



Anne Marie Butler Moran - May 29, 2019 at 09:45 PM

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Charlie was the best! He will be missed💔

karen Lynch - May 30, 2019 at 05:18 PM

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“ Charlie was a Cairo Public Library Board Member during the time of the building of the new library. He was a faithful part of the board. We all came to love Charlie for his peace and calm at our decision making meetings. He was a lovely man and we were glad the Board had him along for our ride. Dottie True

Dorothy True - May 28, 2019 at 05:33 PM

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“ Chuck was very special to our family,we sure will miss him. My prays goes out to this family.



Agnes Alfeld - May 24, 2019 at 01:37 PM