



John G. Hovanec

February 22, 1922 - April 6, 2015

John G. Hovanec, age 93, husband of the late Margaret (Peel) Hovanec, of Royersford, passed away on Monday, April 6, 2015 in the Phoenixville Hospital. Born in Kimberton, he was a son of the late Dominic and Mary (Repack) Hovanec.

Mr. Hovanec served in the United States Army during World War II, where he was captured in Italy and spent just over one year as a Prisoner of War in a German Prison Camp. He was the owner of the former Hovanec's Tree Service in Phoenixville, and would often travel to participate in bowling tournaments.

Mr. Hovanec is survived by one daughter, Mary J. Hovanec of Royersford; one brother, Joseph A. Hovanec of Denver, CO; three nephews, Richard, Edward, and Robert Stevens and one niece, Sandra Stevens. He was predeceased by five siblings, Anthony, Frank, Margaret, Mary, and Janet Hovanec.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend his funeral service at the Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc., Main Street at Fifth Avenue, Phoenixville on Thursday, April 9, 2015 at 2:00 PM. Visitation will take place in the funeral home from 1:00-2:00 PM. Burial will take place in the Washington Crossing National Cemetery, 830 Highland Road, Newtown, PA 18940 on Friday, April 10, 2015 at 10:30 AM. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made

in his name to the Ovarian Cancer Research Fund, 14 Penn Plaza, New York, NY 10122. Condolences may be offered online by visiting www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

Washington Crossing National Cemetery

830 Highland Road
Newtown, PA 18940

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 9. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Campbell - Ennis - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc.
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Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ a so sorry to hear of your Father'a passing. You were a true friend to me in Beauty School and I felt as if I knew your Father because he took such good care of you. It looks as if you returned the favor. May he rest in peace. Love, Sandy Quigg

S. Quigg - April 09, 2015 at 10:13 AM

GB

“ Mary,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you. I agree with Kay that your dad was a true hero and you have been a loving and devoted daughter.
Gail Buerkel

Gail Buerkel - April 08, 2015 at 10:14 AM

KW

“ Mary, my thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. Your dad was a true hero and a great father from what I've seen, and you were very blessed to have such a wonderful person in your life for so long. He was equally blessed to have you as his loving and devoted daughter. - Kay Washko

Kay Washko - April 08, 2015 at 09:20 AM

JH

“ *My brother John served in World War II, was captured in the Alps, and was taken prisoner. He was a proud veteran. John will always be my hero and will be sadly missed by his younger brother, Joseph, a WWII Marine.*

Condolences to John's grieving family, especially to daughter Mary for taking such wonderful care of her father.

Love,

Sara and Joseph Hovanec

Joseph Hovanec - April 07, 2015 at 08:33 PM