



Mr. Frederick "Pete" Wilkinson

June 5, 1925 - January 26, 2014

Frederick "Pete" M. Wilkinson, 88, of 7344 Jackson Dr. San Diego, Calif., died early Sunday morning, January 26, 2014, surrounded by his family and caregiver Lucy. Pete was born in Montpelier, Vermont on June 5, 1925, he was the son of the late Chase and Dora Miller Wilkinson. Pete was a proud veteran of World War II having served in the US Navy Pacific Theatre until his discharge on May 28, 1946. After the war Pete came to Pittsfield for work and met his future wife the late Victoria Colagiacommo who predeceased him in March 1985. He was a long time member of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church. Pete worked for General Electric Naval Ordnance Systems for 38 years until his retirement in May 1985. He was an avid golfer and a member of Wahconah Country Club until 2008 when he moved to San Diego to live with his son and daughter-in-law. His oldest son Bruce predeceased him on February 24, 2008. He leaves his son Jeri Wilkinson and daughter -in-law Teresa Wilkinson of San Diego, his daughter-in-law Nancy Wilkinson of Pittsfield; a sister, Flossie Jones of Cincinnati, OH; two grandsons, Jason Wilkinson of Palm Desert, Calif., and Brian Wilkinson of Pittsfield. Besides his son, Mr. Wilkinson was predeceased by a sister, Grace Jones and two brothers, Robert Wilkinson and Gerald Wilkinson. The family really thanks Pete's caregiver Lucy Zachay of San Diego who took incredible care of him over the last 6 months.

Funeral Notice:

Funeral services for Mr. Frederick "Pete" M. Wilkinson will be Wednesday,

February 5, 2014 at 10 a.m. from the Dwyer Funeral Home, 776 North St., Pittsfield with a Requiem Eucharist service at 11 a.m. at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, celebrated by the Rev. Cricket Cooper. Burial will follow in Pittsfield Cemetery. Calling hours at the funeral home will be Tuesday, February 4, 2014 from 4 to 7 p.m. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association. DONATIONS CANNOT BE MADE ONLINE, but may be made through the Dwyer Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Pittsfield Cemetery

203 Wahconah St.
Pittsfield, MA 01201

Previous Events

Service

FEB 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Stephen's Episcopal Church
67 East St.
Pittsfield, MA 01201

Tribute Wall



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Mr. Frederick "Pete" Wilkinson.*



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