



Mr. Ralph V. Osborn

November 11, 1935 - August 11, 2013

Mr. Ralph V. Osborn, Jr. 77, of Pittsfield died Sunday August 11, 2013 at Mt. Greylock Extended

Care Facility after a brief illness.

Born in Norwalk, CT on November 11, 1935 he was the son of the late Ralph V. Osborn Sr. and

Ruth Scharmer Osborn Warner. He lived in Stamford, CT. until age 13 when the family moved to

Canaan, CT.

He graduated from Housatonic Valley Regional High School in Falls Village, Ct. in 1954. He

attended Rensselaer Polytechnical Institute in Troy, NY for two years and then graduated from

North Adams State College, (MCLA) with a degree in physics.

Mr. Osborn worked at General Electric Co. (Ordnance Dept) for over forty years starting as a

Technical Writer and retiring as a Program Engineer from General Dynamics.

He served in the United States Army from 1958-1961.

He enjoyed gourmet cooking, classical music, woodworking and tending his vegetable garden.

He leaves his wife the former Rita A. Mackey whom he married on May 5, 1962 at St. Mary the

Morning Star Church.

Besides his wife he leaves his loving children: daughters Elizabeth A. Bruce and husband

Dennis of Acton, MA; Katherine R. DiNicola and husband Mark of Clifton Park, NY and a son

Shaun C. Osborn of Pittsfield.

He also leaves his two adored grandchildren, Andrew Bruce and Caroline Bruce of Acton, MA:

A sister-in-law Mary L. Ward of Pittsfield; nephews Michael L. Ward and wife Jennifer of

Pittsfield, Daniel T. Ward and his wife LiSing of Boston, MA and a niece Margaret L. Ward of

Newton, MA.

He was predeceased by a brother-in-law Tyrone Ward and his step-father Theodore Warner.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Mr. Ralph V. Osborn Jr. died Sunday August 11, 2013.

Funeral services will be Friday August 16, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. from the DWYER FUNERAL HOME with a

Liturgy of Christian Burial at 11:00 a.m. in St. Agnes Church in Dalton, MA celebrated by Rev.

Christopher Malatesta, Pastor. Burial will follow in St. Joseph Cemetery in Pittsfield.

Calling hours will be at the DWYER FUNERAL HOME on Thursday August 15, 2013, from 4 to 7 p.m..

If friends desire donations may be made to the Eleanor Sonsini Animal Shelter care of the

DWYER FUNERAL HOME 776 North St. Pittsfield, MA 01201

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