



Albert T. Arlotto

March 25, 1917 - December 2, 2009

Mr. Albert T. Arlotto, age 92, of New Hartford, passed away on Wednesday, December 2, 2009 at the Faxton-St. Luke's Healthcare Center with his family by his side.

Born in Utica on March 25, 1917, Albert was the son of the late Joseph M. and Mary R. (Rizzo) Arlotto. Raised and educated locally, he graduated from Utica Free Academy in 1935. A proud veteran of World War II, he served from 1941-1945 with the U.S. Army's 158th Infantry Regimental Combat Team in the Pacific Theater of Operations, participating in campaigns in New Guinea and various other islands. He earned a bronze star for heroic achievement and was honorably discharged with the rank of Staff Sergeant. Upon his return home at the conclusion of the war, he continued his academic pursuits at Utica College where he studied accounting. On June 9, 1956, he was joined in marriage with the former Shirley McKay with whom he shared a union of 53 years, one that was based upon their enduring love and mutual respect.

From November of 1940 until his retirement in September of 1996, Albert built a successful 56-year career with H.R. Beebe, Inc. Employed initially as an accountant and later serving as Treasurer of the firm, he was a meticulous record-keeper and a conscientious worker, one who truly loved his work and enjoyed performing his various responsibilities. Throughout his long and honorable association with the company, his loyalty and expertise readily earned for him the respect and trust of his colleagues and associates. He was

a past member of the National Association of Accountants.

The dedication, commitment, responsibility, and work ethic which characterized Albert's professional life were so much a part of his nature that they were apparent and deeply meaningful in his personal and family life as well. He was a true gentleman with an even-tempered and gracious personality. He demonstrated his sense of courtesy and his respect for others through his frequent acts of kindness and his constant display of manners to his wife, to his family, and to his friends and associates. In earlier years, Albert liked to spend his leisure time playing golf. He was a communicant of St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish.

Albert is survived by his wife, Shirley; a stepson and daughter-in-law, James M., Sr. and Maureen Tanury of Toddville, Iowa; a stepdaughter and son-in-law, Sandra and Jerry Lane of Rochester; his grandchildren, Steven and Janine Lane, Jeffrey and Danielle Lane, James Tanury, Jr., and Kari Tanury; and his great-grandchildren, Samantha Lynn Lane and K'La Valentine. His survivors also include many nieces and nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews; cousins, Dolores and Nicholas Martellotto; and his in-laws, Wyoma Arlotto, Elizabeth "Betty" Arlotto, Beverly and Marcelino Pagan, and Rose Mary Black. He was predeceased by 3 sisters, Angela Arlotto, Genevieve E. Arlotto, and Abbie M. Arlotto; and 6 brothers and a sister-in-law, Vincent J., Arthur A., Ralph J., Francis E., Joseph J., and Charles V. and Evelyn Arlotto.

The family wishes to thank Albert's primary physician Dr. Roger Breslow, cardiologist Dr. Mark Blaker, the staff and caregivers of the ICU and 4th floor of the Faxton-St Luke's Healthcare Center who were outstanding in their care of Al. Shirley wishes to thank the special friends who have been of great support during these past couple of years.

In keeping with Albert's wishes, visitation will be held at the convenience of the family. Please omit floral offerings. For those wishing to do so, please consider memorial donations in Albert's honor to a charity of choice; envelopes will be available at the service. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend his funeral service which will commence on

Monday morning at 10:30 at St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish where his Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated. The family will receive visitors at the conclusion of Mass. Interment will take place in Cedar Park Cemetery in Hudson, NY at the convenience of the family.

Tribute Wall



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“ Shirley, we are so sorry for your loss!! Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers during this time of need and always!##imported-begin##Scott and Kathleen Rider##imported-end##

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“ My father is a WWII veteran as well and can appreciate the service that Albert gave to his country.##imported-begin##Dean Schmidt##imported-end##

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