



George H Trask II

May 14, 1926 - November 29, 2019

COLEBROOK – George H. Trask II, 93, of Colebrook and formerly of Randolph, Vt., passed away on Friday morning, Nov. 29, 2019, in Colebrook.

He was born on May 14, 1926, in Rochester, Vt., the son of the late John C. and Nellie (Foley) Trask. He was raised in Rochester, but graduated from the Mt. Hermon Prep School in Northfield, Mass., in the class of 1944. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II, from 1944-1946, then attended Lyndon State College and graduated from there in 1952 with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Education. He married Aline Williams on June 28, 1952.

George worked for 20 years as a supervisor for the Brown Company in North Stratford, then moved to Randolph, Vt., and worked for Weyerhaeuser Company and Chesapeake Plywood in Hancock, Vt., for 21 years. He retired in 1992. In retirement, he worked for several years at the Mt. Washington Cog Railroad during school vacations and later held the position of General Manager there for 2 years. He was also employed part-time at the Montague Golf Club for 18 years.

He served on the North Stratford School Board for 9 years. He was a member of the American Legion Post #009, Montpelier Lodge of Elks #924, and a member of the Montague Golf Club.

George enjoyed attending various school events and ballgames in which his children and grandchildren were participating.

George is survived by his children and their spouses, George H. Trask III and Mary Trask of Colebrook, NH, Deborah and Glenn Haskins of Johnston, RI, Robert and Kim Trask of Gilford, NH, and Pamela and Jeff Bouffard of Williston, Vt. He took great enjoyment in his grandchildren, Kevin and Corey Trask, Justin and Lindsey Haskins, and Nicole and Jacob Bouffard.

He was predeceased by his wife, Aline Trask on Christmas, 2018; by his brothers, John C. Trask, Winslow T. Trask, William Trask; and his sister Caroline Wright.

At his request there will be no public calling hours or services. A private graveside service will be held in the spring of 2020 at the Vermont Veterans' Memorial Cemetery in Randolph, Vt.

Condolences may be offered to the family on-line by going to <http://www.jenkinsnewman.com>.

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to the care of Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home, Colbrook, NH.

Comments



“ Buddy and Family,
So Sorry to hear about your Dad! Prayers and thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time!
Lisa, Michael, Katelyn & Nicholas Bouchard

LISA Bouchard - December 10, 2019 at 01:49 PM



“ Bobby and Buddy, so sorry to hear of your Dad passing. He used to tell us some great stories about the Cog.
Charley and Donna.

charles kenison - December 08, 2019 at 03:17 PM



“ Buddy, Mary and family, It was with deep sympathy that I read of the passing of your Dad. I knew him from when I taught in North stratford many years ago. He was on the school board, chairman maybe and we had a few occasions to chat. I found him to be very helpful and very nice. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers., Patty

Patty Hart - December 04, 2019 at 03:10 PM



“ I will never forget the many years at Foley Gymnasium at what was then PSC, with George standing there rocking back and forth with nervous energy, jingling coins in his pocket, and Aline sitting prim and properly with her winter coat folded perfectly in her lap. George just could not stop beaming, and saying hi to everyone from the North Country like it was old home day (... because it was). Condolences to the family, and thank you for the memories.

Jon Frizzell - December 04, 2019 at 08:21 AM



“ Sending our thoughts and prayers to the Trask family. May he rest in peace.

Celeste Riendeau - December 02, 2019 at 10:24 PM



“ Debbie Bedard lit a candle in memory of George H Trask II



Debbie Bedard - December 02, 2019 at 08:18 PM



“ I will never, ever forget the look on your mom and dads faces when you asked for ketchup for filet Mignon at that restaurant! Memories to make you smile! Healing prayers and love to Buddy, Mary and family

Debbie Bedard - December 02, 2019 at 08:21 PM



“ Deepest condolences to Buddy and Mary and family. Thoughts and prayers to all.



Valerie Mahnke - December 02, 2019 at 07:54 PM



“ I first met George in 1972 at the Cog Railway, I remember thinking at the time this guy is a real character. He had me laughing constantly everytime I met him over the next 40 years. Rest well sir.

dave moody - December 02, 2019 at 05:07 PM



“ Buddy and family, so sorry for your loss.
Meg and Brad



Meg Sheltry - December 02, 2019 at 02:03 PM