



James A. Beach

October 19, 2012

Sussex- James Austin Beach, age 84, passed away on Friday, October 19, 2012 at Newton Medical Center. Born in Newark to the late Charles and Edna Beach, he had lived in Kearny for many years and was active in the First Baptist Church. He then moved to Montville Township and then to West Milford before moving to Sussex County 20 years ago. Mr. Beach had served in the United States Air Force during World War II and was devoted to his country. He had been employed as an underground electrician for Public Service (PSE&G) in Irvington and Clifton for 40 years and had retired in 1990. Mr. Beach had attended the Sussex United Methodist Church, a member of the American Legion Post 213 in Sussex, a founding father and Past President of the United Bow Hunters of New Jersey, a long standing member of the New Jersey Field Archery Association, and a long standing member of the Lincoln Park Archery Club. Mr. Beach was a campground host, along with his wife, Marjorie for 2 years at Yellowstone National Park and all his friends knew him best as an avid Giants fan. He was a dedicated Christian man who revolved his life around his family and was especially devoted to his grandchildren and to his newly born great granddaughter. Mr. Beach was predeceased by his wife of 61 years, Marjorie Beach on February 1, 2012 and his brother, Arthur Beach. He is survived by his three daughters, Carolyn Ferguson and her husband Richard of Sussex, Nancy McClelland and her husband Michael of Warwick, NY, and Jeannette Davis and her husband Locke of Chattanooga, TN; his four grandchildren, Sean Ferguson and his

wife Arielle, Katelyn Tanis and her husband Joseph, Colleen Fox and her husband Steven, and Jessica McClelland; his great granddaughter, Sierra Mae Tanis; his two step-granddaughters, Michelle Doherty and Sandra LaVigne and their families. Friends may pay their respects to the family on Tuesday, October 23, 2012 from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. at the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, October 24, 2012 at the Sussex United Methodist Church, 15 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial donations may be made to National Park Service of Yellowstone Park, attn: superintendent, P.O. Box 168, Yellow Stone National Park, Wyoming 82190. Online condolences may be offered to the family on www.PinkelFuneralHome.net.

Tribute Wall

WI

“ I love it that you read at a short story festival. That was one of my favorite parts of this book: it was studded with teeny-tiny short stories. I was sadder when the book ended than most of the novels I've read in the past 5 years.

Wilda - November 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ Nancy- my heart is with you during this time. We will always have our memories and their love deep in our hearts. I will be thinking of you and your family and sending much love to you!

Susan D'Anna - October 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ To family,
My sincere condolences . There is no greater pain than the death of a loved one. Sometimes it seems almost more than a person can bear. Jehovah God helps us with this in His word. He promises us that He will put a stop to all sickness, & death will be no more. Rev 21;3,4 Jehovah shows His love for us through the ramson sacrifice of His beloved son Jesus Christ. What a wonderful gift to be given then the hope of seeing our loved ones again.

Diane Larochelle - October 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ Rest peacefully, Daddy. Fly in the arms of the angels to be with Mom. The love you shared has made our family what it is. Until we are all together again - a part of each of us goes with you.

Nancy - October 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *Jeanette,*
I am so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our prayers.
God bless.

Jeremy McElhaney - October 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM