



Roy W Olsen

April 9, 1925 - May 16, 2016

Augusta- Roy W. Olsen, age 91, passed away on Monday, May 16, 2016 at Morristown Medical Center. Born in Bogota to the late Michael and Charlotte Olsen, he had lived in Upper Saddle River until moving to the Augusta section of Frankford Township in 1976. Mr. Olsen had served in the United States Army during World War II and was a member of the American Legion Post #157 in Branchville and the Frankford Township Zoning Board. He was a Master Carpenter and he owned and operated, Roy W. Olsen Company until his retirement ten years ago. Mr. Olsen was predeceased by his wife, Edna in 2005 and his two brothers, Eugene and Frank Olsen. He is survived by his son, Michael Olsen and his wife Nadine of Branchville; his daughter, Lori Green and her husband George of Florida; five grandchildren, Erik, Michelle, Travis, Christa, and Candace; and his two great grandchildren, Ira and Dominik. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Friday, May 20, 2016 at the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex. Interment to follow at Frankford Plains Cemetery. Friends may pay their respects to the family on Thursday, May 19, 2016 from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. at the funeral home with American Legion services held at 8:30 p.m.. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations may be made to the Holy Spirit Orthodox Church, 102 Route 284, Sussex, NJ 07461, the American Legion Post #157, P.O. Box 536, Branchville, NJ 07826, or to Blue Ridge Rescue Squad, P.O. Box 232, Branchville, NJ 07826. Online condolences may be offered to the family at www.pinkelfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Frankford Plains Cemetery

Plains Road
Frankford Twp, NJ

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 19. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Pinkel Funeral Home, Inc.
31 Bank Street (Route 23)
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Visitation

MAY 19. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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American Legion Services

MAY 19. 8:30 PM (ET)

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Service

MAY 20. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RG

“ Roy was fortunate to enjoy life to the fullest even into his 90's still singing at karaoke. I am so sorry for your loss - he will be greatly missed! Rosemary (Rodeo Roe) Gaeta from AZ

rosemary Gaeta - May 20, 2016 at 11:18 AM

VM

“ Dear Mike and Nadine,

Richard & I send our Condolences. Your Dad was a Great Guy and always helping others. A Real Blessing to those he came in contact with. He always made me laugh when he found out I (Vicky) shared the same birthday, April 9.

He will be missed.

Regards

Vicky & Dick Martin

victoria martin - May 19, 2016 at 11:10 AM

CB

“ Dear Mike!

I was saddened to hear of Roy's passing, and wanted to express my deepest sympathies to you and your family. I wanted to attend the wake but, I am flying to Chicago today for a job interview.

While I've only known Roy for a short time, since I started hosting karaoke at the legion just over a year ago, I always looked forward to seeing him on those nights. He inspired me to keep going, despite my age, and I enjoyed watching him as he was thoroughly immersed in his performances. He truly enjoyed singing, for himself and the crowd. I know he will be missed by the folks at the legion. I know I will certainly miss him!

*With thoughts and prayers,
Charlie Belfiore
(The Karaoke Cover for Pat)*

Charlie Belfiore - May 19, 2016 at 10:31 AM

TR

“ *The Goytills and Diane Redner purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Roy W Olsen.*



The Goytills and Diane Redner - May 19, 2016 at 08:00 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Roy W Olsen.*



May 18, 2016 at 03:05 PM



“ *R.I.P. my friend. You made Thursday night Karaoke fun for all of us. Just like Norm on Cheers, your seat at the end of the bar was always filled with laughter. You will be missed my friend.*



DJ Pat - May 16, 2016 at 05:06 PM