



Bryce G. Thornton

January 24, 1927 - August 29, 2016

Bryce G. Thornton, 89, of Concord Twp., passed away August 29, 2016 at his home. He was born January 24, 1927 in Windsor, Ontario.

Bryce was a loving husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. Born in Windsor, Ontario, Canada on January 24, 1927, as a child, he and his family moved back to their hometown of Fraserburgh, Scotland. He moved to the USA in 1947, sponsored by his uncle in Detroit. Bryce met and married his wife, Mavis, before serving in the US Army in Korea. He attained a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering from Lawrence Technological University, and spent his career in the engineering field earning numerous patent awards at a number of companies before retiring from Johnson and Johnson. Bryce enjoyed repairing and restoring autos, home projects, bridge, had a deep fondness for his pets, and was known as a good dance partner.

Survivors include his daughter and son, Linda Darling, and David Thornton (Joe Beaver), granddaughters Rachel Darling, Whitney Darling-Cornelius (Jason), and Merill Darling (Paul "Joe" Addy) and great-grandson Bryce Cornelius

He is preceded in death by his parents, Alexander Wood Thornton and Jessie Hill Low Thornton (née Taylor), sister, Catherine Beaton, and wife, Mavis M. Thornton (née Evans).

Funeral service will be held 1 p.m. Tuesday September 6, 2016 at the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor. The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. until the time of the service on Tuesday at the funeral home.

Interment will be at Concord Twp. Cemetery.

Contributions may be made in Mr. Thornton's memory to the Lake County Humane Society, 7564 Tyler Blvd., Mentor, OH 44060.

Send flowers and offer condolences at www.brunners.com

Cemetery Details

Concord Twp. Cemetery

11650 Concord Hambden Rd
Concord Twp, OH 44077

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 6. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ As a volunteer for Hospice of the Western Reserve I met and visited Mr Thornton weekly for months. I got to know him and his daughter Linda Darling and always felt welcomed and comfortable in their home. I had several discussions with Mr Thornton and found him to be most interesting. From time to time he shared some very interesting memories with me. I'm going to miss him and his daughter and wish Gods richest blessings on the family.

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