



Henry A. "Hank" Gorjanc

April 28, 1926 - May 24, 2014

Henry A. "Hank" Gorjanc, age 88, a longtime Mentor resident, passed away Saturday May 24, 2014 at his residence surrounded by his family. He was born April 28, 1926 in Cleveland.

Mr. Gorjanc earned his Bachelor of Science in engineering from Swarthmore College and a Juris Doctor from Cleveland Marshall College of Law. He also attended Harvard Business School. He worked at Cleveland Crane and Engineering for 35 years ending his career as Vice President and General Manager of the company before retiring in 1986. Business took him to many countries in Europe and the Far East. He and his late wife, Virginia, loved to travel and they also spent many vacation abroad and on foreign cruises. When the children were younger, the family spent many vacations camping throughout the United States. In retirement he loved to play golf with his friends.

He was a member of St. Mary of the Assumption Church in Mentor, a Eucharistic minister and a member and former president of the Helping Hand organization (formerly St. Vincent de Paul Society).

He was a U.S. Army veteran, serving in the Signal Corps during the Korean War. Previously, during the final stages of WWII, he was in an office training program for the U.S. Navy at Swarthmore College until the program was

disbanded.

Survivors are his four daughters, Mary M. (Anthony Sandora) Gorjanc M.D. of North Royalton, Ann T. Gorjanc of Canton, Conn., Catherine M. Lucca of Granby, Conn., and Judith C. Gorjanc of Brooklyn, N.Y.; two sons, Mark V. (Ellen) Gorjanc of Chester Township and Michael L. Gorjanc M.D. of Mentor; daughter-in-law, Nancy O'Donnell of Munson Township; sons-in-law John Gummer and Frank Lucca; grandchildren, Laura (Michael) Pizmoht, Kyle, Andrea, Rachel, Kevin and Kathleen Gorjanc, Joseph and Chloe Gummer, Hannah and Vincent Lucca; great-grandchildren, Nathaniel, Frances and Jane Pizmoht. He was preceded in death by his wife Virginia "Ginny" Gorjanc; 2 sons Stephen A. and Joseph H. Gorjanc and his parents Andrew and Theresa Gorjanc.

Funeral Mass will be held 10 a.m. Friday at St. Mary of the Assumption Church, 8560 Mentor Ave., Mentor (PLEASE MEET AT THE CHURCH). The family will receive friends from 3-8 p.m. Thursday at the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor. Interment will be in All Souls Cemetery in Chardon Township. In lieu of flowers and in memory of Mr. Gorjanc contributions may be made to the St. Mary's Helping Hand 8560 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH 44060 or Hospice of the Western Reserve 17876 St. Clair Avenue, Cleveland 44110-2602, Donate online at hospicewr.org.

Offer condolences at www.brunners.com.

Cemetery Details

All Souls Cemetery

10366 Chardon Rd.
Chardon, OH 44024
(800) 582-6850

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 29. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center
8466 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3401
ajs@brunners.com
<https://www.brunners.com/>

Funeral Mass

MAY 30. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary Of The Assumption Church
8560 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3404
<https://stmarysmentor.org/>

Tribute Wall

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“ *Dr. Michael Gorjanc and family, My condolences to all.*
Tammy C.



Tammy Czaplicki - June 02, 2014 at 12:56 PM

MJ

“ *Martha S. J. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Henry A. "Hank" Gorjanc.*



Martha S. J. - May 30, 2014 at 11:52 AM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Henry A. "Hank" Gorjanc.*



May 28, 2014 at 04:01 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Henry A. "Hank" Gorjanc.*



May 27, 2014 at 11:41 AM