



## Juris "George" Gravelsins

January 4, 1935 - October 30, 2013

Juris "George" Gravelsins, 78, of Mentor, died Oct. 30, 2013, at Hospice House in Cleveland.

Born Jan. 4, 1935, in Latvia, Mr. Gravelsins retired as a tool and die designer for the former Caterpillar. He was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean War and a lifetime member of VFW George E. Hayward Post 9295 in Mentor, as well as a member of AMVETS Post 40 in Mentor.

Survivors include his wife of 54 years, Dorothy; children, Andrew (Lori) Gravelsins, Rasma (John) Apelons and Olaf Gravelsins; and grandchildren, Natalie, Dylan, Hallie, Brooke, Brandon, Marisa and Vanessa. He was preceded in death by his parents, Hugo and Anna Gravelsins.

Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m. Wednesday November 6, 2013 at Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home and Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor. Family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the United Latvian Evangelical Lutheran Church, 1385 Andrews Ave., Lakewood, OH 44107 or to a charity of your choice.

Online obituary at [www.brunners.com](http://www.brunners.com).