



Samuel A. Pasquarelli

January 16, 1925 - October 15, 2018

Samuel A. Pasquarelli passed away peacefully at his home on Monday, October 15th, 2018.

He was 93 years old. Sam was born in Pittsfield, Massachusetts on January 16th, 1925 to parents Louis and Anna Pasquarelli. He was the sixth child in a family blessed with eight children.

In 1943 he volunteered for military service in the U.S. Marine Corp and served with distinction during World War II. Sam was authorized to wear two bronze battle stars; one for service in the Marshall Islands operation and another for service in the Marianas operation.

His military papers stated that he "PARTICIPATED IN THE DEFENSE OF ENGEBI ISLAND, ENIWETOK ATOLL, MARSHALL ISLANDS, AGAINST JAPANESE AERIAL ATTACKS, DISPLAYING UNDAUNTED COURAGE WHILE UNDER DIRECT FIRE FROM 27 MARCH, 1944 TO FEBRUARY 14, 1945."

After returning from military service, Sam met and married Santa Federico (Pasquarelli). They settled in Pittsfield, Massachusetts and started a family which grew to include six children; Samuel Jr. his wife Cindy, David and his wife Jude, Diane and her husband Jim, Karen and her husband Michael, Jason and his wife Lisa, and Tina Pasquarelli.

Sam established and operated a construction company in Massachusetts where he worked until relocating to Tallahassee, Florida in 1979. Over the years, he continued to work in construction and many related projects. Sam

was well known and liked for his sharp wit, good humor and generosity of his time and talent to help others. He is survived by his children, his sister Helen Pasquarelli Liles, niece Cheryl Liles, nephew Jay Liles, along with many beloved grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

A military service will be held at the Tallahassee National Cemetery on October 29 at 11 am. Susie Mozolic of Bevis Funeral Home is assisting the Pasquarelli family with their arrangements. (www.bevisfh.com 850-385-2193)

Previous Events

Graveside Service

OCT **29**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Tallahassee National Cemetery
5015 Apalachee Parkway
Tallahassee, FL 32311