



Remembering our brothers who have passed from this life

Franklin Eugene Green, '45

Born - April 13, 2019



('41) Pvt. Co. D; ('42) Pvt. Band; ('43) Corp. Co. D; Peep Football (1) (2) (3) (4), JV Basketball, Football; ('45) 1st Lt. Co. C, JV Football, Basketball, Final Ball Comm.

Greenie, another fifth year man, will usually be found in the Big Room playing the drums or beating it out on the piano. We will always remember him for his wonderful disposition and his cheery hello to everyone. To Greenie, we wish the best of luck in everything, and are sure that if he keeps up the way in life, the way he is going at Augusta, well certainly be proud of him some day.

Franklin Eugene Green, age 91 passed away peacefully in his home on Saturday, April 13, 2019.

Gene was born in Little Rock, SC to Fannie and J.I. Green of blessed memory, and raised in Norfolk, VA. He attended JEB Stuart Elementary School, Augusta Military Academy, and University of North Carolina/Chapel Hill NC.

He was a veteran, who served in the U.S. Army in WWII. Gene was a dedicated public servant, having retired from the Norfolk Redevelopment and Housing Authority as a Rehabilitation Specialist.

After retirement, he volunteered as a reader for WHRO radio.

Gene was a beloved husband, father, uncle and cousin, who cherished all of his family and was on "Cloud Nine" when attending family gatherings, and routinely made phone calls to family members to catch-up on life's happenings.

Although a quiet and reserved man, he had an easy and quick smile and a sarcastic wit. Beside his enduring love of family was his love for his home, the Outer Banks/nature, animals, food, classical music, baseball, wearing baseball caps, and repairing anything that needed fixing.

He was a member of Ohel Shalom Temple.

Gene was predeceased by his beloved wife of 51-years, Shirley, his brother Norman, and sister-in-law Mimi. Survivors include his two daughters Marcia (Green) Snyder (Steve), Stacy (Green) Hershberger (Kevin), niece and nephews, Hope (Green) Hinkes (Clifford), Richard Green and Jack Green (Sharon), and great-nieces and nephews. The Green family extends deep heart-felt appreciation to the team of earth-bound angels, who cared for

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Gene for the last four years as a cherished family member: Eve, Shelia, Ivy, Renee, Rena, Linda, Naya, Tanya, Kim, Kattrell, Ruth and Peggy.

Also sincere appreciation goes to Intrepid Hospice staff, who provided a steady and reassuring hand over these last two weeks.

A graveside service will be held Tuesday, April 16th at 2:00 p.m. at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Norfolk by Rabbi Rosalin Mandelberg. To honor Gene's light-hearted spirit, feel free to wear a ball cap at the ceremony. Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimers Association www.alz.org or any animal related rescue agency, such as the SPCA. Online condolences may be offered to the family at hdliver.com.