



Chester Sackowski

April 20, 1926 - March 11, 2015

Chester Sackowski, 88, of Mooresville, formerly of Bethpage, Long Island, NY, passed away on Wednesday, March 11, 2015 at the Gordon Hospice House in Statesville.

He was born on April 20, 1926 in Little Neck, NY, to the late Joseph and Stephanie Sackowski. Mr. Sackowski was a WWII US Army veteran serving in the Philippines and Japan under General MacArthur. He loved to garden and was a master carpenter, working with designers. His works were published in magazines and newspapers in the N.Y. area. Mr. Sackowski enjoyed boating in the Long Island area and was an avid golfer, even caddying for Babe Ruth. He had a great sense of humor all the way to the end.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by brothers, Henry, Steve, Edward and Harry.

He is survived by his wife of 67 years, Helen Rosicki Sackowski; children, Suzanne Leone and husband, Steve, Lauraine Costello and husband, Charles, Diane Fazzolare and husband, Richard, Chester Sackowski, Jr. and wife, Virginia; sisters, Tessie Wesnofske, Stephanie Doepper; and fifteen grandchildren and twenty great grandchildren.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:00 AM on Friday, March 13 at St.

Therese Catholic Church. Burial with full military honors will follow the service at 12:00 noon at Salisbury National Cemetery. The family will receive friends on Thursday from 2:00 – 4:00 PM and 7:00-9:00 PM with a prayer service at 8:00 PM at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to Gordon Hospice House, 2341 Simonton Rd, Statesville, NC 28625.

Tribute Wall



“ *Chester Sackowski*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *Chester Sackowski*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Chester Sackowski*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *I have so many fond memories of Uncle Chester. He was a great man. My prayers are with you all.*

Robert Wesnofske - March 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Pop made good waffles. He had an awesome sense of humor too. I will miss him forever. Love, Reilly*

Reilly Costello - March 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *UNCLE CHESTER WAS LOVED DEARLY BY BOTH BILLY & BOBBY. HIM AND AUNT HELEN WHERE ALWAYS THEIR FOR MY BOTH PARENTS IN THEIR TIME OF NEED. WHICH WE WILL NEVER FORGET. UNCLE CHESTER WILL REMAIN IN OUR HEARTS ALWAYS.*

BOB & BILL ROSICKI - March 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Spring won't be quite the same without seeing you out in your yard! Your immaculate yard and home was one of Dixon's favorite places to come visit "Mr. Chet and Mrs. Chet". We are lifting your family up in prayer during this difficult time. We were fortunate to call you our neighbor for the past 7.5 years and more importantly, call you our friend. Garrison sends his love and prayers to- he is very sorry he was unable to attend as he is out of town.

Lauren Davis - March 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ To the entire Sackowski Family. You have our deepest sincere condolences at this sad time from the entire Hartner Family from York Ave. Bethpage and beyond. Your Dad was like an uncle to me growing up just 5 houses away. Chester jr. And I were the best of friends. I have such wonderful memories of your Dad performing all sorts of meticulous master work around the house regardless of what it was. Always enjoyed being with Chet Mom Dad and sisters s your Dad piloted the boat CRYSTAL around the Great South Bay all of those wonderful summers. Holidays, Christmas, Barbeques he was always smiling and had such a great sense of humor. Recall he was always willing to help solve problems and repair things. It was obvious that he was a well respected Husband, Father, Grandfather, Friend and neighborhood Dad. Like my Dad he was a well respected on the block as a WWII veteran who helped secure our freedoms. Our prayers are with your entire family and beloved Father at this time. Harold Hartner and Family

Harold Hartner - March 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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Dion Smith,

China Grove, North Carolina

Dion Smith - March 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“ *You were my mentor, my rock and my loving father. But most of all you were my best friend. I love you Dad.*

Chester Sackowski Jr. - March 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Spring won't feel the same without seeing you out in your yard everyday! You're immaculate yard and home was a place Dixon loved to walk over and visit Mr. Chet and Mrs. Chet! Lifting your family in prayer during this difficult time. We were lucky to call you our neighbor and friend!*

Lauren Davis - March 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Dad, you were the best father! Your legacy is your loving family...four children, 15 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren! Your love lives on! Love, your daughter, Suzanne*

Suzanne Leone - March 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM