



Alexander E. Hitrick

November 18, 1925 - September 17, 2017

Alexander E. Hitrick, 91, of Woodside Avenue, Mayfield died Sunday morning September 17, 2017 at Nathan Littauer Nursing Home, Gloversville.

He was born in Schenectady on November 18, 1925 a son of Alexander and Irma Reistetter Hitrick and moved to Gloversville as a child. Alex attended local schools. One of his greatest accomplishments was building his family's home in Mayfield in 1958.

Mr. Hitrick was employed in the leather industry for several years and worked at local tanneries. Following retirement, Alex worked as a groundskeeper with the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation in Northville as part of the Green Thumb project.

He was a veteran of the US Army and served during World War II in the European Theater.

Mr. Hitrick was a dedicated lifelong member of the Fish House Lodge No. 0298 F. & A.M. Masonic Lodge as well as the Sacandaga Chapter No. 116 Royal Arch Masons, both located in Northville.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by a brother, Raymond and a sister, Alice Puski.

Survivors include his wife, Shirley Antis Hitrick, whom he married on July 15, 1951; a son, Mark (Katria) Hitrick of Broadalbin; two daughters, Wendy (Stanley) Yucha and Mary Ann (Samuel) Negrich, all of Mayfield; five grandchildren, Steven (Laura) Yucha, Samuel Negrich, Jr. , Kimberly (Matthew) Caldwell, and Alex and Ben Hitrick; a great-grandson, Ian Yucha;

and several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Calling hours will be held on Thursday from 11 am – 1pm at the Robert M. Halgas Funeral Home, Inc. 111 County Highway 106 (Corner of Route 29 & Black Street), Johnstown followed by a funeral service at 1pm conducted by Rev. Bonnie Orth. Burial will be the Mayfield Union Rural Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Assoc., in care of the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Mayfield Union Rural Cemetery

Mayfield, NY 12117

Previous Events

Calling Hours

SEP 21. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Service

SEP 21. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



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