



James W. McCarthy Sr.

October 17, 1926 - September 2, 2016

James W. McCarthy, Sr., 89, of Midline Road Amsterdam died Friday morning September 2, 2016 at St. Mary's Healthcare.

He was born in Middleville, NY on October 17, 1926 a son of Archibald and Ruth Shibley McCarthy and attended local schools. Jim lived in Dolgeville before moving to Perth in 1971.

He owned and operated McCarthy Guns for twenty seven years and was a member of the NRA.

Jim was a US Navy veteran.

He was predeceased by a son, James W. McCarthy, Jr. who died November 18, 2015 and his faithful canine companion, Ollie.

Survivors include his wife, Denise Hamilton McCarthy, whom he married on October 27, 1951; a son, Kevin McCarthy of Lake George; a daughter, Karen Dwyer-Smith of Saratoga Springs; a brother, Alfred McCarthy of Dolgeville; seven grandchildren, Heather Dwyer, Jessica Brate, Matthew Smith, James W. McCarthy III, Taylor, Madison, and Nicholas McCarthy; seven great-grandchildren; and several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

A military service will be held at the Gerald B.H. Solomon-Saratoga National Cemetery, Schuylerville at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to the Brennan Memorial Humane Society, in care of the funeral home.

Arrangements are by the Robert M. Halgas Funeral Home, Inc. Johnstown.

Tribute Wall

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“ *I remember talking with him several times and discussing Perth and the gun Shop. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.* ”



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