

Rodger G. Landgraf

March 3, 1924 - July 11, 2018

Rodger G. Landgraf, 94, passed away on Wed. July 11, 2018 at the Springs of Vernon Hills. He was born March 3, 1924 in Kohler, WI and has been a resident of Vernon Hills for the past 8 years. He was a US Navy veteran, having served in Oahu, Hawaii during WWII and received his BA and Master's degrees from the University of Wisconsin. Roger taught at Dwight D. Eisenhower High School in Blue Island and Harold L. Richards High School in Oak Lawn and was also a high school golf instructor for 20 years.

Surviving are 3 children, John (Anne) Landgraf, Michael (Joan) Landgraf and Mark (Andrea) Landgraf; Daughter-in-law, Melanie Landgraf; 8 Grandchildren, Shaina, Sarah, Jennifer, Michael, Douglas, Jimmy, Johnny and Natalie; 7 Great Grandchildren, Allie, Maddie, Carlie, Maggie, Bailey, Lily and Lucy; his brother, Eugene (Sally) Landgraf and sister, Carol (Robert) Schumacher.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy on March 19, 2016, by his son, James in 1989, brothers Virgil and Clayton and sisters, Charlotte and Janet and his parents, Hugo and Hubertina Landgraf.

Visitation will be from 9:30 am until time of funeral mass at 11 am on Monday, July 16, 2018 at St. Mary of Vernon Church, 236 W. Hwy. 45, Indian Creek, IL 60061. Interment will follow at Ascension Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Alzheimers Association, 8430 Bryn Mawr, Chicago, IL 60631. Arrangments are by the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville. Info: 847-362-3009 or please share a memory at www.burnettdane.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 16. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary of Vernon Catholic Church
236 W. Hwy 45
Indian Creek, IL 60061

Funeral Mass

JUL 16. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I was not born a Landgraf but Rodger always made me feel like family. I married Rodgers son, Mike. Mike learned many things from his dad, such as his love for woodworking, golf (Mike is still waiting for his first hole-in-one, Rodger had two), and aircraft. I thank Rodger for raising his son into the man he is. I also admire Rodger as a WWII Veteran. Thank you Rodger for serving our country.

*Until we meet again.
Your daughter-in-law
Joan*



Joan Landgraf - July 15, 2018 at 08:08 AM

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“ One of the Greatest Generation. Signed up for the Navy after we entered WWII. Served the Navy in Pearl Harbor as an aircraft mechanic until the end of war. Was a better golfer and bowler than I will ever be. Proud to of have him as a father and a role model.

*Miss you,
Your son Mike*



Mike Landgraf - July 14, 2018 at 12:29 PM

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“ *Dad*

You were such a great father and great man. You taught us all so many things and you were such a great roll model growing up. Thanks for all that you have done for us over the years. We will miss you but I know Mom and Jim have welcomed you home along with your mother and father and your two brothers (Virgil and Clayton) and your two sisters (Charlotte and Janet).

*Love you
Your son John*

John Landgraf - July 13, 2018 at 04:53 PM

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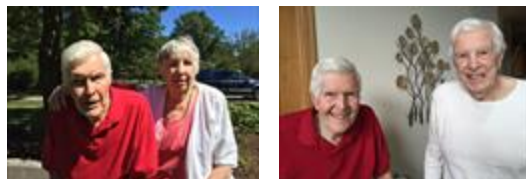
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