



## George W. Schmidt

November 26, 2013

George W. Schmidt, age 90, of Powell, went to meet his Lord in Heaven on Tuesday, November 26, 2013 at the Convalarium at Indian Run in Dublin, Ohio. Preceded in death by his beloved wife of 59 years, Mildred Irene "Peg" Schmidt, he is survived by his children, Donna Schmidt of Denver, CO, Michael (Jill) Schmidt of Denver, Edward (Diane) Schmidt of Dublin and Richard "Greg" (Sylvia) Schmidt of St. Louis, MO; grandchildren, George (Liz) Schmidt of Portland, OR, Liza (Marquis) Bankston of Denver, Brooke Schmidt and Megan Schmidt of Denver, Katherine "Katie" Schmidt of Dublin and Andrew Schmidt of St. Louis; great-grandsons Jacob Schmidt and Aiden Bankston. A veteran of the United States Army Air Corps during WWII, George was a First Lieutenant in the 357th Fighter Squadron, 355th Fighter Group, 8th Air Force serving in the European Theater and received a group citation for extraordinary heroism. After the war, he graduated from University of Michigan and received his law degree from Harvard University. George retired in 1988 as Legal Counsel for Nationwide Insurance Company after 30 years of service. A faithful parishioner of St. Joan of Arc Church, George and his wife Peg were former parishioners of both St. Andrew and St. Agatha parishes. He was a member of both the Columbus Bar Association and the Ohio Bar Association. Family will receive friends from 4:00-6:00pm. TUESDAY at the RUTHERFORD FUNERAL HOME AT POWELL, 450 West Olentangy St., Powell, OH 43065 (614)-792-1471. (The funeral home is located on W. Olentangy St./Powell Rd./SR 750 ¼ mile east of Sawmill parkway.) Mass of

Christian Burial will be celebrated 10:00a.m. WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2013 at ST. JOAN OF ARC CATHOLIC CHURCH, 10700 Liberty Road, Powell, OH 43065 with The Reverend Michael Gentry, Celebrant.

Entombment will follow at Resurrection Cemetery, Lewis Center, Ohio. If they choose, friends may make memorial contributions to the St. Vincent DePaul Society of St. Joan of Arc Church, 10700 Liberty Rd., Powell, OH 43065, in George's memory. Please visit [www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com](http://www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com) to send condolences to the Schmidt Family.

# Tribute Wall



“ George W. Schmidt

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ Dear Family of George W. Schmidt,

*My condolences on the passing away of George W. Schmidt. I am on the Board of the Ohio Military Hall of Fame. I noticed that Mr. Schmidt received a citation for “extraordinary heroism” while a First Lieutenant in the 357th Fighter Squadron serving in the European theater.*

*Lt. Schmidt could be eligible for the Ohio Military Hall of Fame if he was from Ohio or entered the service from Ohio. His DD214 form would have to read that there was a citation for “valor” or we would need some other documentation indicating “valor” while in combat. We hope that you can take a moment to research his records in your time of sorrow. The Ohio Military Hall of Fame has a ceremony on the first Friday in May and is interested in those it can honor in 2015.*

Walter Reiner - December 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ So sorry to hear of your loss...a "Michigan Man" and wonderful American veteran. A very long and productive life...our thoughts are with you....your friends at LTC and the Grossett family. Rest in peace.

Donald Grossett - December 04, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ We are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you.  
Kind regards, Stan & Andrea

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**Stan & Andrea Tripp** - December 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ God Bless/RIP,to all who served in WWII..The USA would NOT be  
as it is today. Thank YOU and Semper Fi

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**Herb Sharfenaker USMC** - December 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Thoughts and prayers go out to the Schmidt family as you celebrate  
the life of your father.

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**Peter Loscocco** - December 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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as it is today. Thank YOU and Semper Fi

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**Herb Sharfenaker USMC** - November 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Ed, sorry to hear of Your DAD'S PASSING.. tAKE cARE..

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**pat mattes** - November 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM