



## J. Robert Tierney

February 1, 2009

J. Robert Tierney, age 84, of Powell, Ohio passed away Sunday, February 1, 2009 at his home and in the arms of his wife of 61 years. He was born July 27, 1924 in Portsmouth, Ohio. He was son of the late John J. Tierney and Lena Grey Tierney. Robert was an executive with Ranco Controls, Inc. and retired after 45 years. Robert is survived by his wife, Betty Lou Tierney; children James Arlington Tierney and Robert Joseph Tierney and Peter Timothy Tierney; grandchildren Joshua Robert Tierney and Jared Joseph Tierney; sister Beverly (Jack) Marshall; life time friend, Dr. Pete (Rosemary) Handley and family along with numerous nieces, nephews and friends. Preceded in death by his brother, John G. Tierney. He was a 1942 graduate of Portsmouth High School and received his Bachelor's of Science Degree from The Ohio State University in 1949 where he was a member of the Delta Tau Delta Fraternity. Robert served his country in the U.S. Army's 96th Division from 1943-1945. He studied at Amherst College where he was appointed to the Military Academy at West Point. He received the Bronze Star Medal for his courageous acts of bravery during his service in the Okinawa Campaign. Family and friends may visit from 2-4 p.m. Thursday, February 5, 2009 at the RUTHERFORD FUNERAL HOME AT POWELL, 450 W. Olentangy St. (Powell Rd./St. Rt. 750/1/4 mile east of Sawmill Pkwy) Powell, OH 43065 where a Memorial Service will follow at 4:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the American Lung Association, 1950 Arlingate Lane, Columbus, OH 43228 in his memory. Condolences to [www.rutherfordfu](http://www.rutherfordfu)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *J. Robert Tierney*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *Dear Pete- I am so sorry for your loss and for your family in this time of great sadness. The beautiful message you shared with us about what your father taught you about character is something I will think of often. You truly are someone who demonstrates this lesson daily. With the sincerest of condolences, Harley Beck*

**Harley Beck** - February 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Betty, I am so sorry about Bob. We were so lucky to have you and Bob as neighbors and friends growing up. Please know that I am thinking of you and your family. Love, Erin*

**Erin Cashell** - February 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Betty, I will always remember all the time Erin and I spent over at your old house, always asking for gum, and playing outside with you and Bob. I still look at the pictures Bob took of us when we were little and think about how much fun we had over there. I am so very sorry for your loss.*

**Joey Cashell** - February 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ Betty, I am so very sorry for your loss, know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family, I always remember the wonderful times we shared together. You and Robert were always so very generous with your kindness and time when we were together... Much love. Bryan McDonald

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**Bryan McDonald** - February 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ I always loved "Mr. Tierney", as I called him. I send my thoughts and prayers to all of you, and a special message for Bob, who I need to keep in better touch. Betty, or "Mrs. Tierney", I know how close you were to Bob, and I hope you find peace in your great memories. Special thoughts to Pete and Jim too. Susie

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**Susie Landthorn Holland** - February 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GG

“ Pete, my condolences to you and your family. My prayers are with you during this time and may God bless you, your father and all those you love.

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**Gisele Gil** - February 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“ My Dear Pete, I am so sorry for your loss. I pray you and your family will be comforted with your memories of your father. God Bless you all in your time of need.. Love Chris

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**Chris Johnson** - February 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

WM

“ Pete, Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. We never had the pleasure of meeting your father, but just hearing the way you spoke of him throughout the years, we know he was a great man, special father and loving husband. He lived a full life and leaves behind a wonderful family he helped build. With love, your friends... Will, Elizabeth and Katelyn Manso

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**Will and Elizabeth Manso** - February 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AC

“ My thoughts and prayers are with the entire Tierney family. I hope the great memories you have will help comfort you through these difficult times! Annie

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**Annie Callaghan** - February 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ My dear Pete and family I have been where you are today and I know it is not easy. I just want you to know that like you were there for me I am here for you. I love you babe. Stay strong. Love Ramona

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**Ramona Murphy** - February 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

VM

“ I love you Pedrito. Besos, XO

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**Vanessa Morales** - February 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ My sincere condolences to and your family Pete. My prayers and thoughts are with you. Sincerely, Martica

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**Marta E. Suris** - February 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ *To Pete and Family, May his loving memories comfort you forever.  
Love you Pete, Leatha*

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**Leatha Johnson** - February 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ *Dear Tierney family, We are all thinking of you here at Channel 10  
in Miami. We love Pete and hope that your family will mend in time.  
A father that raised a great son will surely be missed. Our deepest  
sympathy, Sharon Harrison*

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**Sharon Harrison** - February 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM