



Phillip J Polite

October 14, 1932 - August 2, 2018

Phillip J Polite, age 85 of Columbus, passed peacefully Thursday August 2, 2018 from cancer at the Willow Brook Christian Home. He was born on October 14, 1932 in Columbus to the late Alexander Theodore and Hedwig Veronica (Sauter) Polite. He was a graduate of Aquinas College High School in Columbus and served his country in the US Army during the Korean Conflict stationed in Greenland. He was a tool and die maker at Ranco Controls and was a life-long active member of St. James The Less Catholic Church. He was a praying man who cared about the spiritual journey and eternal destinies of others. Phillip enjoyed spending time with family and friends, as well as making coffee and hanging out with the guys at Streamline Auto. He was an avid reader and had a keen interest in motorcycles and cars; he was a very kind, giving, and thoughtful man who loved the Lord and lived up to his name "Polite". He is survived by his family Jeff and Sherry (Lasser) Martin, Keith and Jessica (Sanders) Martin (Adry, Ella), Scott and Tara (King) Martin, Ted and Linda (Rice) Lasser, Carly (Lasser) Olander, (Caleb, Evelyn, Nora, Beth), Nick and Jackie (Lasser) Wichert (Addie, Belle, and William). Friends may call Saturday August 11, 2018 at the RUTHERFORD-CORBIN FUNERAL HOME, 515 High Street Worthington from 9:30am to 10:00am, where a funeral service will be held at 10:00 am , with Pastor Jeff Martin officiating. Burial will follow at St. Joseph Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Wounded Warriors or the Salvation Army in his memory. Envelopes will be provided at the funeral home. Condolences to ww

w.rutherfordfuneralhome.com. The family would like to express their appreciation and gratitude to Ohio Health Hospice and Willow Brook Lazelle Rd. for their kind, gentle, care of Phil and the family.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Cemetery

Lockborne, OH

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 11. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Phillip J Polite*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *God Bless/ RIP. A heartfelt Thank YOU, Phillip for your service during The Korean War, serving in Greenland... R IP ... And Semper Fi..... Soldier.*



Herb Guyer-Sharfenaker USMC - August 10, 2018 at 08:45 PM



“ *Phil Polite worked with my brother Richard Gates at Ranco Controls in Plain City Ohio and they also rode motorcycles together. Phil was 6 years older than me and I just always thought he was such a wonderful person. I have a photo of my Mother setting on Phil's motorcycle with him and they then went for a ride. I am hoping to be able to attend the services at Rutherford Funeral Home and do a "Final Salute" to Phil. I served 23 good years in the United States Army.*

Les Gates Powell Ohio

Les Gates - August 09, 2018 at 11:53 AM