

Clayton E. 'Nick' Hanson

Oct 26, 2016

Clayton E. "Nick" Hanson, age 91, passed away peacefully surrounded by his family on Sunday, October 23, 2016, at the Oceanside Skilled Nursing Center in Hampton, NH. He was a longtime resident of Nashua, NH.

Nick was born on May 28, 1925 in Nashua, NH, to Herbert and Margaret (O'Brien) Hanson. He attended schools in Nashua, until 1943 when he left high school to enlist in the United States Navy. Nick proudly served aboard the Heavy Cruiser USS Boston, which participated, in numerous important actions with the Pacific Fleet during World War II. He was honorably discharged on February 25, 1946.

On December 31, 1949 he married Alice Gabriel and they remained happily married for 66 years. Nick was employed by Nashua Corporation and worked in the Traffic Department for over 30 years until his retirement.

Nick was an avid hunter and fisherman. He also enjoyed spending the summers at the beach in Wells, Maine.

Nick is survived by his spouse, Alice, and their two daughters, Noreen (Mike) Dobens and Patricia (Tony) Delyani all of Hampton, NH; and his four grandchildren, Kristen, Mike, Allison and James; three great-grandchildren; and his nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by a sister, Geraldine Laliberte, of Nashua.

The family would like to extend our gratitude to the staffs at the Langdon Place Assisted Living facility in Nashua and the Oceanside Skilled Nursing Center in Hampton for their attentiveness and care.

In keeping with the wishes of Nick services and interment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial donations be made to Liberty House in Manchester, NH to assist homeless veterans. Donations can be made at libertyhousenh.org/donate.