



Blake F Holler

October 4, 1920 - July 12, 2014

Blake F. Holler, 93, of Sanborn, NY and Key Largo, FL died of natural causes while in Hospice Care on Saturday, July 12, 2014. Blake was a lifelong resident of the Tonawandas and graduate of Tonawanda High School. He lived seasonally in Key Largo and Town of Sanborn since the 1970's. He was the son of Wilbert and Bertha Holler born October 4, 1920. He was married to Nancy W. Rose who died in 1982 and Lillian Sharrow who died in 1999.

Blake was an avid fisherman as a young man and a veteran of World War II, serving in the Sea Bees in the Philippines. During his long career as President of Holler Brothers Construction, Inc., the company flourished and built many of the schools, hospitals, churches and factories that are now local landmarks. He became a successful market investor in later life. During his working career he also belonged to local civic and business groups including the Knights of Columbus.

Blake is survived by his three children; Deborah R. Holler of Syracuse and Youngstown, NY, Peter B. Holler of Youngstown, NY and Stephanie Morrow Holler of East Henrietta, NY. He had five grandchildren; Sarah Clarke of Bethesda, MD, Melissa Clarke of Brooklyn, NY, Lillie Williams of Syracuse, NY, Kimberly Morrow of Blacksburg VA, and Dustin Morrow of West Henrietta, NY, as well as one great-grandchild, Tahlia Williams of Bethesda, MD. He is also survived by four of his nine brothers and sisters; Betty Ford of Nashville,

TN and Key Largo, FL; Doris Murray of Shaker Heights, OH, Kenneth Holler of Niagara Falls, NY and Virginia Wullen of Buffalo, NY. His surviving stepchildren include Denise Richardson of North Tonawanda, Elaine Williams of Chesapeake, VA and Robert Sharrow of Melbourne, FL.

Calling Hours will be held 4 – 6 pm on Thursday, July 17, 2014 at the Wattengel Funeral Home, 533 Meadow Drive, North Tonawanda. In lieu of flowers, those wishing to pay respect to his memory may consider a donation in his name to Niagara Hospice Alliance, 4675 Sunset Drive, Lockport NY 14094.

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Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 17. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Wattengel Funeral Home
533 Meadow Drive
North Tonawanda, NY 14120
(716) 693-0440

Tribute Wall



“ *Debbie, Peter, Stephanie and families:
my thoughts are with you.
Rest in Peace, Uncle Blake.
Love, Beth (& Lee)*

July 16, 2014 at 12:00 AM