



Richard G. Harris

February 10, 1931 - January 11, 2009

OBITUARY INFORMATION Saugerties, NY – Richard G. Harris, died Sunday, January 11, 2009 at Golden Hill Health Care Center in Kingston, New York. He was 77 years old. He was born February 10, 1931 in Brooklyn, the son of Thomas Harris & Sophie Danilow Bucholz. Along with his father-in-law Michael Monte, he was the proprietor of Partition Automotive. He was retired from NYPD and worked as a dispatcher for both the Village and Town of Saugerties Police Departments. He also worked as a crossing guard in the Village of Saugerties and worked for Home Depot. He served in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean War and as a past commander of both the Saugerties VFW Post #5034 and Lamouree-Hackett Post #72 American Legion. Rich was parishioner of St. Mary of the Snow Parish. A member of Saugerties Knights of Columbus Council #4536 he served twice as Grand Knight, as Faithful Navigator (4th Degree) and was a former District Deputy. He was a Member of the Saugerties Fire Department Fire Police, a former member of Saugerties BPO Elks #2574, and played for the Saugerties Police and Knight of Columbus SAA Softball teams. In addition to his wife, Virginia Monte Harris, he is survived by his daughter, Lisa Thurin & her husband Michael of Saugerties; his son, Richard M. Harris & his wife Dottie of Niskayuna, NY; two grandchildren, Marisa and Michael Thurin; and by his mother-in-law, Teresa Monte. A Funeral procession will form 9:15 AM Thursday, January 15, 2009 at Buono Funeral Service, Inc., Main Street Chapel, Saugerties, NY and then proceed to St. Mary of the Snow where a

10:00 AM Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated. Rev. Christopher Berean, Pastor of St. Mary of the Snow will officiate. Interment will follow immediately in St. Mary of the Snow Cemetery, Barclay Heights. Friends may call Wednesday from 2:00 PM until 4:00 PM and 7:00 PM until 9:00 PM at Buono Funeral Service, Inc. In lieu of flowers the family suggests donations be made in his memory to the Golden Hill Health Care Center, Activities Committee, Kingston, NY.

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard G. Harris*

October 20, 2022 at 08:34 PM



“ *Dear Harris Family:*

No words, however kindly meant, can soothe your pain away, but may the thoughts around you help you make it through today. And may each day that passes bring you hope and comfort, too, through memories and the heartfelt prayers of friends who mourn with you.

My thoughts are with you all

Much love,

Dottie Sr.

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