



Andrew Elie Pouliot

July 16, 1923 - January 25, 2020

Andrew Elie Pouliot died on January 25, 2020 at the age of 96. He was predeceased by his beloved wife of 68 years, Hattie Zuhlke Pouliot.

He will be deeply missed by his loving family: daughters Carol Pouliot and Jan Luca, son-in-law Dan Luca, granddaughters Erin (Aaron) Sadowski and Heather (Joe) Lee, great-grandsons Andrew, Charlie, and Jacob, sisters Theresa Kramer, Pauline Plamann, Lucille Peters, brother Marcel Pouliot, and many nieces and nephews.

Andy was born in Yamaska, Quebec and immigrated to the United States with his family as a child. He served honorably in World War II from 1942-1946, assigned to the USS Fomalhaut, USS Bayntun, and USS George Clymer. Andy saw action in the Solomon Islands, particularly Bougainville and the Marianas. He also served in the Korean War.

Andy worked in the transportation lab at Carrier Corporation for 35 years, testing heating and cooling units in railway cars and tractor-trailers. He also worked part-time as the personal driver Mr. Carrier and his wife. His ability to speak French was highly valued and, for some time, he worked in Canada for Carrier. He attended the University of Missouri and Chicago University.

His true passion was building. He was a master carpenter who built a house for his family during the first year of his marriage. He also designed and built a sailboat, a strip canoe, and numerous pieces of furniture. When he retired from Carrier, Andy started his own business remodeling homes. He loved the work and the freedom of taking jobs as he pleased. The people who hired him, loved him—if you knew Andy, you liked Andy.

Andy enjoyed learning, whether it was building or taking lessons on the banjo. He loved to dance with his wife and they square and ballroom danced for over 20 years; they met at a dance. He also enjoyed playing cards, which he continued to do several times a week throughout his life. As a dedicated reader, he read the entire collection of Louis L'Amour books many times and enjoyed the adventures of Clive Cussler books. Andy hunted,

bowled, skied, played banjo and harmonica, fished, and boated. He loved winemaking and watching westerns on TV. He was passionate about exercise and worked out until the age of 94. Above all, Andy enjoyed his family. He was a long time communicant of Immaculate Heart of Mary and member of the VFW Post 2893.

The family would like to express their sincere thanks to Dr. Iram Siddiqui and Kim DeJoseph at the Syracuse VA Hospital for years of loving care.

Calling hours are on Wednesday, January 29, from 9-10 a.m. at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, 425 Beechwood Ave., Liverpool, NY. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held immediately following, at 10 a.m. Burial will follow in Assumption Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Alzheimer's Association (www.alz.org).

Cemetery

Assumption Cemetery

2401 Court Street
Syracuse, NY, 13208

Events

JAN 29 **Calling Hours** 09:00AM - 10:00AM
Immaculate Heart of Mary Church
425 Beechwwod Ave, Liverpool, NY, US, 13088

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Comments



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Andrew Elie Pouliot.



January 28 at 03:17 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Andrew Elie Pouliot.



January 27 at 05:30 PM



“ Andrew clearly led a full, rich life! Our thoughts and support go out to Andrew's family and friends. Please know we're thinking of you. - The Bovard Family



Nicole Bovard - January 25 at 06:12 PM



“ Thank you, Nicki. xo

Carol Pouliot - January 25 at 08:37 PM