



Herbert Henry Scharke

September 18, 2013

Herbert Henry Scharke was born on May 1, 1917 to Charles and Frances Scharke of Richmond Hill, New York. He was the youngest of several siblings. At ninety-six years of age, he passed away on September 18, 2013 in South Pasadena, Fla. He is survived by Clifford C. Scharke, son of his first wife, Flora and Debra Worster, daughter of his second wife, the former Joanna Lee Nesbitt. Herbert was one of millions who comprised America's greatest generation but one of a kind to those who knew him. He grew up in Valley Stream Long Island and graduated from Valley Stream Central High School. During the Second World War, he worked long hours under highly dangerous conditions at the Federal Shipyard and Dry Dock Company at Kearny, New Jersey. After the war, until retirement, he worked as a costume jewelry sample maker and supervisor of shop operations. After retirement, he and Flora moved to Florida. He eventually taught evening jewelry classes for several years in the Pinellas County Adult Education Program. His students loved him and, upon retirement from that program, honored him for his service. He will be missed by all.

Tribute Wall



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