



Harold V. Girard

June 20, 1924 - May 18, 2012

Mr. Harold V. Girard, 87, of 5 Pinnacle Lane, Adams, died on Friday, May 18, 2012 at his home.

He was born in Lanesboro on June 20, 1924, a son of the late Herbert and Mary (Langer) Girard.

Mr. Girard was a Veteran of World War II having served with the United States Navy until receiving his Honorable Discharge as Signalman Third Class on January 15, 1946.

Mr. Girard worked for many years as a master welder in the Ordnance Division of General Electric Co., Pittsfield until retiring in 1984. He had also been a carpenter by trade, helping to build several homes in the community. He was a communicant of the Parish of Blessed John Paul the Great, Adams. He was a member of the Adams Post 160 American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars in Massachusetts and Florida, a member of the Cheshire Rod & Gun Club and Past President and Life Member of the Mountain Club, Adams. He was an avid hunter and fisherman.

He is survived by his wife of 65 years, the former B. Isabelle Langlois, whom he married on October 26, 1946;

5 Sons - Donald Girard and his wife Virginia of Adams, Victor Girard and his wife Addie of Florida, MA, Joseph Girard and his companion Gillian Jones of North Adams, William Girard and his wife Rosalie of Cheshire, and Gerald Girard and his wife Sharon of Adams;

4 Daughters - Donna Cwalinski and her husband Stanley of Adams, Mary

Swift and her husband Thomas of Lee, Emelie Dionne and her husband Jean of Florida, MA and Marguerite Robare of North Adams;

1 Brother - David Girard of Adams;

1 Sister - Edith Zarek and her husband Walter of Cheshire;

23 Grandchildren, 10 Great Grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by a sister, Katherine Girard.

A Liturgy of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Tuesday, May 22, at 10:00AM in the Parish Church of Blessed John Paul the Great, Adams, celebrated by Rev. Daniel J. Boyle, Pastor.

Burial will be held at a later date at the convenience of the family.

There are no calling hours.

Memorial donations may be made to the Adams Boy Scout Troop 38 or the Intrepid Sea, Air & Space Museum through the PACIOREK FUNERAL HOME, 13 Hoosac St., Adams, which is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ To Mary, Thom and all the Girard family,
Our sincerest sympathy in your loss.
Bob & Janice Welcome

June 07, 2018 at 12:58 PM



“ I was so saddened to hear of your loss. Please accept my deepest
sympathy. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.
Sincerely, Mary Jane Comai Cooney

June 07, 2018 at 12:58 PM



“ Sorry to be reading, a bit late, of the passing of your father. I
remember all you young uns back in Adams. As a Legion and VFW
member, I send along the condolences also of our Hobbs posts to a
fellow veteran. Charlie Hoye

May 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ TO THE ENTIRE GIRARD FAMILY MY PRAYS ARE WITH YOU
ALL ILL REMEBER MY TIME WITH YOUR FAMILY FOREVER
GARY DUPRAS

May 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ We would like to express our deepest condolences on the loss of your father. Toyo and I remember so clearly how he welcomed our visit to Adams about 12 years ago. We are so thankful for his kindness and we will always cherish our wonderful memory. Our hearts are with you and your family. Sincerely, Norio, Toyo, Sen, Aoi, Mitsuna and Minori

May 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ To the Girard family, our sympathy on the loss of your father, Harold. You are in our thoughts.

May 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Donna, Isabelle, and the entire Girard Family, Susie and I send you our deepest and most sincere condolences over Harold's passing. Memories of my times with your family members and Harold's times "at the lake" and playing cards at home will forever be charished by me. God bless you all. Jim and Susie Letourneau

May 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ to the entire Girard family
thinking of all of you at this very difficult
time you are a terrific family & took great
care of harold he will be sadly missed
sincerely,
lynda oneil

May 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *To the entire Girard family, sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

May 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *our thoughts and prayers go out to your entire family*

May 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM