



Col. Eugene P Powers Jr

March 14, 2020

Colonel Eugene P. Powers, 78, passed away peacefully in his home with his wife Dianna by his side, Saturday, March 14, 2020. Eugene was a decorated veteran who served in the Vietnam war. Born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, he was the son of Eugene and Margaret Powers. He graduated from East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania. He had a long, successful career in the United States Army and retired as a Colonel. He was a member of Saint Bernadette's Church, Monroeville, the Titusville Sportsmans Club, and the Single Action Shooting Society. He enjoyed camping, traveling, and spending time with friends and family. He loved reading, listening to music, and learning to play the acoustic guitar. He will be remembered for his patriotism and his love for his country. He is survived by his wife, Dianna Powers, his children Eugene (Amy) Powers, Shannon (Sean) Rice, Katie Powers, and his step-children Melissa Vovaris, Christine Hunter, and Steven Mazak. He was the proud grandfather of Aidan, Colleen, Connor, Payton, Madison, Owen, Alex, and Rylee. He will be sadly missed by his miniature schnauzer and best pal, Fritz. A memorial service, followed with full military honors will be held in the National Cemetery of the Alleghenies at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Wounded Warrior Project in Eugene's memory.

Tribute Wall

MG

“ *Michelle Granata lit a candle in memory of Col. Eugene P Powers Jr*



Michelle Granata - March 23, 2020 at 08:20 PM

DM

“ *D J Magoon lit a candle in memory of Col. Eugene P Powers Jr*



D J Magoon - March 21, 2020 at 05:33 AM

CF

“ *Dianna, I am so very sorry, you have my deepest sympathy. Keeping you and your family in thoughts and prayers.*

Caren Forschner - March 20, 2020 at 05:44 PM

MM

“ One of the greatest man/friend I've ever met. We went through so much together. He was in a horrible accident, his buddy took him in while he recovered. I spent so many nights with him drinking scotch, talking about his old days. I was locked out of my car while it was running on the absolute coldest night ever. It was 2:30 in the morning I called Gene he came down , no questions asked warmed me up in his car until the police came and opened my door. I know he saved my life. Gene was always there for however needed him. I love you brother rest peacefully. You deserve it.

Mick McFarland - March 19, 2020 at 11:45 PM

SL

“ Sylvester Lukaszewicz lit a candle in memory of Col. Eugene P Powers Jr



Sylvester Lukaszewicz - March 19, 2020 at 09:37 AM

CR

“ Cris lit a candle in memory of Col. Eugene P Powers Jr



Cris - March 18, 2020 at 12:10 PM

HW

“ Howard E Wilkes lit a candle in memory of
Col. Eugene P Powers Jr



Howard E Wilkes - March 18, 2020 at 12:05 PM

MG

*A great friend who helped me get a great hearing aid from the
vets!!!Rest in peace forever!!! Jeri Granata*

Michelle Granata - March 23, 2020 at 08:46 PM