



Gary A. Saage

January 9, 1934 - January 5, 2020

SAAGE, GARY A., 85, of Teaneck died peacefully on Sunday, January 5, 2020. Beloved husband of 60 years to Elizabeth “Tina” (nee Coyle). Loving father of Gary, Jr., & his wife Maureen (nee Giordano). Devoted brother of June & her husband Jose Pino. Cherished Pop Pop of Gary III & his wife Vanessa, Kevin & his wife Kelsey, Brendan and Great Pop Pop of Bennett. Adored uncle to many nieces & nephews and many brother & sisters in laws in Ireland & Great Britain.

Gary attended the Wharton School of Business at the University of Pennsylvania and received his Master of Public Administration from Fairleigh Dickinson University. As a Certified Public Accountant (CPA) Gary worked for various Public Accounting Firms from 1957-1967. He worked as the Chief Financial Officer for the Township of Teaneck from 1967-1991 and was the Township Manager from 1991-2000. Gary was the President of the Kiwanis Club from 1970-1971, a member of the Government Finance Officers of NJ Executive Board, Public Employees Retirement System of NJ Board of Trustees, Teaneck Scholarship Fund, Board of Directors and Teaneck Senior Service Center, Board of Directors.

Finally, Gary served his Country in the US Army from 1955-1957 and the Army Reserves from 1957-1963.

Friends and family will be received on Wednesday, January 8th from 1-5 PM

at Volk Leber Funeral Home, 789 Teaneck Road, Teaneck. A Funeral Service will be held at 4 PM during visitation. Cremation will be private.

In lieu of flowers the family is requesting donations to be made in Gary's name to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Cemetery Details

Cedar Lawn Crematory

Corner of Crooks Blvd & McClean Avenue
Paterson, NJ 07503

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 8. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Teaneck
789 Teaneck Road
Teaneck, NJ 07666
(201) 836-0202
info@volkleber.com
<https://www.volkleber.com>

Funeral Service

JAN 8. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Gary A. Saage

October 08, 2023 at 09:59 PM



“ Gary A. Saage

October 08, 2023 at 06:27 PM



“ Gary A. Saage

August 30, 2022 at 02:48 PM



“ Gary will be missed by all of us who; knew him and who have lived in Teaneck for many years. He worked very hard to make Teaneck a special Town to live in. Rest in Peace.

Micki Shilan - January 07, 2020 at 10:31 AM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Gary A. Saage.



January 06, 2020 at 11:33 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Gary A. Saage.*



January 06, 2020 at 11:25 AM



“ *We will fondly remember Gary as a devoted husband, father and grandfather and his passion for the Township of Teaneck.. He was caring, calculating, methodical, insightful and lived his life with energy and a sense of humor... we extend our heartfelt condolences to Tina, Gary Jr. and the entire extended Saage family... Teaneck and all of us are better off for having been touched by a steadfast friend and poised gentleman.. Rest in Peace, Gary... Respectfully.
Paul and Ricki Ostrow*



Paul Ostrow - January 06, 2020 at 06:25 AM



*Surprised and saddened to learn of Mr. Saages' passing. He was a formidable Township Manager and the consummate advocate and behind the scenes voice for the senior center. He shared his gift and knowledge preparing the income tax returns gratis for the seniors since his retirement. He was an unwavering champion of the Recreation Dept and a true friend to the Senior Citizens of the township. He will be missed by his bridge partners as well as the leadership staff of the Rodda Community Center. Mr. Saage was an outstanding steward for the township in both of his positions. He is truly worthy of the highest praise! Thank you for your service, leadership and example.
Go with God Mr. Saage
Lurlean Gillispie*

Lurlean Gillispie - January 07, 2020 at 12:22 AM