



## Leo F. McAndrew

April 5, 2018

Leo F. McAndrew, age 91, passed away on Thursday, April 5, 2018 while residing at the Mennonite Home. Born in Scranton, PA on November 14, 1926 a son of the late Leo and Rose McAndrew.

Leo proudly served in the U.S. Navy during WWII. He earned his Bachelor's degree in Engineering from Penn State University and his Master's degree from New York University. Leo retired from AT&T in 1986.

He enjoyed watching NASCAR, listening to music, going to the gym, and taking care of his personal health.

He is survived by many nieces and nephews.

Services will be private at the convenience of the family.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Leo F. McAndrew*

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“ God bless you Uncle Leo. I’ll never forget when I was very young and you would need to return to New York after a visit with us in Scranton. I always wanted to leave with you and would settle myself in your car ready to leave together on the trip. We would wave goodbye to everyone and set off for New York; or so I thought. Instead of New York you would take me out for a hamburger. We went to a place called “Stop and Go” in downtown Scranton on Lackawanna Avenue. It was near and across the street from the train station. They were my favorite burgers and still are, though they have been gone for years. I’ve told my children about those burgers. The burger was probably nothing very special, it was the adventure I thought you and I were about to begin that made the food taste so good. Inevitably, after a burger and probably fries and a chocolate milk shake, we’d get back in your car and you’d take me home. I really don’t remember how I dealt with that. I don’t remember being upset, just happy for the abbreviated adventure we had together. I didn’t make it to New York for many years later, but I did visit many places around the world while serving in the Navy; as you did. I’ve wondered over the years if my need for travel and adventure began with those trips to New York I thought I would have with you. Of course, back then going out for a burger was a big deal and an experience in itself; that must have satisfied me for a while.

*As you know, we don’t necessarily say goodbye to shipmates in the Navy. We bid “FairWinds and Following Seas.” And you know what that means. Splice the mainbrace if they let you.*

*Gary Scanlon*

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**Gary Scanlon** - April 08, 2018 at 09:44 PM

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“ *Dear Uncle Leo, we wish you peace and rest. We will miss our visits with you and our dinners at Long Horns Steak House. You will be forever in our hearts. Love always, Brian, Helen, and Zachary Scanlon.*

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**Brian Scanlon** - April 06, 2018 at 08:23 PM