



Ralph C. Bair

July 13, 2014

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Ralph C. Bair Jr., 88, of Conestoga, passed away Friday, July 11, 2014. Born Sept. 11, 1925, he was the son of the late Ralph C. Bair Sr. and Florence Doman Bair. He was married 50 years to Betty Mae (Hogentogler) Bair who died in 2004.

Ralph served in the U.S. Navy during World War II aboard the USS Nevada. He worked at various restaurants such as The Bair Den and The Host, he owned and operated his own food truck, Speeds #3 Steak Shop, and also worked at Armstrong, to name a few. He was a member of AMVETS, Ephrata Legion, and Conestoga New Life Center. Ralph enjoyed spending time with his family, motorcycling, bicycling, working out and weight lifting.

Ralph is survived by a son, Chris Bair, husband of Barb (Sahd) Bair, of Conestoga; granddaughter Amanda, wife of Ryan Harrison of Pequea; and two great-granddaughters Ella and Collette. He also is survived by daughter Debbie Zelek of Lititz and her children Nicole, Danielle, Kelly, and Joshua; daughter-in-law Elaine and her children Michael and Jennie Bair; a sister, Nancy Grimm; and a brother, Robert Bair, husband of Joan Bair. Ralph was preceded in death by his son Ralph C. Bair III, who died in 1983, and his sister Mary (Bair) Tearney.

A Celebration of Life Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, July 17, 2014 at 10:30 a.m. at The Groffs Family Funeral Services, 528 West Orange Street (corner of Orange and Pine streets), Lancaster, PA 17603. Friends may call at The Groffs Family Funeral Services from 9:30-10:30 a.m. on Thursday. Burial with military honors provided by the Red Rose Honor Guard will be at Conestoga Memorial Park.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ralph C. Bair*

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“ *I was sorry to hear about Ralph. Always admired the way he came back from his stroke and how hard he tried dealing with his diabetes.
glad I got to know him.*

Brad Hepfer - July 17, 2014 at 06:29 PM



“ *To all who knew Ralph over the years, be at peace knowing he is in Gods loving care.*

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