



Obituary

Born: Tuesday, June 6, 1933

Died: Friday, January 17, 2020

Peter J. Orlando, 86, formerly of West Wyoming, passed away on Friday January 17, 2020 at the Geisinger South Residential Hospice, Wilkes-Barre.

Born in West Wyoming, he was the son of the late Joseph and Marion Noto Orlando.

Mr. Orlando was a graduate of West Wyoming High School and a member of St. Monica's Parish, West Wyoming.

He was a U.S. Army Veteran serving his country during the Korean War.

Prior to his retirement, his last two employments were for Service Electric Cable and The Dept. of Veteran Affairs.

Peter was involved in many charitable organizations and boards. In the past he was a member of the West Wyoming Borough Council, Deputy Director of Luzerne County Veteran Affairs, member of the American Legion Post 904 for over 40 where he served as Commander for a few terms, member of the VFW, AMVETS, Vietnam Veterans and Korean War Veterans. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, 4th degree assembly. Peter was also named Man of the Year by the Italian American Association of Luzerne County where he served as treasurer, president and Chairman of the Board.

He was the coordinator for the "Musical Extravaganza" that helped raised funds for the Desert Storm Memorial and was also instrumental in the dedication of the Korean War monument in Wyoming.

Other passions of Peter's were performing with the I.L.G.W.U chorus for over 40 years and in his spare time for over 30 years coordinated the Wyoming/West Wyoming Memorial Day parade.

He was preceded in death by his wife the former Joan Hopkins in 2006 and a sister Bessie Orlando.

Surviving are his sister, Carmella Locascio, West Wyoming and nieces and nephews, Jean (Nello) Talamelli, , Joseph (Jody) Locascio and Vincent (Carol) Locascio, all of West Wyoming, along with numerous great nieces and great nephews.

Relatives and friends are invited to a visitation on Monday from 6-8pm at the Gubbiotti Funeral Home, LLC, 1030

Service Summary

Visitation

6:00 PM to 8:00 PM, Mon Jan 20, 2020

Gubbiotti Funeral Home,LLC

1030 Wyoming Ave.
Exeter, Pennsylvania 18643

Interment

Tue Jan 21, 2020

Military Honors

9:30 AM Tue Jan 21, 2020

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Mass of Christian Burial

10:00 AM Tue Jan 21, 2020

St. Monica's Parish (Our Lady of Sorrows Church)

8th St.
West Wyoming, Pennsylvania 18644

Wyoming Ave., Exeter.

Interment will be in Mount Olivet Roman Catholic Cemetery,
Carverton.

Military funeral services accorded by the AMVETS Honor
Guard will be on Tuesday at 9:30am January 21, 2020 from
the funeral home.

A Mass of Christian burial will follow at 10am at St.
Monica's Parish 363 W. 8th St., West Wyoming with the
Rev. Peter A. Tomczak, pastor as celebrant.

To send the family an expression of sympathy or an online
condolence, please visit www.gubbiottifh.com