



## Mr. George A. Leoni

November 23, 1918 - September 3, 2014

George A. Leoni of Melrose Park, Army Veteran and recipient of the Purple Heart Medal. Dearly beloved husband of the late Lena nee Petruzzi. Loving father of Georgia Buvak, Donna Peluso. Cherished Papa of Carlene (Ken) Greifelt, Michalene (James) Tjeerdema, Roberta (Christopher) Heintz, George (Lauren) and Anthony Peluso. Loving Great Papa of Jona, Jimmy, Jake, Logan, Bowie, Blaise, Nico. Dear Brother of Ora (the late Tex) Simon, Madeline (the late Joe) Belline, the late Richard and Gemma Leoni and the late Vadie Autry, the late William Leoni, the late Velencia, the late Alberta and Donald Provenzano, the late Anita Leoni. Loving companion of Madeline Pyka. Fond Uncle and friend of many. 40 year Executive Director of Verteran's Park District, Proviso Township's Mental Health Commissioner, PARC (Proviso Association For Retarded Children), now know as ASPIRI. Board member of Joint Civic Committee of Italian Americans. Chairman of Italo American National Union. Board of Director for Villa Scalabrini Home for the Aged. Member of Illinois Parks and Recreation Association. Member of Disabled American Veterans. Member of Veteran of Foreign Wars. Member of 33rd WWII Infantry Veteran Division. Honorary member of Melrose Park Fraternal Order of Police, member of Illinois Fire and Police Commissioner's Association, Sponsor of Melrose Park Little League, Sponsor of Flames Hockey Team. Funeral Saturday 9am from Hursen Funeral Home 4001 West Roosevelt Road, Hillside to Sacred Heart Church mass 10am. Interment Queen of the Heaven Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations to Wounded

Warriors Project would be appreciated. Visitation Friday 3 until 9pm. 708-547-8200 - See more at: <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/chicagotribune/obituary.aspx?n=George-Leoni&pid=172353960#sthash.H4whauk5.dpuf>

# Cemetery Details

**Queen of Heaven Cemetery**

# Tribute Wall



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October 05, 2023 at 03:04 AM



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September 08, 2022 at 03:08 AM