



Howard A. Seifer

August 31, 1925 - November 27, 2017

Howard A. Seifer, 92, of Estero, FL, passed away on Monday, November 27, 2017. Formerly of Homewood, IL, he had been an Estero resident since 1997. He was born August 31, 1925 in Chicago, IL, the son of Samuel D. and Florence (née Lapin) Seifer.

He was a U.S. Army veteran, serving with honor in the European Theatre in France in the Ardennes. He was awarded the Purple Heart and the French Republic Legion of Honor for his distinguished service with the title of Chevalier. This is considered the 4th most prestigious medal/award in the world, a notch above and Olympic Gold medal and only 2 below a Nobel Peace Prize.

Mr. Seifer is survived by his loving wife of 46 years, Frances E. (née Yedwab) Seifer; his beloved sons, David (Cindy) Seifer, M.D. of New Haven, CT, Frederic D. Seifer, M.D. of Potsdam, NY and Adam (Alicia) Seifer, Esq. of Charlotte, NC; and nine cherished grandchildren, Daniel, Rebekah, Benjamin, Aaron, Charles, Ethan, Sloane, Kylee and Brayden.

Services and inurnment with Military Honors will take place at Arlington National Cemetery at a later date and will be announced.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that memorial contributions be made to

the American Heart Association or the DAV Charitable Service Trust.

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Arlington National Cemetery

Arlington, VA 22211

<http://arlingtoncemetery.mil>

Tribute Wall



“ *Howard A. Seifer*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *Thinking of you with much love today Fran. The obituary notice was beautiful. Harry and Nancy*

Nancy Meislahn - December 04, 2017 at 11:17 PM



“ *Our lasting memories of Howard were his intellegence, youthfulness of spirit, honesty, fiestiness, his true enjoyment of life, and always a welcoming smile. His absence has created a void in our lives and he will be greatly missed. Sam and R*

Sam and R

Sam and Arlene Detina - December 02, 2017 at 06:42 PM



Thanks Sam and R. You have been dear friends and your friendship meant a lot to both of us. Weathering the storm Irma was a lot easier than weathering this. You both are dearly appreciated.

Fran - December 03, 2017 at 03:26 PM

MR

“ Howard, we met on the Meditrarin Curise with your lovely wife Fran in the year 2000, You were are great couple and we had lots of fun with you. It was a long cruise and we saw each other every day. We enjoyed having dinner with you on the ship. Since then, Fran and I have become "computer pals" and keep in touch often. She told me of your golfing and tennis playing, all good reports. I guess there for awhile you double with her. She has keep me informed of you sons achievements, rightly so. I was so sadden with the news of your passing. I know of your previous ailments. This was something I hadn't heard about. Fran has lost a great husband and companion. I know you continued to take cruises. The 2000 trip for Merl and I was the 12th cruise together. After 2000, we took a couple cruse's on the Calif. and Mexico coast. Also went to Hawaii a cople of times. But not a big cruise like the Mmeditraranin one. It's hard to fine the irght words to say good-bye. I just pray you are at peace now and out of pain. I hope they have a golf course, tennis court and a cruise line in heaven. Then when Fran comes to stay you can continue your wonderful life together. Merl passed away Oct., 2015 .We were married 45 wonderful years. I know you and Fran had us beat. if you look careful enough, you might see him fishing, hunting, gardening or playing golf. All the things he loved to do. You can be pals again. Till then, God speed.' Cheers' and Fore!. Marsha Rees

Marsha Rees - December 02, 2017 at 09:47 AM

FR

Marsha - You have always been a thoughtful and dear friend despite the distance. Howard always enjoyed Merl's company and we had fun times aboard ship together. Thanks for your kind thoughts. Fran

Fran - December 03, 2017 at 03:27 PM