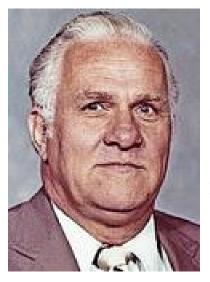
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Howard A Bartow, 90, of Hackettstown, NJ, passed away Sunday, Aug. 27, 2017, at Colonial Manor of Hackettstown, NJ, after a long battle with cancer. Mr. Bartow was born April 11, 1927, in Morristown, NJ, to the late John and Ada (Pyle) Bartow of Vienna, NJ. In addition to his parents, Howard was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Marilyn Dorcas Bartow, and his daughter, Jacalyn. Howard was the CEO of Conneaut Leather, Conneaut, OH, before retiring. Prior to moving to Ashtabula, OH, in 1975, he was a partner in Middletown Leather of Middletown, NY, and Hackettstown, NJ. He produced leather for Ford, GM and Chrysler. He also furnished leather for the furniture industry and book binders. He was recognized more than once for "Leatherman of the Year" for his innovative leather finishes and processes. He served in the US Navy from 1944 to 1945 as an accountant in Corpus Christi, Texas. He was an avid

golfer, a member of the Ashtabula Country Club, Ashtabula Elks, the Rotary and the American Legion. He, along with his son, Bradley, were members of the NEBO Hunting Lodge in Bushkill, PA. He is survived by his son, Bradley Bartow and wife Lauren of Hope, NJ; his loving granddaughter, Megan Bartow and fiance Douglas Sloyer of Belvidere, NJ, and beloved grandson, Bradley Bartow II and wife Jenna of Belvidere, NJ. At the request of the family, all services are private. For those desiring, donations may be made to the <u>American Cancer Society</u>, c/o Megan Bartow, 124 Wall Street, Belvidere, NJ 07823. Cochran Funeral Home 905 High St. Hackettstown, NJ 07840 (908) 852-3361

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