OBITUARY

John J. Davis

John J. Davis of Hackettstown died on Jan. 15 at East Orange Veterans Hospital after a long illness. He was 80.

Born in Ralston, Pa., he was the son of the late John C. and Agnes Hilkert Davis. He lived in Williamsport, Pa., before coming to Hackettstown 13 years ago.

He was a retired Army veteran. He served on active duty with Battery D, 107th FA, from 1940-1945. He was stationed in Burma and was awarded a Bronze Star.

He was a member of Our Lady of the Mountain Roman Catholic Church, Schooley's Mountain; Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 282, Hackettstown, and American Legion Blue Ridge Post 164, Hackettstown.

He was a member of the Hackettstown Elks No. 231 and the Joyce Kilmer Council 2483 Knight of Columbus, Hackettstown. He was a fourth degree knight.

Mr. Davis is survived by William and Joan Melanson of Hackettstown, with whom he lived for 20 years; and their daughters, Darrah Marcinko of New Milford, Conn., and Maura Melanson, at home.

Funeral services were to be Jan. 20 from the Cochran Funeral Home, 905 High St., Hackettstown, to a 10:15 a.m. Mass of Christian Burial at Our Lady of the Mountain Church, Schooley's Mountain. Interment was to be in Brig. Gen. W.C. Doyle Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Arneytown.

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HACKETTSTOWN — John J. Davis, 80, of College View Drive, died Friday, Jan. 15, in East Orange Veterans Hospital, after a long illness.

He retired many years ago after a career in the U.S. Army.

Born Feb. 28, 1912, in Ralston, Pa., he was a son of the late John C. and Agnes Hilkert Davis. He lived in Hackettstown for the last 13 years, moving from Williamsport, Pa.

He was a member of Our Lady of the Mountain Church in Schooley's Mountain, the VFW Post No. 282, the American Legion Post No. 164, and the Elks Post No. 231, all of Hackettstown. He was also a member of the Joyce Kilmer Council No. 2483 of the Knights of Columbus, where he served as a 4th Degree Knight.

He served in Central Burma with Battery "D" 107th First Artillery in U.S. Army from 1940 to 1945, and received a Bronze Star.

He is survived by a family with whom he lived for the past 20 years: William and Joan Melanson of Hackettstown, and their daughters, Darrah Marcinko of New Milford, Conn., and Maura, at home.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:15 a.m. Wednesday in Our Lady of the Mountain Church, Schooley's Mountain. Burial will be in Brigadier General W.C. Doyle Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Arneytown, N.J.

There will be no calling hours.

The Cochran Funeral Home, 905 High St., Hackettstown, is in charge of arrangements.

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