

Orville Reed Jones

HACKETTSTOWN — Orville Reed Jones, 77, died Tuesday, March 8, 2005 in Newton Memorial Hospital, Newton.

Born June 5, 1927 in Bronx, N.Y., he was a son of the late Orville Sr. and Lana Rennee Vannauker Jones.

He and his wife, the former, Elizabeth Finnerty, were married in 1950.

Mr. Jones was a manufacturing rep with Triumph Machinery, Hackettstown. He graduated from Northeastern University with a degree in engineering (1951). He lived in Hackettstown for 28 years, coming from Deer Park, N.Y. Mr. Jones served in the Navy during World War II, 1945 to 1947. He was of the Methodist faith. He enjoyed fishing and golf; had a sense of humor and was quite a conversationalist.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two sons, Richard C. of Manhattan, Kan., Michael R. of Jacksonville, N.C.; a daughter, Mary "Beth" Wagner of Leola, Pa.; nine grandchildren, two step-grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Services and arrangements were by the Cochran Funeral Home, Hackettstown. Burial was private.

Memorial donations may be made to the New Jersey Special Olympics, P.O. Box 3589, Princeton, N.J. 08543-3589.

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