

OBITUARY

Norman D. Lemasters

Norman D. Lemasters, 66, of Great Meadows, died May 4 at Hackettstown Community Hospital.

Born April 27, 1935 in Manhattan, NY, he lived in Hackettstown and Great Meadows area all of his life.

He was the son of the late C. Raymond and Cora Eckel Lemasters.

He was the owner of Norm's Auto Parts, Hackettstown for the past 35 years.

From 1954-1957, he was in the Air Force.

A Civil War Weapons expert, he belonged to the following organizations: The North South

Association - Washington Artillery Unit of the Confederate States of America where he served as former commander; the Single Action Shooting Society - National Organization; served on the Executive Board of NJ Arms Collectors; life member of the Muzzle Loaders Assoc. and the NRA; former member of the Union Historical Fire Society, New Jersey.

He was currently involved with the erecting of the "Billy Yank" statue in Hackettstown, which will be placed and dedicated this Memorial Day. Previously, he served as a Special Police Officer in Liberty Township. He also served as a leader in Cub Scout pack #148, Hackettstown.

In the 1970s he was a Professional Stock Car Race Driver, racing in Flemington and Nazareth Speedways. His cars were "K9" and "Purple 21."

Survivors include his wife, Doris Y. Mooney Lemasters, a daughter, Barb Lemasters, of Great Meadows; two sons, N. Daniel Lemasters Jr. of Towns-bury and Edward C. Lemasters of Great Meadows; two brothers, Raymond of Hackettstown and Carl of Evanston, Ill. and four grandsons.

He is predeceased by a brother, Ron Lemasters Sr., who died in 2000.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to "Billy Yank Statue" c/o All Aboard/Civil War Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 948, Hackettstown, N.J. or The Hackettstown Rescue Squad.

Services were by Cochran Funeral Home, Hackettstown. Interment was private.

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