## **OBITUARY**

Gabriel Lucas Served in WWII and owned a sign shop in Newark, 93 Gabriel Lucas, 93, of Hackettstown, N.J., formerly of Mays Landing, N.J., died Friday, February 3, 2017, at the House of the Good Shepherd in Hackettstown. He was born Dec. 2, 1923, in Scranton, Pa. He was the son of the late Paul and Anna (Vayda) Lukacik (Lucas). In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Ann; his sisters, Mary Andrejack, Margaret Steindel, and Agnes Lucas, and brother, Paul Lucas. He is survived by a brother, Elmer Lucas; a niece, Christine Florence and husband, James; a nephew, Richard Andrejack and wife, Jean, and a nephew, Robert Steindel and companion, Tammy. Gabriel served proudly in the United States Coast Guard during World War II. He owned and operated the Beaver Sign Shop in Newark, N.J. Gabriel was an artist, an avid reader, enjoyed doing the daily crossword puzzle, and playing the lottery. Visitation will be private. Entombment will be held in Holy Cross Mausoleum, Mays Landing, on Monday, Feb. 6, at 1:30 p.m.

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