

OBITUARY

Wilbur P. Stender

Services were held Nov. 12 for Wilbur Paul "Bill" Stender, 73, who died Nov. 9 in King of Prussia, Pa., after a long illness.

He was born in Hackettstown.

Mr. Stender had retired as a major in the U.S. Army after serving 21 years. His last assignment was in the Valley Forge (Pa.) Army Hospital.

He also worked at the Philadelphia Navy Yard and for the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources.

He was a veteran of World War II and the Korean War, and was a life member of the National Retired Officers' Association. He was a member of American Legion Post 863 and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7878.

Mr. Stender is survived by his wife, Mary Jacqueline; four sons, James P. of Macungie, Pa., William A. and Thomas P. of San Diego, Calif., and Michael G., stationed with the U.S. Army in Fort Rucker, Ala.; a daughter, Sandra Hengstebeck of Upper Merion Township, Pa.; a brother, Arthur C. of Springfield; a sister, Mildred Manning of Wayne; and five grandchildren.

Burial was in Washington Memorial Chapel Cemetery, Valley Forge National Historic Park. The Bacchi Funeral Home Ltd. of Bridgeport, Pa., was in charge of arrangements.

The family requests memorial donations be made to Wissahickon Hospice, 1541 Powell St., Norristown, Pa. 19401-3335.

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