



## John "Ron" R. Williams

January 28, 1934 - January 19, 2020

### Glens Falls:

John "Ron" R. Williams, 85, a resident of Glens Falls, passed away peacefully on Sunday, January 19, 2020 at his home.

Born January 28, 1934 in Rutland, Vermont, he was son of the late Griffith O. and Ruth M. (Williams) Williams of Fair Haven, Vermont.

He was a graduate of Fair Haven High School and the University of Vermont. For 38 years, he held various positions with the General Electric Company in the Information Systems/ Management Fields. Ron was a 60-year member of Eureka Lodge # 75, Free & Accepted Masons, of Fair Haven, Vermont. He was a member of the Scottish Rite Valley of Troy and the Albany Consistory, the Oriental Shriners of Shriners International, the Glens Falls Shrine Club and the Keystone Kops, participating in many parades. Member and Past Director of Troy Court, Royal Order of Jesters. He was a former member of the Board of Directors of the Gerald B.H. Solomon Freedom Foundation. He was a good friend and supporter of Past Congressman Solomon and as a result was able to attend many important events and view many important artifacts in Washington.

Ron was proud of his Welsh heritage and a member of the Poultney area St. Davis's Society. He married his high school sweetheart Kay and they celebrated 64 years of marriage together. Ron was happiest when spending time with his daughters, grandchildren and great grandchildren, who lovingly called him their "Taid". He enjoyed traveling, cruising, planning trips and a week in Maine for forty-five years with his family as well as being an avid Boston Red Sox and New England Patriots fan.

In addition to his parents, he is predeceased by his sister, Phyllis J. Williams, formerly of Fair Haven.

Survivors include his wife Kathleen (Joudry) Williams; daughter, Deborah W. (Paul J.) Pringle of Bear, Delaware, Rhonda J. (L. Stanley) Bowers of Redding, California; grandchildren, Ryan J. (Meghan) Pringle of Pennsylvania, Amanda K. Pringle of Delaware, Tamara (Travis) Shenk, Daniel (Rachelle) Bowers and Joseph (Brenna) Bowers of California; great grandchildren, Andrew Williams Pringle of Pennsylvania, Alexander J. Shenk, Henry S. Shenk, Paisley M. Bowers, Brooklyn G. Bowers, Aubrey J. Bowers, Oliver L. Bowers, Charles J. Bowers and Kathleen R. Bowers of California and his

cousins, John L. Williams of Sarasota, Florida, Dr. Judith K. Williams of Santa Fe, New Mexico and Norman E. Williams, Jr. of Fair Haven, Vermont; brother-in-law, Kermit Joudry of Athens, Tennessee; sister-in-law, Janet Sabo of Hudson Falls, New York.

Calling hours are scheduled from 3:00 to 5:00 pm on Thursday, January 23, 2020 at the Regan Denny Stafford Funeral Home, 53 Quaker Rd, Queensbury, followed by a Masonic service at 5:00 pm.

Spring burial will take place at Cedar Grove Cemetery, Fair Haven, VT.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Shriners Hospital for Children, 516 Carew St., Springfield, MA. 01104 or to the American Heart Association, 4 Atrium Drive, # 100, Albany, NY 12205.

# Events

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**JAN**   **Calling Hours**   03:00PM - 05:00PM

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Regan Denny Stafford Funeral Home - Queensbury  
53 Quaker Road, Queensbury, NY, US, 12804

# Comments

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“ Sorry to hear about Ron, please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you. He was one of the good guys. Sincerely, Sue and Bob Carty

**Sue & Bob Carty** - January 23 at 11:37 AM

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“ I had the pleasure to work with Ron at GE my thoughts and prayers are with you and family Charlie Mead

**charlie mead** - January 22 at 10:37 PM

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“ Betty and I were truly saddened to read of Ron's passing in today's paper. Our prayers are with you. We are sorry that we are not able to be with you.

We truly relish our long association with Ron and family as a result of our mutual love for the Adirondack Red Wings.....what great times we had and what great memories we have to cherish.

We loved and enjoyed Ron. May he Rest In Peace as we reflect on all the great times we enjoyed together.

Jim and Betty Canavan

**JAMES Canavan** - January 22 at 10:31 AM

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“ WITH DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY-RIP RON.  
(MY LATE HUSBAND "COKE" WORKED W/RON AT GE-SYSTEMS) AND I  
WORKED THERE ALSO.

**BETTE-JEAN COFRANCISCO** - January 22 at 10:28 AM