



Stanley Field Caulkins

1925 - 2018



Stanley F. Caulkins, 92, of Leesburg, Virginia, passed on Friday, January 12, 2018, at his home in Leesburg, Virginia.

Stanley was born on Tuesday, October 6, 1925, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He was one of four sons of the late Rev. Charles Whitney and the late Eunice Field Caulkins, Jr..

He served as a Tech Sergeant in the United States Army Air Corps and flew a B-17 Bomber as a radioman during World War II and post-war reconstruction supporting relief missions.

He was a member of the Leesburg Rotary from 1947 to the present, serving as president in 1965. Stanley was a past Quartermaster for VFW Post 1177.



Stanley was a businessman in Leesburg, owning Caulkins Jewelers for decades. He served on the Town Council and chaired the airport commission for many years. He was an avid pilot. The terminal building at the Leesburg Executive Airport is named in his honor. His recollection of his time in Leesburg includes his many relationships with the likes of Governor Westmorland Davis, General George Marshall and entertainer Arthur Godfrey.

He was a friend to everyone in Leesburg.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, Charles Whitney Caulkins, Jr., Roger William Caulkins and niece, Elizabeth Lynn Caulkins.

Survivors include his brother Reverent Thomas Caulkins and wife Ann of Murfreesboro, NC; sister-in-law Elizabeth W. Caulkins; and several nephews, nieces and great-nephews and great-nieces.

- American in Wartime Museum Profile on Stanley Caulkins: www.namaw.org/war/stanley-caulkins/

- Loudon Laurels 2012 Stanley F. Caulkins Interview: www.youtube.com/watch?v=hg9dnDVn37k

