



## Martin J. Garvey Jr.

April 22, 1924 - November 9, 2014

In New Haven November 9, 2014 Martin J. Garvey, Jr. 90, of Hamden and Boynton Beach, FL. Beloved husband of Claire Shea Garvey. Loving father of Martin J. Garvey, III of Ashland, MA, William F. Garvey and Justin T. Garvey both of Hamden, brother of Rita Garvey Hughes of Cheshire. Also survived by his 6 cherished grandchildren Kelly DePalma, Ian Gatavaski, Martin J. Garvey, IV, Elizabeth Garvey, James Garvey and Marika Garvey. Predeceased by a daughter Mandy Gatavaski. He was born in Hamden April 22, 1924, son of the late Martin J. Sr. and Julia Kelly Garvey. Martin proudly served his country during WWII in the U.S. Army Air Corps. and retired as Lieutenant in the Air Corps. Reserves. Prior to his retirement he was an English Teacher at West Haven High School for many years. Mr. Garvey attended the Junior College of Commerce which was interrupted by WWII, he then graduated from Providence College, received his Masters Degree from Yale University and his Sixth Year Certificate from the University of Bridgeport.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be Celebrated Thursday at 10 a.m. in St. Mary's Church, 5 Hillhouse Ave. New Haven. Friends are asked to go directly to church. Private burial in St. Mary's Cemetery in Hamden. The family will receive friends Wednesday from 4 - 8 p.m. in Sisk Brothers Funeral Home 3105 Whitney Ave. Hamden. To leave an online condolence please visit [www.siskbrothers.com](http://www.siskbrothers.com)

# Cemetery Details

## St. Mary Cemetery

3102 Whitney Ave.  
Hamden, CT

# Previous Events

## Calling hours

NOV 12. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Sisk Brothers Funeral Home  
3105 Whitney Ave.  
Hamden, CT 06518  
(203) 288-7114  
[siskfuneral@sbcglobal.net](mailto:siskfuneral@sbcglobal.net)

## Funeral service

NOV 13. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary's Church  
5 Hillhouse Ave.  
New Haven, CT

# Tribute Wall

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“ *You are all in my thoughts and prayers.*  
*Sara Dixon*

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**sara dixon** - November 12, 2014 at 04:54 PM

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“ *My deepest sympathy to Claire and the whole Garvey Family. He was such a wonderful man. I'm so grateful to have known him. May he rest in peace.*

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**Lynn LaFrance** - November 11, 2014 at 05:58 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Martin J. Garvey Jr..*



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November 11, 2014 at 09:24 AM

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“ *My deepest sympathies go out to your family. Jack was a wonderful person and a great mentor to me. I recall him coming into the Little Theatre and giving me advice during my first year of teaching. He was always there to lend an ear when I needed to vent. He will be missed.*

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**Barbara Evangelista** - November 11, 2014 at 09:00 AM

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“ *A true gentleman, professional, and scholar with whom I taught. Fond memories of Jack and sadness to hear of his passing. My condolences to all family members and especially Claire with her beautiful smile which I remember so well.*

*Ralph Ferriolo*

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**Ralph Ferriolo** - November 11, 2014 at 08:49 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Martin J. Garvey Jr..*



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November 11, 2014 at 08:42 AM