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DAVID "GENE" MYERS

PORTSMOUTH —David "Gene" Myers, 90, of Portsmouth, died Thursday, March 29, 2018 at Pristine Senior Living Center.

He was born March 8, 1928 in Lawrence County to the late David Wilson Myers and Ruth Gannon Myers.

Gene was a retired electrician. He was also a former professional baseball player in the Brooklyn Dodgers' Organization.

He was a member of First Christian Church, and a Mason. He was a member

of I.B.E.W. Local #575; and a Shawnee State Golden Bear.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two great-grandchildren, Whitney Matiz and Zoe Welch; and two brothers, Sonny Kleinmann and Shay Myers.

Gene is survived by his wife, Emma Jean Jones Myers, whom he married on October 6, 1947 in Portsmouth; one son, Fred (Mitzi) Myers of Portsmouth; three daughters, Cheryl Matiz of Portsmouth, Cathy (Dan) Bangor of Newark and Cindy (David) Brittain of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; five grandchildren, David and Josh Myers, Josh Matiz, Lindsay Barron and Erin Roseberry; and four great-grandchildren, J.D. Matiz, Laren Matiz, Conor Welch and Miles Roseberry.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, April 3, 2018 at F.C. Daehler Mortuary Company in Portsmouth with Rev. Tom Williams officiating. Interment will be in Greenlawn Cemetery. Visitation will be 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Monday at Daehlers and one hour prior to the service on Tuesday at Daehlers.

Memorial donations may be made to SOMC Hospice, 2201 25th Street, Portsmouth, Ohio 45662.

Funeral Home

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