

Edwin Moran(1928 - 2015)

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'Biggie'

Hyde Park - Ed "Biggie" Moran, 87, passed away peacefully on Monday, November 16, 2015 with his family by his side.

He was born on June 4, 1928 in Harrison, New York to the late James and Geraldine Smith Moran.

Biggie started playing baseball in high school and was a star athlete. He went on to play for the Schenectady Baseball Club in 1946. He then signed with the Poughkeepsie Chiefs in 1949, where he pitched a no-hitter. He was inducted into the Dutchess County Sports Hall of Fame in 1985.

He proudly served in the [United States Navy](#) on the destroyer USS Gainard from 1950-1953; attaining the rank of Petty Officer 3rd Class. He also played baseball on the Gainard Team in Italy.

Ed met Marilyn Gleason in 1954, and married her on September 3, 1955 at St. Mary's Church in Poughkeepsie. Mrs. Moran survives at home.

He worked at IBM for 30 years in Quality Control, retiring in 1985.

"Biggie" coached and was a referee for CYO Basketball at St. Peter's Church. He loved to play golf, and won numerous tournaments, even sinking a hole-in-one.

He loved the beach - summers on Long Beach Island in New Jersey, and winters in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. He loved to paint and sketch in his spare time.

People thought of him as the Mayor of the Eveready Diner in Hyde Park, where he frequented often with his wife.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by his children, Mark Moran and wife, Donna, Monica Moran McCartin and husband, John, Matthew Moran and wife, Lisa, MauraLyn Moran Recchia and husband, Rick, and Michael Moran.

He has eleven grandchildren, Jason, Ashley, Jennifer, Amanda, Dylan, Casey, Ian, Lauren, Kimmie, Kristy, and Allen. He also has twelve great-grandchildren; two brothers, Robert and Joseph Moran; and several nieces and nephews.

"Biggie" was predeceased by his brothers, James, Richard, and Raymond Moran; and sister, Adelaide Decker.

Calling hours are 4 to 8pm on Friday, November 20, 2015 at Sweet's Funeral Home, Inc., Rte. 9, Hyde Park.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Saturday, November 21st, 10am, at Our Lady of the Rosary Chapel of Saint Peter's Parish, 185 Hudson View Drive, Poughkeepsie, NY.

Burial with military honors will follow in the family plot at St. Peter's Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, Ed's family respectfully requests memorial donations to [The Michael J. Fox Foundation](#) - Donations, P.O. Box 5014, Hagerstown, MD 21741. www.michaeljfox.org

Arrangements are under the direction of Sweet's Funeral Home, Inc., Rte. 9, Hyde Park.

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