



## Carl G. Rehfeldt

March 26, 1921 - May 24, 2016

Carl G. Rehfeldt, 95, well-known resident of Towanda Pa. passed away Tuesday morning, May 24, 2016 after a brief illness.

Carl was born March 26, 1921 in Golconda, IL the son of George E. and Grace Kelley Rehfeldt. He was a graduate of Towanda High School class of 1940 and on October 9, 1941 he enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps where he proudly served during World War II until completion of his military service on January 27, 1947. Carl was seriously injured at the beach landing during the invasion of Guam after being hit with shrapnel which resulted in extensive surgery and his hospitalization for over two years. He earned several service medals and awards for his service to the country during the war. Carl received the Marine Good Conduct Medal, the Asiatic Pacific Campaign 1 Star Medal, the American Campaign Medal, the American Defense Medal WWII, the Combat Action Ribbon and was the honored recipient of the Purple Heart Medal. On September 20, 1947 he married the former Donna Clagett in Montrose, Pa. Carl entered into the vending business with his father and brother Eugene and later partnered with Eugene until his retirement.

Carl was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Towanda, life member of the Penn-York Detachment Marine Corps League, member of Towanda American Legion Post No. 42, Beirne-Webster VFW Post 1568, Towanda, Disabled American Veterans, Union Wyalusing Lodge No. 108, Towanda, Scottish Rite Bodies Valleys of Towanda and Williamsport, Bradford

County Shrine Club and Family Camper's and RVer's. Carl and Donna enjoyed traveling and over the years camped in 49 states and Canada. Carl enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren and great grandchildren attending their sports events, being with friends and playing cards especially pinochle.

Surviving are his devoted wife of 68 years, Donna Rehfeldt, daughter and son-in-law, Joan and David Birchard of Moravia, NY, grandchildren, Jason Birchard and wife Danielle of Auburn, NY, Eric Birchard and wife Christine of Hopewell Junction, NY, Lisa Birchard Mooney and husband Billy of Eugene OR, great grandchildren, Ryan and Owen Birchard, Liam and Ava Birchard and Raegan Mooney as well as several nieces, nephews and cousins.

In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by his son, Jerry Carl Rehfeldt in 1954 and brothers, Eugene and Donald Rehfeldt.

The funeral service will be held Friday, May 27, 2016 at 2:00 p.m.

at the Maryott-Bowen Funeral Home 217 York Ave. Towanda, Pa with Pastor Sherry Good of the First United Methodist Church, Towanda officiating. Burial will follow in Bradford County Memorial Park, Burlington Township, Pa with members of the Penn-York Detachment Marine Corps League and Towanda American Legion Post No. 42 according full military honors.

The family will receive friends on Friday from 1 to 2 p.m.

at the funeral home. Union Wyalusing Lodge No. 108 F. & A.M. will hold a service of remembrance Friday at 12:45 p.m. at the funeral home. The family suggests that contributions may be directed to the First United Methodist Church, 105 Main St. Towanda, PA 18848 or to TACO, P.O. Box 463, Wysox, PA 18854 in Carl's memory. Memories and condolences may be expressed by visiting [www.bowenfuneralhomes.com](http://www.bowenfuneralhomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Bradford County Memorial Park

20452 Route 6  
Towanda, PA 18848

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 27.** 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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217 York Ave.  
Towanda, PA 18848  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Carl G. Rehfeldt*

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ *Carl G. Rehfeldt*

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ *Carl G. Rehfeldt*

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ *Carl G. Rehfeldt*

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ *Carl G. Rehfeldt*

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM



“ *My condolences to Donna and her family, Carl was a fine person, all the years that I knew him as a pinochle player, will be remembered, he and the other veterans shared many hours of card playing. I was fortunate to play also.*

**Mary J. Merschbach** - May 27, 2016 at 10:07 AM

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“ Please accept our deepest sympathy. May the love of family and friends surround and comfort you all during this difficult time.

VFW Post 1536 Sayre - May 27, 2016 at 06:02 AM



“ Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Carl G. Rehfeldt.



May 26, 2016 at 07:41 PM

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“ Rocky and Nancy Lucisano & family purchased the Cherished Memories - All White for the family of Carl G. Rehfeldt.



Rocky and Nancy Lucisano & family - May 26, 2016 at 11:46 AM