



# Henry Patrick Reilly

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**H**enry Patrick Reilly, 88, a resident of Methuen, MA, and a former long time resident of both North Andover and Yarmouthport, MA, passed away at the Blaire House of Tewksbury on Monday, December 19, 2011 surrounded by his family. Born in Lawrence, MA, Mr. Reilly was educated in the Lawrence Schools and was a graduate of Lawrence High School. He had worked for Massachusetts Electric for 35 years before retiring. Mr. Reilly had served in the United States Air Force from March of 1943 until May 5, 1945. He was shot down on April 29, 1944 in Berlin, Germany and became a Prisoner of War in STALAG 17B in Krems, Austria. Mr. Reilly was a lifetime member of the V.F.W. Post 2104, as well as a member of the P.O.W. Grey Eagle Organization. He was a parishioner of St. Michael's Church in North Andover. The husband of the late Ann E. (O'Neill) Reilly, family members include his daughters: Ann Marie Corriveau, wife of the late Roger J. Corriveau of Scottsdale, AZ, and Ellen P. Lemoine and her husband Gary Lemoine of North Andover, MA. He is also survived by his grandchildren: Amy Marie Corriveau of Scottsdale, AZ, Julie Ellen Corriveau and her fianc, Kevin Baynard of San Diego, CA, Rebecca Grzanna of Bedford, NH, the late Peter R. Johnson and his wife Kimberly Johnson of North Andover, MA, and Allison M. Lemoine and her fianc, Edward Ryan of Santa Monica, CA, great grandchildren: Adrian, Tyler, Elizabeth, Joseph, and Nikolas, brother-in-law: Martin O'Neill of Baltimore, MD, sister-in-laws: Patricia C. Haley and her husband John T. Haley of Methuen, MA, and Irene Reilly wife of the late John J. Reilly of Florida, as well as several nieces and nephews. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Friday, December 23, 2011 at 10:00 A.M. in St. Michael's Church, North Andover, MA. Burial will follow in the Immaculate Conception Cemetery in Lawrence, MA. Family and friends may call on Thursday, December 22, 2011 from 4 to 8 P.M. at the John Breen Memorial Funeral Home, Inc., 122 Amesbury St., Lawrence, MA. Memorial contributions may be made to either: The Blaire House of



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Tewksbury, 2 East Resident Activity Fund, 10 Erlin Terrace, Tewksbury, MA, 01876, or to New England Hospice, 190 Old Derby St., Hingham, MA, 02043. To send an online condolence or for more information, please go to [www.breenfuneralhome.com](http://www.breenfuneralhome.com).



## Tribute Wall

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VJ

**Val & Greg James** posted:

Dear Amy, Ann Marie, Ellen and Julie, I am so sorry for your loss. Know that we are thinking of you and wish you the best during this difficult time. I hope the last two weeks have been helpful and you found this time helpful in processing everything together. Hopefully, as you pass this time of helping your dad (grandpa) transition to be with his wife you'll find comfort in happy memories. Hope to see you all soon. Amy, see you when you return to Phoenix. Love, Val and Greg James

March 7 at 8:00 PM

PD

**Paul Doolan** posted:

Ann Marie, Ellen, and Family. Please let me add my condolences to those of all your friends who have expressed sympathy on the loss of your father. As a U.S. History teacher, it was my personal honor to have met him and shaken his hand. God bless you. Paul

March 7 at 8:00 PM

RG

**Robin Greist** posted:

AnnMarie, Amy and Ellen, My thoughts and prayers are with you and your families. Henry was a special person and I enjoyed getting to know him when he would visit in Scottsdale. God bless you all and may the many, many wonderful memories give you comfort now and in the years to come.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

EM

**Emily** posted:

The Two East staff is missing a very special guy, he will be missed. A man who always brought a smile to my face, as well as the resident's who surrounded him. Ellen and Ann Marie, you are in our thoughts.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

BT

**Bud Tullis** posted:

Ann Marie & Ellen My deepest condolences and prayers to you and your families on the loss of your Dad. He was a great guy and a lifelong family friend.

March 7 at 8:00 PM



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VT

**Vi Todd** posted:

Ann Marie, Ellen, Amy, and Julie My sincerest condolences for all of you at this difficult time. I am thankful for the memories, stories, and the time shared with you and your Dad and Grandfather. I know he must be having a wonderful time being with your mother, Roger and the Bishop. Please know you are in my thoughts and prayers. May God's blessings, peace, and love comfort you. Love Vi, Tracy, Jim, Tricia, and Derick.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

FM

**Frances Marino** posted:

Even though our family has known Henry for a few years as a neighbor, his friendliness and sociability cheered us up. Whether walking for exercise or pushing our grandchildren in a stroller, it was fun talking to him of his life. His wife and daughters and grandchildren were very important in his conversations as well as his military experiences. I can still see his smile.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

WW

**Willette Watts** posted:

Praying for peace and comfort for your family as you remember with love a life well-lived.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

MH

**Mary Haluska** posted:

Amy, Please know you and your family are remembered in my thoughts and prayers during this time of loss. It is never easy to let a loved one move on without us but know that your grandfather will be celebrating Christmas in the "land of the living" and watching over you. Peace...

March 7 at 8:00 PM

TS

**Tina Sykes** posted:

Amy and Family~ My thoughts and prayers are with you. May your memories give you peace and comfort. God bless.

March 7 at 8:00 PM



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MK

**Maureen Marcoux Kilbreth** posted:

Anne Marie & Ellen: I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your Dad. He was really a great guy ! Please accept my condolences. Maureen and Sons Raymond & Michael

March 7 at 8:00 PM

JC

**Jim Celino** posted:

I only knew Henry for a short 3 months while he was a resident at Blaire House. I would look forward to meeting him in the Sun Room, me with my wife and Henry with his daughter. We would engage in great conversations. He was like a breath of fresh air in a place that otherwise would bring sadness. Just a great guy! I offer my sincere condolences. As Henry would tell me, "keep the faith, whatever is left of it."

March 7 at 8:00 PM

RM

**Ray&Sheila Marcoux** posted:

Ann Marie, Ellen, and Family both Sheila and I extend our deepest sympathy for your loss. Your dad was quite a guy and I did enjoy his company. Much to my dismay we didnt spend enough time together. I will certainly miss him.

March 7 at 8:00 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

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