



John Francis Serla

March 20, 1931 - June 4, 2011

Murrells Inlet... John F. Serla, 80, husband of Connie Serla, died Saturday, June 4, 2011 at Waccamaw Hospital.

Mr. Serla was born in Brooklyn, NY, a son of the late Dominick John and Lucille Marabella Serla. He was a member of Precious Blood of Christ Catholic Church, a retired Colonel with the U. S. Army National Guard with 25 years of service and a member of the Fighting 69th of New York.

Surviving in addition to his wife of 57 years are: one daughter, Patricia Eder of Murrells Inlet; one adopted daughter, Teresa Woolard of Murrells Inlet; one adopted great-grandson, Darwin Earl Perkins; two sisters, Eleanor Haggerty of Winston Salem, NC and Elaine Steinmetz of Amityville, NY.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one son Richard John Serla and one sister Loretta Oddo.

A funeral mass will be held 11:00 a.m. Friday, June 10, 2011 at Precious Blood of Christ Catholic Church with Father Pat Stenson officiating. Inurnment with full military honors will follow in the church columbarium.

Memorials may be sent to the American Cancer Society, 950 48th Ave. N. Suite 101 Myrtle Beach, SC 29577.

Online memorial messages may be sent to www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.