

Clarence J. Shaffer

(12 Jul 1903 – 11 Nov 1994)

Shaffer, Clarence J. On November 11, 1994, at his home in Arlington, VA, Clarence J. Shaffer, husband of Dorothy S. Shaffer, also survived by several cousins. Friends may call at the Everly Wheatley Funeral Home, 1500 W. Braddock Rd., Alexandria, VA on Monday, from 7 to 9 p.m., where Masonic services will be held at 8 p.m. Funeral services will be held at the Chapel at Congressional Cemetery, Washington, DC on Tuesday, November 15, at 10 a.m. where interment will follow.

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Florist

Clarence J. Shaffer, 91, a retired florist and lifelong resident of the Washington area, died of cardiorespiratory arrest November 11 at his home in Arlington.

Mr. Shaffer was born in Washington. During World War II, he served in the Coast Guard.

As a young man, he worked at George C. Shaffer Inc., a flower shop his father established in Washington in 1900. In 1947, when his father died, he took over the business. He operated it until 1980, when he sold it to his employees and retired.

Mr. Shaffer was a Mason and a member of the Scottish Rite and the Almas Temple of the Shrine.

Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Dorothy S. Shaffer of Arlington.