



## Alanson George Strockbine

January 23, 2015

Alanson "George" Strockbine of Charlotte Court House, formerly of East Greenwich and Elmer New Jersey, returned home to his Creator on Friday, January 23, 2015.

When he lived in New Jersey, George worked at exit 2 on the New Jersey Turnpike at the Citgo Service Center. He was also employed at Owens-Corning Fiberglass in Barrington. Even when he slowed down a bit, many stranded travelers were helped by the friendly mechanic in the tow truck.

George served his community as a member of the East Greenwich Fire Department and East Greenwich Ambulance Department for many years. He also devoted 50 years of service to the Clayton Fire Company. He was a life member of the Gloucester County Fire Chief's Association and held the position of Vice President for some time.

George was an Army veteran and served in Germany during WWII, where he received his Army of Occupation and WWII Victory Medal. He was honorably discharged in March of 1947.

When he moved to Virginia in 1997, he worked in the restaurant business and made sure everyone was greeted with a welcoming smile and maybe even a joke. He made everyone feel welcome.

George spent his retirement building memories with his children, grandchildren, family and friends doing the things he loved. He was a big NASCAR fan and liked to attend races and events. He enjoyed camping on Skyline Drive and vacationing in Franklin Maine, and was an avid fisherman. He loved visiting the casinos in Atlantic City, New Jersey. His big passion was trains. He traveled all over to go to train shows and events, and his pride and joy was his train display in his basement. He shared these things with the people he was closest to.

George was preceded in death by his parents, step-mother, and brother Jim. He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Sandy; a brother, Charles, many children and grandchildren as well as other family and friends who cared for him and loved him.

A viewing will be held on Thursday night, January 29, 2015 from 7-9 PM at the Adams Funeral Home, 111 S. Main St., Elmer, NJ 08318 and again Friday morning, January 30th, from 10 until 11 AM. A service will follow the morning visitation at 11 AM with interment at Chestnut Grove Cemetery afterwards.

The Family has suggested that donations can be sent to either the Clayton Fire Department, 107 West High Street, Clayton, NJ 08312 or to the East Greenwich Fire Department, 5 West Cohawkin Rd., Clarksboro, NJ 08020 in George's memory. [www.adamsfuneralhome.org](http://www.adamsfuneralhome.org)

# Cemetery Details

## Chestnut Grove

Elmer, NJ 08318

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **29**. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Adams Funeral Home - South Jersey Cremation Services (Elmer)  
111 South Main Street  
Elmer, NJ 08318  
(856) 358-3737

## Visitation

JAN **30**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Service

JAN **30**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

RM

“ I was sorry to hear of George's passing. I remember his years in East Greenwich and his dedication and service to the community through the East Greenwich Fire Co. and Ambulance Assoc. Rest in peace George and my sincerest condolences to the family.

Ray Miller - January 30, 2015 at 01:14 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Alanson George Strockbine.



January 28, 2015 at 08:24 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Alanson George Strockbine.



January 27, 2015 at 02:46 PM

MI

“ I love you pop pop



Michelle - January 27, 2015 at 01:21 PM

TL

“ Can't help but think of the trip to Indiana from NJ and the car trouble and new van purchased while out there. George took it all in stride and the event in Indiana went off with out a hitch and we laughed and sang all the way home. Sharing it with the Strockbine family is one of my favorite memories. I sort of lost touch for a while but am so glad I was able to make the trip to Va this past fall to see that smile one more time! Rest in peace, George. I know you and dad are kidding around and having a blast together again in Heaven.

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**Terry Lynch** - January 27, 2015 at 09:59 AM

CM

“ I new Alanson "George" for many many years. I grew up with his children and spent many a day at their home in East Greenwich. He was a very giving man and will be missed terribly. Thoughts and prayers to his family in this very sad time. R.I.P. Mr Strockbine. You've gained your wings.

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**Christine Gibbs Morris** - January 27, 2015 at 06:31 AM

KW

“ Bill and I were very sorry to hear of George's passing. We remember George, Sandy and the family with real fondness from our time together at Pitman Alliance Church. We pray that God will grant all of you peace and comfort at this difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you, especially as you travel to New Jersey for the funeral.

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**Kathie Weber** - January 27, 2015 at 05:46 AM

JP

“ Very sorry for your loss. Sending my sincere condolences to the entire Strockbine Family. It's very hard losing a loved one. But atleast Uncle George is totally pain free and at rest now. My fondest memory was when Uncle George would make that homemade Pot Pie on Clinton St. Absolutely the best I've very had. RIP.

Joyce Palmer - January 26, 2015 at 01:57 PM

KS

“ You will n always have been my hero growing up. You taught me so much. Always in my heart. I miss you n love you pop. Love your son. KC

KC Strockbine - January 26, 2015 at 01:35 PM

CM

*My sincerest condolences K.C.*

Christine Gibbs Morris - January 27, 2015 at 06:32 AM

MS

*I am so sorry to all of you for your loss. I know Pop Pop meant alot to many people. He is in peace now and he will always be in your hearts and your memories. My prayers are with you all.*

*Love, Michelle Strockbine*

Michelle Strockbine - January 27, 2015 at 01:23 PM

HN

*Merry Christmas Dad! I love You! It wasn't the same without you here. Miss you tons.....*

Heather Noe - December 27, 2015 at 05:21 PM