

Col Edwin Gilbert Moran

Birth: Jan. 8, 1915
Groton
Tompkins County
New York, USA
Death: Apr. 3, 2008
Ithaca
Tompkins County
New York, USA

Age: 93 yrs.

Interred: 24 Jun 2008

S/O Milo E. Moran & Katherine Louise (Haskell)
Moran

H/O Barbara (Bastow) Moran; m c1945

F/O Michael E. Moran

F/O Barbara Moran

F/O Marilyn Moran

F/O Michele Moran

Last Residence: Ithaca, Tompkins County, New
York 14850, USA [SSDI]

Obituary, Ithaca (NY) Journal, 7 Apr 2008:

Edwin Gilbert Moran, Colonel, United States
Army, age 93, formerly of Groton, passed
away on 4 [3] April, 2008 at 525 Savage Farm
Drive, Kendal at Ithaca, NY.

Ed was born in the Village of Groton, NY, the
second child of Milo E. Moran and Katherine
Louise Haskell Moran. He attended Groton
Elementary and High School and graduated in
1933. He attended Cornell University, Class of
'37, Maryland University and University of
California. He graduated from the U.S. Army
Engineer School, U.S. Army Advanced Engineer
School, the U.S. Army's Command and Staff
School and Logistics Management School.

He was proud of his service in the U.S. Army;
of being a business partner/owner in Moran
and Gleason Highway Construction Co.,
building and paving many roads in Tompkins
County; of being a stockholder and comptroller
of BAJERT, Inc.; of being a member of the
Board of Directors of the First National Bank of
Groton; and being inducted into the Groton
High School Athletic Hall of Fame. He enjoyed
writing several short books of his experiences
in Groton.



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Ed leaves his lovely and devoted wife, Barbara Bastow Moran (married 62 years); a son, Michael E. Moran (Gale) and grandchildren, Kelly, Eddie, Heather (Tim), great-granddaughter, Jazmine; daughter, Barbara and grandchildren, Brook, Michael E. (Valerie), Paige (Cy); daughter, Marilyn and grandchildren, Katherine, great-grandsons, Nathan E. and Peter E. (Angie); daughter, Michele and granddaughter, Corinne.

Colonel Moran served 29 years in the Army, starting as a private and retiring as a "Bird" Colonel. During WWII assignments took him with the 32nd Infantry Division to the SW Pacific, New Guinea, Leyte and Luzon in the Philippines and initial occupation of Japan. In later years he served in Okinawa, Korea, Germany, Vietnam, and eight different U.S. states. His military awards included: three Legions of Merit, a Bronze Star, three Presidential Unit Citations, seven Campaign Stars, and Amphibious Assault Arrow, numerous service ribbons, and induction into the U.S. Army Engineer OCS Hall of Fame.

His family remembers him as a devoted father who placed duty to family, community and country above all else. Memorials may be made to the Groton Public Library, Groton, NY.

Interment at Arlington National Cemetery in Virginia will be at a later date by Zirbel Funeral Home, Groton, NY. At his request, there will be no services or calling hours.

Inscription:
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US ARMY
WORLD WAR II
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Burial:

[Arlington National Cemetery](#)
Arlington
Arlington County
Virginia, USA



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