



## Henry D. Casivant

January 26, 1942 - September 8, 2012

Henry D. "Hank" Casivant, 70, of Mellenville, died Saturday, September 8, 2012 at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Born January 26, 1942 in Craryville, he was the son of the late Edward and Julia Casivant.

Hank was a self-employed mechanic. He also worked for Albany Dodge. Hank was an avid antique car collector and enjoyed entering them in car shows.

Surviving are five sons, Henry D. Casivant, Jr. of Philmont, George Casivant of Maine, Donald Casivant of Philmont, William Casivant of Germantown, and Eugene Casivant of Syracuse; two daughters, Edna Casivant of Newburgh and Desiree Lewis of Schuylerville; two brothers, Ben Casivant of Mellenville and Ned Casivant of Claverack, a sister, Almida of Connecticut, several grandchildren; many nieces and nephews, and special friend, Jo Anne Corsaro of Albany.

He was predeceased by two brothers, Marvin and Ronald Casivant.

Visiting hours are 5-8 pm Wednesday at the Bates & Anderson - Redmond & Keeler Funeral Home.

Services will be held at 1 pm Thursday at the funeral home. Burial will be in the Niver Cemetery in Craryvi

# Tribute Wall

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“ They surely broke the mold when they made Hank. He will be extremely missed but never forgotten. -Katrina & Caitlyn

Katrina Boor - September 13, 2012 at 03:23 PM

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“ Katrina Boor lit a candle in memory of Henry D. Casivant



Katrina Boor - September 13, 2012 at 03:21 PM

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“ When I think of Henry I picture antique cars. He had a genuine love for old cars and did what so few do, drive them, really drive them, he drove them everyday! Henry would drag a dull rusty, paint peeling car out of the bushes, that was headed for the crusher, get it running and it would be his everyday car. When I think of Henry I think about that old red and black Buick Roadster, so the story goes he was 15 years old when he purchased it from Hoppy Decker. That old Buick was ready for the crusher but Henry had other ideas. He gathered up the pieces put it back together and drove it for the next 55 years. How good that old Buick Roadster must have made Henry feel as a teenager cruising Warren Street, roaring to the next light and laying rubber....."it was a great feeling"! He was a mechanic and a good one, he had to have been because when we were cruising Warren Street in the 60's he drove that old Buick cross county to California. That old Buick was Henry, it was his resurrection, his work of art, his woman chaser and the image I will always relate to when I think of Henry.

Karen & Kenny Williams - September 13, 2012 at 09:30 AM

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“ *Cindy Walthour lit a candle in memory of Henry D. Casivant*



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**cindy walthour** - September 13, 2012 at 05:17 AM

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“ *when i first met jerry brusie[ late husband] he talked about his friend hanky. well i finally got to meet hanky, what a guy. i am so sorry for your loss, but i know jerry and hanky are have a grand ole time enjoying the past ,, love to the family karen brusie. he fought a tough battle,*



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**karen brusie** - September 11, 2012 at 08:28 AM