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Charles G. Karr...former longtime Littleton resident, served in two wars; 78

SALISBURY, N.C. — Charles G. Karr, 78, of Salisbury, a former Littleton resident who was a retired district

manager and a veteran of two wars, died unexpectedly Thursday, Oct. 13, in Salisbury, N.C. He was

the husband of Theresa (Benoit) Karr, to whom he was married for 55 years.

He was born in Somerville, June 28, 1927, son of the late Charles and Mary (Simas) Karakhanian.

Mr. Karr entered the U.S. Coast Guard in the early 1940s, and later joined the Army at the onset of World War II, serving in the Philippines. He was called back for duty in 1950 during the Korean War, and served in Kentucky and later discharged as a staff sergeant.

He resided in Salisbury for the past 14 years. Previously, he lived in Littleton for 40 years.



Before retiring, Mr. Karr was a district manager for Volkswagen USA for 30 years of service.

During his retirement, Mr. Karr enjoyed spending time with family, fishing, and boating. He competed in roller skating and boxing, according to family members.

He also enjoyed woodworking and volunteering at the local roller-skating repair shop.

Besides his wife, he is survived by his children, Charles Karr and his wife, Margaret of Salisbury, George Karr of Littleton, Jeanne Karr of Seattle, Roger Karr and his wife, Eileen of Worcester, Mass., Robert "Fuzzy" Karr of Ayer, Deborah Karr of Pembroke, N.H., Jim Karr and Charlene McGuire of Littleton, and Betty Karr of Medford, Mass.; eight grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

KARR — of Salisbury, NC. Charles G. Karr, suddenly Oct. 13, formerly of Littleton. Funeral from the Badger Funeral Home, 347

King St., Littleton on Wednesday at 9 a.m. with a Mass of Christian Burial at St. Anne's Church, Littleton at 10 a.m. Visiting Hours Tuesday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Burial at Westlawn Cemetery, Littleton. In lieu of Flowers, contributions may be made to Sacred Heart Construction Fund, 128 N. Fulton St., Salisbury, N.C. 28144.