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Peter B. Henz, Jr., 79, a retired stationary engineer in the automotive industry, died Friday, November 2, 2001, at an Arlington hospital.

Funeral: Please contact Moore Funeral Home or St. Matthew's Catholic Church in Arlington for funeral time and date.

Peter was born in Staten Island, N.Y. on April 17, 1922. He served in World War II from 1942 to 1945 in the 96th Infantry Division, Company C, and fought in the Battle of Okinawa. On January 10, 2001, the 96th Infantry Division received the Presidential Unit Citation, our nation's highest award to a military unit, for extraordinary heroism in military operations against an armed enemy in the conquest of Okinawa. Peter received the Bronze Star award for his heroic actions.

He was a member of The Knights of Columbus for 55 years, served as Faithful Navigator and Grand Knight, and was recently awarded honorary life membership.

He retired from General motors in 1987 after 28 years of service.

Survivors: Rosie Carroll, his four sons, Peter, Chris, Tim, Pat, and their wives, and nine grandchildren.