



## George R. Andrews

March 24, 1931 - October 16, 2019

George R. "Richard" Andrews, age 88, of Ephratah, passed away on Wednesday, October 16, 2019 at Nathan Littauer Hospital Nursing Home, Gloversville.

He was born on March 24, 1931 in Ephratah, the son of the late George Henry Andrews and Irene Berry Andrews.

George was employed for many years at the former Johnstown Hotel. He also worked at the Saltsman Hotel and at Heat Extractor Corp. in St. Johnsville. Mr. Andrews was a member of the Western Fulton County Senior Club.

He is survived by three nephews Lawrence Brandt (Lynette) of Ephratah, John Brandt (Teri) of Johnstown and Thomas Brandt of Washington, D.C.; three nieces Colleen Peluso (Anthony) of Farmington, Connecticut, Patricia Brandt of Tehachapi, California and Mary White (Brian) of Glastonbury, Connecticut, and several great nieces and nephews and several great great nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by one sister Shirley J. Brandt who passed on May 15, 2018.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2:00 P.M. on Saturday, October 19, 2019 at the A.G. Cole Funeral Home, Inc., 215 E. Main Street, Johnstown with Rev. Dr. R.W. Williams officiating.

Visitation for family and friends will be on Saturday, October 19, 2019 from 12:00 P.M. (Noon) to 2:00 P.M. at the funeral home.

Interment will be in Ephratah Rural Cemetery immediately following the funeral service.

Contributions in George's memory may be made to Pineview Commons, c/o Activities Department, 201 S. Melcher Street, Johnstown, New York 12095.

Condolences to the family may be made online by visiting our website at [www.agcolegfuneralhome.com](http://www.agcolegfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery

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# Events

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**Ephratah Rural Cemetery**

State Highway 67

Ephratah, NY, 13452

**OCT**

**19**

**Visitation**

12:00PM - 02:00PM

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A. G. Cole Funeral Home, Inc.

215 E. Main Street, Johnstown, NY, US, 12095-0050

**OCT**

**19**

**Funeral service**

02:00PM

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# Comments

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“ Carlton & Nancy Christman lit a candle in memory of George R. Andrews



Carlton & Nancy Christman - October 19, 2019 at 02:43 PM

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“ Since I the day I started at Pineview George stole my heart. He made my day everyday!!! With his smile and his quick wit!! He had such a sense of humor and light!! He will be truly missed by everyone especially me!!! Fly high Georgie!!! Love your Jennifer!!!!



Jennifer Goyette - October 18, 2019 at 07:28 PM

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“ I have had the pleasure of spending the last 7 years working and caring for George. He was one of a kind and will be forever missed! “Joshua” will never forget you My handsome man



Josephine Parker - October 17, 2019 at 10:17 PM

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“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of George R. Andrews.



October 17, 2019 at 09:57 PM

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“ One of the earliest memories I have is when Dickie would be so excited when we came to visit his room up and over the barn that he had his movie-star collections kept. He loved writing to the Hollywood celebrities and getting responses. He always had a smile on his face and in later years he no longer wanted to be called Dicki but George. He loved his nieces and nephews and love to visit when I went to the nursing home. He loved Ephratah and had a lot of history in his head about it. He was a lot smarter than many people realized. As his cousin I would like to thank everyone who contributed to keeping his smile going.



**Eleanor Collins** - October 17, 2019 at 02:08 PM

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“ George will always be remembered I'll miss him like crazy he was so full of life and character rock those walls georgie

**Krista VanNostrand** - October 17, 2019 at 01:04 PM

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“ So many fond memories throughout my childhood. My mom giving him rides for work, seeing him at home while we were taking 4-H lessons, seeing him sit at the bridge in our hometown. Peace be with you Dicky, one of our hometown guys. God Bless

**Sandy Hill Palmateer** - October 17, 2019 at 12:35 PM

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“ My best memory of George is Christmas 2018 at Pineview Commons. The smile on his face day and him singing Christmas Carols made it worth being at work. George was funny and he loved everyone. I will miss my little buddy. My heart is brokem for his family. I am shattered. RIP sweet man.

**Staci Hazzard** - October 17, 2019 at 12:30 PM

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“ Georgie would dance in the activities room during holiday activities. Everyone at Pineview Commons loved him. Even on our worst day he could always put a smile on our faces. He went on cruises with the Activity Department. Love was always present when Georgie was around. We all loved him very much. He will be deeply missed. RIP until we meet again. We all love you Georgie□□□

**Victoria Nichols** - October 17, 2019 at 12:17 PM



“ Omg Vicki my heart is shattered. He sure was loved.

**Staci Hazzard** - October 17, 2019 at 12:31 PM



“ So many memories of Richard. (Dickie to many of his family) One of his great joys was traveling to Hawaii with his mother. I think he might have also gone with his Aunt Anna. Not sure. He bought his family one of their first TVs. A gentle person with a loving heart. Cousin Audrey

**Audrey Christman-Lozier** - October 17, 2019 at 04:41 PM



“ Many thanks to all who cared for Dickie (George Richard) over the many years of his life. As many have noted, he loved to dance and have a good time. May the memories of George Richard dance in your hearts as you celebrate his life. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Eddie and Lory Bennett

**Edde and Lory Bennett** - October 17, 2019 at 07:33 PM