

Harold W. Weigold Obituary

Harold W. Weigold, 82, of Red Oak Hill, Willington, died Sunday (November 10, 2002) at the Evergreen Healthcare Center in Stafford Springs. He was born March 31, 1920 in Willimantic the son of Charles and Vida (Whitman) Weigold. He was a 1938 graduate of Windham High School and enlisted in the Army Air Corps in 1943. He became the head of the radar crew for B-29's, served in Guam and was honorably discharged in 1945. Mr. Weigold attended UConn for two years and two years at Utah State university, Logan, UT. He was a building contractor for 20 years, building over 80 homes in area towns. He was a highly respected building inspector for the towns of Willington and Ashford in 1972, later for the town of Mansfield and lastly for the town of Somers, retiring in 1985. Mr. Weigold was an honorary life member of the Willington Historical Society serving as secretary for nine years and treasurer for ten years. He was a member of the Mansfield Historical Society and was also a Mansfield and Tolland Grange member for 64 years. He received the Raymond Daley Environmental Action Award in 1993 for his work developing, marking trails and identifying flora and fauna on his 100 acre property. He constructed a beautifully carved sign marking the entrance to the Fenton-Ruby Park in Willington and devoted many hours developing and marking trails in the park. Mr. Weigold was also a photographer of local wildflowers and gave lectures in area towns on the subject. As an artist, he painted landscapes and mountain scenes which have been exhibited in Willimantic and Willington. He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Isabel (Miller) Weigold; three sons, Daniel Scott Weigold of Falcon, CO, Paul Wallace Weigold of Plainville and Jeffrey Lynn Weigold of Huntsville, AL; a daughter, Katherine Jeannette Weigold of Mansfield Center; four grandchildren; a sister and brother in law, Miriam and James Barlow of Farmington; and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by a son, Bruce Glenn Weigold. His family will receive friends at the Potter Funeral Home 456 Jackson St. Rte. 195, Willimantic on Thursday from 6-8 p.m. His funeral service will be held at the funeral home on Friday at 11 a.m. with military burial following in the Willington Hill Cemetery

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