

## **DR. RAYMOND LANCIONE, SR.**

Dr. Raymond Lancione, Sr., 92, of Moon Township, passed away on Saturday, May 18, 2024, at Good Samaritan hospice in Wexford, surrounded by his loving family.

Born in Coraopolis, PA in 1932, he is survived by his brother Gregory Lancione of Akron and; his son Dr. Raymond Lancione, Jr. of Cleveland. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Jesse (Giustini); and parents Orazio and Emily (Spezialetti) Lancione.

After graduating from Coraopolis High School, Dr. Lancione attended the University of Pittsburgh and graduated from the University of Pittsburgh School of Dental Medicine. He became a strong supporter of his Alma Mater, where he served on the Admissions Committee for the Dental School and on the Alumni Council.

Dr. Lancione opened his first and only practice in McDonald PA and practiced dentistry there for more than 60 years.

Throughout his professional career, he served in a variety of offices with the Dental Society of Western PA, the Odontological Society, the Pennsylvania Dental Association, and the American Dental Association House of Delegates. He received many awards from the dental community, including their highest awards: the Dr. Albert R. Pechan Award, and the Pennsylvania Dental Association Distinguished Service Award. He was nominated by his peers and inducted into multiple honorary dental organizations, including: American College of Dentists, International College of Dentists and Pierre Fauchard Academy, where he served over a lifetime holding positions of stature. At 92, he continued to actively serve on the Board of Directors for the DSWP and the Medical Bureau of Pittsburgh until the time of his death.

Visitation was at the **ANTHONY SANVITO FUNERAL HOME**, Coraopolis, on May 22, with a funeral service on May 23 at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Coraopolis, and burial at Queen of Heaven Cemetery in Canonsburg, PA.

Donations in Dr. Lancione's memory may be made to The Western Pennsylvania Odontological Society, DBA The Dental Society of Western Pennsylvania: DSWP, 900 Cedar Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15212.

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