

Roger K. Wadsworth  
Deceased August 28, 2019.  
Roger was a member of the USS POWER DD 839  
Association He served aboard from 1954-1957 as  
LTJG-Wardroom



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### Obituary: Roger K. Wadsworth

Roger K. Wadsworth, 87, of Dresden, NY. entered eternal life in his home August 28, 2019.

Roger was born Sept. 18, 1931 in Rochester. His family moved to Dresden in 1944 when Roger was 11 years old. He graduated from Penn Yan Academy in 1949 and recently attended his 70th reunion there. After graduating high school, Roger earned a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. One of Roger's greatest accomplishments was following in his father's footsteps as a mechanical engineer. In 1954, he was commissioned in the U.S. Navy. He reported to the USS Power and served in the Mediterranean Sea during the Cold War.

Roger was awarded the Naval Commendation Medal in 1972 for his meritorious service as the officer in charge of 50 naval reservists during the flood operations in Elmira-Corning. His efforts provided desperately needed assistance to the community and hundreds of individuals. He retired as a Navy Reserve Captain in 1978 after completing many years of reserve service in Horseheads. It was with great pride that Roger continued his family legacy with service to his country. All who knew Roger have heard his stories, seen his photographs, and could feel the pride he had in his service.