

Nicholas Giancola served aboard the
USS POWER DD 839
from 1951-1955- Quartermaster 2nd Class



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Deceased July 5, 2023



Nicholas G. Giancola, 90, passed away peacefully on July 5, 2023 at the Hospice House in Poland. Nick was born November 29, 1932 in Struthers, OH, son of Diamante and Amalia (Dechellis) Giancola. He was a 1951 graduate of Struthers High School, where he played the drums in band. He took his love of music even further by playing the accordion in his younger years for the infamous Johnie Butchko Polka Band. Following high school, he enlisted in the United States Navy for four years from 1951-1955, serving on the USS Power DD 839. When his time was over in the military, he worked for several different companies, including Ohio Bell, the manager of Lincoln Knolls Bowling Lanes, before working for Lordstown Motor for 27 years in the line assembly before he retired in 1997. In his spare time, he was an avid bowler, music lover and enjoyed gardening and canning. He especially enjoyed dancing with the love of his life, Doris, at Avon Oaks and Point View and cherished spending time with his grandkids. He will truly be missed.