In Memoriam: John M. Dioguardo

John Dioguardo, 91, a lifelong resident of Patchogue passed away peacefully at his home on August 16, 2013. He is survived by his wife of 68 years, Rose; his sons, John and wife Sharyn, and Michael and wife Grace; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Dioguardo, a World War II Marine Corps veteran, served as a technical sergeant from 1942 to 1946 in the South Pacific.

John joined Brookhaven Lab 1950, starting his career at the Cosmotron, and retired in 1986 while working at the AGS Power Room as a senior technician. He was an avid golfer who has been accredited with two hole-in-ones and was a longtime member of the BERA Golf league.

A funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Francis De Sales Church in Patchogue on August 20th. Internment followed with military honors at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Coram.