# New Jersey News

### Steve George Was Awarded the 2018 Distinguished Service to NJFB Award



Congratulations to former New Jersey Farm Bureau President, Steve George for receiving the Distinguished Service to NJFB award at our convention. Steve is shown here with his family. — with <u>Sallie Petrucci George</u>, <u>Paul George</u>, <u>Steve George</u> and <u>Barrie Ann McBride George</u>.

Steve is a retired nurseryman and garden center owner from Morris County.

#### Lewis DeEugenio, Sr. Passed Away

Lewis J. DeEugenio, Sr. of Glassboro, NJ died peacefully at home on Monday, October 29, 2018. A resident of Glassboro his entire life. He attended Glassboro High School, graduating in 1941. Lewis was predeceased by his wife Alyse, brothers Joseph and Anthony, sisters Lillian, Mary, and Elizabeth, and parents Gaetano and Pasqueta DeEugenio. He is survived by his children (Bonnie Petroni, Dr. Lewis DeEugenio, Jr., and Cynthia Scaffidi), ten grandchildren (Alyson Lawrence, Nick Petroni, Jr., Stephanie Salisan, Deborah Mayro, Lewis DeEugenio III, Kimberly Denton, Lisa DeEugenio, Alyse Scaffidi, Alexis Scaffidi and Timothy Scaffidi, Jr.), fifteen great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews. Lewis,

Lewis was owner and operator of Summit City Farms in Glassboro, initially with his brothers, Anthony and Joseph, and subsequently with his son, Lewis, Jr. He was also an inventor and machine fabricator, building most of the machinery used at his farm. He designed, built and held the patent on Rida-Mower - one of the first in the U.S. He enjoyed hunting with his family and was an avid collector of South Jersey (esp. Glassboro) produced glassware (especially fruit jars). As such, he was a standing member of the Glassboro Heritage Glass Museum. Lewis was also an avid collector of antique pocket watches and a member of the National Horology Society. In recent years, along with his son, he was co-owner of Eastern Propak, LLC and developed Summit City Winery at the home farm. Funeral mass and interment were at St. Bridget's Church, 125 Church St., Glassboro, NJ 08028, on November 3, 2018. Contributions may be made in Lewis, Sr.'s memory to St. Bridget's Church at the above address.



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