



# Gaston Fernandez

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**F**ERNANDEZ, Gaston, 90, native of Tampa, passed away Friday, April 24, 2015. He was born on November 10, 1924 to parents Arturo and Julia Fernandez. He is survived by his loving wife of 68 years, Gloria Fernandez; son, Gaston J. Fernandez (Charlene); sisters, Bertha Echeverria, Ofelia Rosete; brother, Enrique Fernandez (Emily); sisters-in-law, Diana Rodriguez, Ethel Fernandez and Carmen Fernandez; nieces Eileen Leavine, Gloria Garcia (Mike), Irene Alonso (Jerry), Marlena Scardino (John), Vilma Wood (Woody), Elaine Rogers (Roy), Tiia Shurig (Brian), Glenda Irrizarry (Xavier); nephews, Henry Fernandez (Linda), Phillip Rosette. He is predeceased by brothers Robert Fernandez and Arturo Fernandez. During WWII, he served as a NAVY aircraft mechanic in Tinian South Pacific. He graduated from the University of Tampa in 1951 and worked as an educator with the Hillsborough County School System for 30 years. He enjoyed a 49 year career as a commercial real estate broker. He was a member of the Tampa Board of Realtors since July 1, 1966. Gaston was devoted to his family and loved reading all matters regarding world current affairs. A special thank you to his wonderful caregivers, Alicia and Marta Perez, for their support and dedication. Per his request, there will be no services. Memorial donations can be made in Gaston's name to the Judeo Christian Health Clinic, 4118 North MacDill Avenue, 33607 or St. Jude Christian's Research Hospital, P.O. Box 1000, Department 142, Memphis, TN 38148.



## Tribute Wall

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**Kathy Spencer** lit a candle in honor of Gaston.

I want to thank Mr. Fernandez for touching my life. He was a great teacher. I have known him for many years, and grew up on the next block from him. I knew his family as well. Gloria, I will keep you and your family in my prayers. He lived a good long life and loved his family. He never forgot who I was even as an adult. I will never forget him.. Rest in peace.



May 20 at 2:37 PM

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**Eddie Rodriguez** posted:

On behalf of the entire staff of Boza and Roel Funeral Home please accept our sincere condolences.Eddie

April 28 at 7:58 AM



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