

KREY, John W. age 95, long time resident of Dunedin, died in his sleep, Monday, March 5, 2012, at Emeritus at Becket Lake retirement living in Clearwater. He was born on Dec. 24, 1916, in Dorchester, MA to the late Minnie and Arthur Krey. He lived on Glen Street in South Natick, MA most of his life, with stints in Meridan and Hartford, CT, Tuftonboro and Mt. Vernon, NH; Eastville, VA and Nevis, West Indies. He finally settled in Dunedin, in 1973. Mr. Krey was a graduate of Phillips Academy, Andover, he received a Bachelor of Engineering from MIT and an MBA from Boston University. During WWII, he served in the 11th Bombardment Group in the Pacific Arena. He provided some of the source material and is even mentioned in the book, "Unbroken" by Laura Hillenbrand. John remained in the Air Force Reserve and retired with the rank of Lt. Colonel. Mr. Krey began his post MBA career as an Associate Professor in the School of Business at Boston University. He went on to become the owner/operator of a small business importing "Sunbeam" foreign car parts. His remaining career was spent handling his investments. Jack, as he was known, was a member of many clubs and organizations. He was an affiliated member of the Dunedin Lodge, F&AM and Past Master of the Massachusetts Lodge F&AM in Boston. He was also an active member of the Clearwater chapter of The Military Order of the World Wars, as well as the Military Officers Association of America and the 11th Bombardment Group Association, of which he was co-founder and past president. Additionally, Jack had many hobbies and activities, including playing the organ and photography. He was fortunate to be able to travel extensively and was able to visit even the most obscure corners of the globe. He married the late Muriel W. (Fuller) Krey in 1969, and was married to her until her death in 1987. He was preceded in death by his brother, Roger A. Krey. He is survived by 4 nieces and nephews on the Krey side and a niece and nephew on the Fuller side. A Memorial service by the Dunedin Lodge, F&AM will be held on March 13, 2012, at 10 am at the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd, 639 Edgewater Drive, Dunedin. This will be followed by a funeral service with the Pastor Rebecca Penniman officiating. The remains will then be transported to the Fallon and Brady Funeral Home in Roslindale, MA where there will be visiting hours. Mr. Krey's remains will then be transported to Forest Hill Cemetery, Boston, MA, for a grave-side service to be conducted by the Reverend Jon Carl Strand of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Natick, MA, and final interment in the plot beside his late wife Muriel (Fuller) Krey.