



Palladeno - Grandson's Tribute

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The following is a biographical tribute to a much adored grandfather from his grandson, Joshua DeLeon, at the age of 9 (The original document is captured in this photo): "Have you ever thought about being a Marine? My Granpa Leo A. Palladeno was a machine gunner in the Marines. He received the Purple Heart Award in 1953. As the head of my family he helped my dad choose his career path. He was born 4/22/33 in Franklin, Masseurachusetts, as a child he attended Franklin Elementary School. He lived in the country but, he was never bored. He helped his father work by finding and selling golf balls. He was very active and he played basketball at 14 years old. He was the oldest of his brothers Donals and Paul. He always was there for his brothers. He loved animals as a child. My Granpa went to Franklin High as a teen. On his birthday he crossed the Florida border line. At his stay he went to the University of Miami. Along the way he met his wife at Miami Beach. In 1956 they got married. He opened up his furniture shop in 1978. Now he is 77 years old and is a retired marine. He is a grandpa of 3 boys and 1 girl."

Tribute Wall



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