



## Sidney Teshler

June 24, 2020

Sidney Teshler 90, of Kew Gardens passed away peacefully on Wednesday the 24th of June at NorthWell Health Stern Family Center.

Born in 1930 in Inwood, NYC, Sidney was a life long resident of Kew Gardens NY. After graduating from George Washington high school he enlisted in the United States Army and served during the Korean War. His service was highlighted with a leadership role in the USO. In 1956 he married his late wife Harriett Levine Teshler.

Sidney began a career as a runner on Wall Street which eventually led to his settling into a long standing Pharmaceutical sales career, where his reputation was gold.

Fondly referred by his neighbors as the “Mayor of Kew Gardens” Sidney gave to his community in endless ways. From little league coach to the long standing president of the Forest Hills youth activities association. Sidney’s greatest joys were his family, great pizza, great Chinese food and all things NY!

Sidney is survived by two sons Edward (Tara) and David (Anita) and 7 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren.

A private family burial will be held on Sunday June 28th. Due to covid restrictions, flowers can be sent to Barrett Funeral home 148 Dean Dr. Tenafly NJ 07670 on Saturday June 27th. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations in his name be made to [NYLAG.org/donate-](https://www.nylag.org/donate)