Phil T. Cognetti
United States Navy, Coast Guard
1942-1945

Phil T. Cognetti (February, 5, 1920 - January 12, 2004)

Phil was a World War II Veteran, stationed in the South Pacific. He served in the United States Navy, Coast Guard on the USS Cavalier from 1942 until 1945 when he was honorably discharged.

On January 30, 1945 his ship the USS Cavalier was torpedoed in the stern in the South China Sea. One shipmate was killed and 58 others were wounded.

Phil worked for General Electric Co. for over 32 years. Phil also spent 37 years managing and coaching Niskayuna Little League Baseball.