



## J. PENRHYN HEMMING

November 4, 2011

J. Penrhyn Hemming, 89, of Lancaster, PA, died unexpectedly on Thursday, November 3, 2011 at the Lancaster General Hospital. Born in Lancaster, PA he was the son of the late Edith Kilchrist Hemming. He was the husband of Stella Stathopulos Hemming with whom he shared 70 years of marriage.

Penrhyn was a graduate of J.P. McCaskey High School, Lancaster. He was employed at Armstrong World Industries for 44 years and served as Vice President of Finance and International Operations. In the 1960's he served as business manager for the Lancaster Symphony Orchestra. Penrhyn served in the U.S. Army from 1942 to 1946 in the Pacific Theatre and received a Bronze Star Medal in July, 1945.

Penrhyn enjoyed golf, traveling and was a Philadelphia Phillies fan.

In addition to his wife, Penrhyn is survived by his sons; Thomas J. Hemming (Linda) of Pittsburgh, PA, Gary Hemming (Sidney) of New York City, NY and a daughter; Cathy D. Hemming also of New York City, NY and four grandchildren Daniel Scott Hemming, Heidi L. Schultz, Matthew J. Hemming and Holly J. Elste. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Barbara J. Hemming in 2004.

A private service will be held at the convenience of the family. In lieu of

flowers, memorials may be made in Penrhyn's name to United Way of Lancaster, 630 Janet Avenue, Lancaster, PA 17601.

# Tribute Wall



“ J. PENRHYN HEMMING

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ Dear Cathy,

*Please accept my deepest sympathy on the loss of your beloved father. It is always so difficult to say farewell to a parent; please find comfort in the knowledge that he lived a full and long life, filled with love of family, service to country, and success in his profession. My condolences to your entire family.*

*Sincerely, Linda*

Linda Neiheiser - November 09, 2011 at 10:21 AM



“ Cathy and Family,

*Please accept my condolences on the death of your loved one. My thoughts are with you during this difficult time. May the love you share and all the great memories sustain you.*

*With much sympathy,*

*Catherine Ross*

Catherine L. Ross - November 09, 2011 at 05:34 AM

CW

“ Cathy,

*I am very sorry about the loss of your dad. Regardless of age, losing a parent is always difficult. I hope the many fond memories you have of your father quickly replace the sadness you are now feeling.*

*You are in my thoughts and prayers,*

*Carl*

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**Carl Walter** - November 09, 2011 at 02:23 AM

CW

“ Dear Stella,

*When I received a call from Sherm Foot saying Pen had died - it was unbelievable!! I will always remember Pen not only as a business associate but as a friend that I enjoyed being with- no matter where we were - here in Lancaster, Canada or Europe. Pen had one of the best minds of all the people I have ever known and I think he passed a lot of that to his children.*

*I know the pain you have and I share it with you and your family. May God give you some peace.*

*Sincerely, Chuck Walker*

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**Charles A. Walker** - November 08, 2011 at 10:28 AM

WW

“ *Dear Stella and Family,  
I was so very sorry to read of Pen's passing. He was one of my favorite people at Armstrong. I enjoyed my business trips to Canada and to Europe and the opportunity to visit with Pen and you.*

*Although we live in Lancaster, our paths crossed very few times after retirement. I know he was an ardent golfer and I never learned the sport. Perhaps that's the reason we didn't see each other.*

*He was a good man and I know he loved you and his children very much. My condolences to you Stella and your family. May God be with you in this time of sorrow!*

*William J. (Bill) Wimer*

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**William J. Wimer** - November 07, 2011 at 01:04 AM