



Jerry D. Shenk

July 29, 2018

Jerry D. Shenk, 76, of Lancaster passed away on Sunday, July 29, 2018 at Lancaster General Hospital.

His wife, Lois E. (Tshudy) Weidman-Shenk died in 2017.

Born in Lancaster on April 23, 1942 a son of the late Calvin B. and Anna (Heinicke) Shenk.

Jerry proudly served in the U.S. Army.

He was employed at RCA for 23 years, retiring in 1998.

He is survived by three step-sons, Richard A. Weidman, Mark A. Weidman, and Douglas E. Weidman; a brother, Terry L. Shenk; 5 grandchildren; and 8 great-grandchildren.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Jerry's funeral service at The Groffs Funeral Home, 528 West Orange Street, Lancaster (corner of West Orange & Pine Streets) on Friday, August 3, 2018 at 11:00 a.m. The family will receive friends on Friday from 10:00 a.m. until time of service.

Interment will follow at Riverview Burial Park.

In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made in his memory to Hospice & Community Care, P.O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604.

Cemetery Details

Riverview Burial Park

South Duke Street
Lancaster, PA 17603

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc
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Tribute Wall



“ *Jerry D. Shenk*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *Thank you Jerry for your willingness to share your vast knowledge of H. S. basketball with me and others. I've enjoyed every one of our encounters over the years. You are missed already!*

Mike 'Yepper' Boyd

Mike Boyd - August 04, 2018 at 09:36 AM



“ *My dear friend Jerry, a friendly, but humble man who knew his craft, high school basketball like no other in his time, like a lot of us, he got me my start with his "Middle Atlantic Sports News" publication, a sport in which I have gained some notoriety thanks to Jerry, my dear friend It has given me much pleasure and satisfaction over the last thirty five years since I met him I owe him so much like many of us. Good bless you dear man, thank you for coming into my life and may you rest in peace*

Tom Strickler - August 04, 2018 at 01:39 AM

GB

“ Jerry was a good friend for many years. I'll sure miss talking basketball with him and seeing him at the games. The entire state has lost one of its legends. Sincere condolences to brother Terry and the rest of the family.

Gary Brandt, PA Sportsboard

Gary Brandt - August 03, 2018 at 05:45 PM

SK

“ Jerry started me on a 40 year career in the world of scholastic basketball. Back in our days of the Middle Atlantic Sports news we had the greatest times. In an internet world of today no one can comprehend all the little things Jerry did to report on scholastic basketball. No one & I mean no one was like Jerry. He can never be replaced.

Steve Keller
National Recruiting Report

Stephen Keller - August 02, 2018 at 07:50 PM

NE

“ Jerry gave many respected basketball talent evaluators a vehicle to get started in the business. I will be forever grateful for the opportunity to get noticed in high school basketball circles. Middle Atlantic Sports News was one of a kind. For years in the 80s and 90s, nobody ranked high school teams better than Jerry. RIP, my friend.

Norm Eavenson

Norm Eavenson - August 02, 2018 at 05:19 PM

DJ

“ Jerry was a great help to me in my coaching career and helping llhoops.com with its start.

He will forever be remembered as the "PA Guru for Boys basketball"

Dell Jackson, Llhoops.com

dell jackson - August 02, 2018 at 11:23 AM

BE

“ Even though I haven't seen Jerry for a few years. We had a good 20+ years going to basketball games and doing the Middle Atlantic basketball newsletter together. We got into some very heated discussions , and 95% of the time ha was right. He was bullheaded allot , but he was also a kind hearted person. Rest In Peace my friend, Bruce J Emswiler

Bruce J Emswiler - August 01, 2018 at 01:36 PM