



Robert W. Schaum

April 18, 2025

Robert “Bob” W. Schaum, 104, of Lancaster, PA, passed away on Friday, April 18, 2025. Born in Monongahela, PA, he was the son of the late Leon A. Schaum and Kathryn E. (Weitzel) Schaum.

Bob honorably served in the United States Navy in the Pacific Theater during World War II. Later, he founded the New Holland Finance Company, from which he retired in 1980.

Bob is survived by his beloved wife, Edith Mae Schaum, with whom he shared 82 years of marriage. Also surviving are his daughter, Paula Lee Smith; his daughter-in-law, Shirley M. Schaum; his granddaughter, Diane Pappas (Greg); his nephew, Gary Miller (Suzanne); and his niece, Patricia Migiani.

He was preceded in death by his son, Robert W. Schaum, Jr., and his sisters, Dorothy Troup and Barbara Miller.

A Memorial Service will be held at St. Peter’s Evangelical Lutheran Church, 10 Delp Rd., Lancaster, PA 17601, on Friday, April 25, 2025, at 11:00 a.m. Friends are invited to greet the family beginning at 10:00 a.m. Interment will be private.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **25**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter's Lutheran Church
10 Delp Road
Lancaster, PA 17601

Memorial Service

APR **25**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

PM

“ I will always remember Uncle Bob playing, "Pretty Pretty Princess," with Stefani when she was about 5 or 6 years old. He was such a good sport! He even wore a necklace, a ring and a Tierra. I will also remember; when I would call Uncle Bob and Aunt Edith, he would answer the phone and say " Hi Patti, how are you?" No matter what my response was, he would always answer with, "uh huh." I will miss that expression. I also enjoyed driving to Myrtle Beach a couple of times, with my mom, to visit Uncle Bob and Aunt Edith. We were always welcomed with open arms. One time we went with Stef and one of her friends for Easter. Well, it was the first time for Stef's friend to ever eat ham and she loved it. Lastly, Uncle Bob was a a great loving and caring husband, father, grandfather, brother and Uncle. I love you and will miss you very much! Another wonderful soul has gone home.

Patricia Migiani - April 25, 2025 at 01:06 AM