



Ronald E. Sorg

December 7, 2016

Ronald E. Sorg, 84, of Lancaster, PA, passed away on Wednesday afternoon at the Lancaster Regional Medical Center with his wife and sons by his side. Born in Elizabeth Township, Alleghany County, PA, he was the son of the late Elmer and Mildred Parish Sorg. Ron was the husband of Catherine Estey Sorg, together they celebrated their 52nd wedding anniversary on February 22, 2016.

Ron was known as the “Patriarch of the Family”, a title given to him by his loving family, because according to Ron, “family was first”. He enjoyed family reunions, traveled with his wife and family through most of the United States and many countries, going on cruises and staying at over 150 elder hostels, “Road Scholars”. He loved to read, watch sports, especially the Pittsburgh Steelers and Pirates and chat with his neighbors. He worked hard all his life, from the time he was a paperboy and had a great patriotic love for his country.

A graduate of Carnegie-Mellon University in Pittsburgh in 1954, Ron worked as a chemical engineer for Allied Signal, now Honeywell International for 36 years until he retired in 1990. He was a member of Highland Presbyterian Church in Lancaster, where he was an active member as an usher and greeter; the church men’s book club, with its’ lively discussions every Thursday with breakfast at Bob Evans.

Ron will be lovingly remembered by his wife Catherine, his sons; Philip, (Kathleen) Sorg of Flemington, NJ and William, (Pam) Sorg of West Grove, PA, his five grandchildren; Rachel, Julia, Jason, Erin and Danielle and his sisters; Pearl Fraser of Monongahela, PA and Jean, (Barry) Graham of Finleyville, PA.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to Celebrate his Life in a memorial service to be held at Highland Presbyterian Church, 500 East Roseville Rd, Lancaster, PA on Friday, December 16, 2016 at 1:00 p.m. with the Rev. Dr. Robert S. Burns officiating. Private family inurnment will be held at the Highland Church Memorial Garden. The family will receive friends at the church on Friday from 12:00 p.m. until the time of service.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent in Ron's memory to Lancaster Emergency Medical Service (LEMSA), 100 E. Charlotte St., Millersville, PA 17551, or to a charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 16. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Highland Presbyterian Church
500 East Roseville Road
Lancaster, PA

Memorial Service

DEC 16. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ronald E. Sorg*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *Ron was a childhood friend of my husband, Russ Cuddy. I became Ron and Kathy's friend as an adult. Ron was a contented happy man. He always seemed to know what he wanted of life. He told me, that at an early age, he knew he wanted to be a chemical engineer and pursued that endeavor. He loved his life, his sons, his wife. I loved to hear Ron talk about his travels; he enjoyed them so very much.*

Ron and we could discuss politics forever. His love of America was a joy to behold. A real patriot..

He will be missed

Meredith Cudy

Meredith Cuddy - January 01, 2017 at 07:17 PM



“ *Ron was a friend and a good neighbor. I always enjoyed our talks about politics and community events. The visits in his home were always very pleasant and informative. I will miss his smile and friendly greetings. Cathy we are close by, if there is anything we can do to help you, please call 672-0206. May the peace of Christ be with you. Tom Acker.*

Tom Acker - December 16, 2016 at 09:46 AM

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“ Only the fondest memories of Ron and Cathy, especially their wonderful wedding at Madison Presbyterian Church on Feb. 22 when I was a young girl. Ron was so handsome and Cathy was gorgeous. What a great day! Best wishes and best of luck as you move forward.

Suzanne and Drew Gitomer

Suzanne & Drew Gitomer - December 13, 2016 at 08:01 PM

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“ Our deepest sympathies go out to the Sorg family. Our lovely neighborly chats will greatly be missed. With much love, Don and Becky Nguyen

Becky Nguyen - December 12, 2016 at 09:30 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ronald E. Sorg.



December 10, 2016 at 08:42 PM

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“ Phil, Kathleen and family are thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Fondly, The Donnelly Family

Donnelly Family - December 10, 2016 at 11:50 AM