



D. Allshouse

July 20, 1922 - March 15, 2009

D. Ray Allshouse, age 86, husband of the late Ruth (Dauderis) Allshouse, of Limerick, PA died Sunday, March 15, 2009 in the Temple University Hospital after a brief illness. Born in Greensburg, PA on July 20, 1922, he was a son of the late Samuel and Olive Allshouse. A veteran, he served for the U.S. Navy during World War II, and the Korean War. He completed his education as a Mechanical Engineer through the G.I. Bill at Worcester Polytechnical Institute in Worcester, MA. Mr. Allshouse was employed as an engineer at several firms and retired from Elf-Atochem in 1987. He enjoyed good books, playing golf, gardening, dancing, fine wine and cooking gourmet meals for family and friends. His special Swedish buffet at Christmas lives on as a family tradition. He will be remembered as a generous man with a sense of humor and a twinkle in the eye. Mr. Allshouse is survived by two sons; Dennis (Jeanette), Curtis (Jeannemarie), two grandchildren; Margaret Gray and Allison Allshouse. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Funeral Service at the Cattermole - Klotzbach Funeral Home, 600 Washington Street, Royersford, PA on Saturday morning, March 21, 2009 at 10:30AM. Officiating will be the Rev. Paul H. Neff. Burial will be in the Limerick Garden of Memories, Limerick, PA. Friends will be received from 9:30 - 10:30 Saturday morning at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be made in his name to the Royersford Free Public Library, 200 S. 4th Avenue, Royersford, PA 19468. Condolences may be made online at www.RoyersfordFuneralHome.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ Curtis, I am so sorry for your loss and also sorry that I did not find out about your dad's death until today. I have lost track of him since I moved to Maryland after retirement but I always enjoyed his company and playing golf with him. I hope all is well with you and your family. Sincerely, John

John Derricott - john.derricott@gmail.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM

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“ It has been a few years since I have played golf with Ray at his course-Arrowhead. My other friend and I were usually a few holes ahead of Ray and his other friend. He always called over to us " are you having any fun ? " and we always replied YES. After awhile Ray left his other golfer and joined us to have fun. He was a delight to play with and had many stories to tell us as we played and always had at least one cigar to smoke which I enjoyed since I was a non smoker but loved the smell of his cigars. We played many years together until he lost his " zip" and could not play many holes and finally no holes. I truly missed his company. He will be remembered by me and my buddy for many of his remarks. The best one was on the last hole. He always said " you must go out with a blaze of glory on the last hole ". For a few years he would meet us at the clubhouse and bring us asparagus from his garden. In fact just yesterday before I saw the obit of Ray we talked about him. We called him the " Governor " He was and will be truly missed by me and my buddy golfer at Arrowhead.

Evan Kranzley-Golfer - ekranzley@yahoo.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM

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“ We lived near Ray Allhouse, in the old farmhouse formerly owned by Earl and Faye Wagner. The summer after we moved in, Ray began plying us with vegetables from his garden. I can't say we knew him extremely well, but we knew him well enough to see both his strength and his kindness. (We could also tell immediately that he'd been an engineer. We have a few of those in our family, as it turns out.) We're very sorry to hear of his death, and we hope that his family's grief is balanced, over time, by memories of the man he was.

Brian Clapper - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM