



Donald F. Evans

August 21, 1923 - November 4, 2015

Donald F. Evans, 92, of Collegetown, PA, passed away on Wednesday, November 04, 2015 at his home, surrounded by his loving family. He was the widower of Kathryn E. (Lynch) Evans, who died in 1997.

He was born in Phoenixville to the late John L. and Mabel (Hampton) Evans. Don was a graduate of Phoenixville High School. After enlisting in the Army in 1942, he served in North Africa, Sicily, England, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany with Reconnaissance Company, Sixty-Sixth Armored Regiment of the Second Armored Division (Hell on Wheels). Among his commendations were seven campaign stars and two Arrowheads, the Purple Heart with Oak Leaf Cluster, Presidential Unit Citation and Belgian Fourragere.

In 2013 he went to Hollywood and served as a military consultant for the movie Fury.

He was employed as a forklift operator for thirty-three years at Pottstown Newcrete until he retired in 1978.

He was a faithful member and deacon of Valley Forge Baptist.

Don is survived by his children: Donna M. Mengel and her husband David, of Royersford; Kenneth R. Evans, of Towanda and John C. Evans and his wife,

Diane, of Spring City; a sister Pearl Schmidt, widow of Charles, of Phoenixville, PA; six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. In addition to his wife and parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Robin E. Evans, late husband of Ann Evans, of Royersford and brothers, Robert and Edgar.

His Homegoing Service, led by Pastor Scott E. Wendal, will be held on Friday, November 6, 2015 at 7 PM at Valley Forge Baptist, 616 S. Trappe Rd., Collegetown, PA. Calling time is from 5:00 to 7:00 PM. Burial, with military honors, will be at Limerick Garden of Memories on Saturday at 11:00 AM. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Valley Forge Baptist Academy at the above address. Online condolences may be offered at www.royersfordfuneralhome.com. Arrangements are by Cattermole-Klotzbach Funeral Home of Royersford.

Cemetery Details

Limerick Garden of Memories

44 Arcadia Drive
Limerick, PA 19468

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 6. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Valley Forge Baptist
616 S. Trappe Road
Collegeville, PA 19426

Funeral Ceremony

NOV 6. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1fJr4TzInCs>

enjoy 2 more hours with Don.

tom heineman - February 08, 2019 at 06:03 PM

 Carol Rhoads

“ *I will miss hearing him say to me hello Carol Rhoads at church as I always responded hi Don Evans a little greeting we always had. A great and dear man of God who walked with God and whose life was a great influence to me....I meet him when I was first saved and fellowship with the Smith family, who his close friend with Al Smith. He is a treasure and I know he rejoices with his Lord in glory. I am so glad that I knew him and he was a blessing to me greatly.*

Carol Rhoads

Carol Rhoads - November 05, 2015 at 03:55 PM

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“ *Don was an amazing man in so many ways. His sense of humor was always a joy to hear. He was a shining example of how to walk with the Lord through thick and thin. In spite of his military honors, he was always a humble man. I loved to listen to him pray in church. I am thankful to have had the privilege to know him.*

My prayers and condolences to all of the family in your loss. But, we are all comforted knowing that Don is in Heaven with his Lord and the other believers who have preceded him in death.

Kathy Wilson

Kathy Wilson - November 05, 2015 at 11:56 AM

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“ *Ken and Family -*

Our sincerest sympathy to you all - Donald certainly was an amazing individual - a role model for all.

*Regards,
Bruce & Diane and Mike & Laurie*

Diane - November 05, 2015 at 09:51 AM

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“ *To the family of Donal Evans, I send my condolences, I am so sorry for your loss. My mother and father always spoke so well of this man. May Donald RIP> Mabel McIntyre Kelly*



Mabel Elizabeth Kelly - November 05, 2015 at 04:56 AM