



Glen Ruzicka

August 19, 1949 - November 21, 2010

Glen Alan Ruzicka, until recently Director of Conservation at the Conservation Center for Art & Historic Artifacts (CCAHA), in Philadelphia, died on Sunday, November 21, from injuries sustained in a fall from a ladder at his home in Kimberton. Mr. Ruzicka, aged 61, was a well-respected member of the art conservation and preservation cultural community for more than four decades, having previously held positions at the Library of Congress, in Washington, D.C., and the Milton S. Eisenhower Library at The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, before joining CCAHA in 1988. Born in Baltimore, he graduated from Emory University, Atlanta, with a B.A. in philosophy. He was a professional associate of the American Institute for Conservation of Historic and Artistic Works and was also on the board of directors of the Kimberton Waldorf School. He is survived by his wife of 34 years, Molly Branch Clark Ruzicka, and their son Thaddeus Glen Ruzicka; his brother, Robin Ruzicka, of Salem, S.C., his sister, Lynn Steelberg, of Wilmington, N.C., and 15 nieces and nephews. He is the son of Donald Joseph Ruzicka, of Salem, S.C., and the late Ethel Virginia (Nice) Ruzicka. He was a gentle and loving man whose devotion to his career and wide-ranging interests were eclipsed only by his love of family and friends. Relatives and friends will be received at the Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home, 610 Main Street, Phoenixville, PA 19460, from 2 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, November 28. A private burial will be held at St. John's Cemetery, Ellicott City, Md. A memorial service to honor Mr. Ruzicka's life will also be held in the next several weeks in Philadelphia--date

and location to be announced through appropriate online channels.

Tribute Wall

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“ To the Family, We are always saddened by the passing of our dear loved one. The time we have with them is never enough. Please keep in your hearts and minds the wonderful joy and happiness they brought to your lives. Even though it is hard for us to imagine the void in our lives be assured of this period as resting time for them. Hope is given to us through the scriptures that this enemy called "Death" will soon be done away with. (1 Cor. 15:26) Not only will death be no more, neither will sickness, pain and sorrow be anymore. (Rev. 21:3-4) God has said "He is making all things new". My prayers are with you all. Agape' Smith Family

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“ Molly -- I am thinking of you and Thad every minute. May you find peace so very soon. Mary Lowe

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