



## Leonard R. "Dougy" Douglas

June 17, 1924 - June 10, 2015

Leonard R. "Dougy" Douglas, 90, of Limerick, PA passed away on Wednesday, June 10, 2015 at his home.

He was born in Norristown to the late Leonard and Emma E. (Connelly) Douglas. Dougy served as a sergeant in the Army during WW II. Upon his return, he worked for the Norristown YMCA. There he led the Flying Y's Acrobat Troop. They performed all over the country as an opening act for circuses. They made appearances on Captain Noah and the Merv Griffin Show. He last worked for Clemens Market in Trappe before first falling ill. He is survived by his caregiver, with whom he resided, Gail Field. He is also survived by her children, who he considered his grandchildren: Eileen Perfetto, Alicia Nelson and Laura Field and their children: Ava Perfetto, Landon Nelson and Audrey Nelson. He was predeceased by brothers, John, Richard and Donald.

Funeral Services will be held on Monday, June 15, 2015 at 11:00 AM at Cattermole-Klotzbach Funeral Home, 600 Washington St. Royersford, PA. Calling time is from 10-11 AM. Burial will be in Valley Forge Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Seasons Hospice Foundation, Seasons Hospice Foundation, 2200 Renaissance Blvd, Suite 110, King of Prussia, PA 19406.

# Cemetery Details

## Valley Forge Memorial Gardens

352 South Gulph Road  
King Of Prussia, PA 19406

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JUN 15.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Cattermole - Klotzbach Funeral Home  
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Royersford, PA 19468  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Leonard R. "Dougy" Douglas.*



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June 15, 2015 at 12:42 PM



“ *I will be forever grateful to Dougy for what he taught me about the strength of the human spirit and the depths of love people can have for one another. It was a honor and a privilege to know Dougy and to care for him in his final days. Peace and blessings on his family who gave him such loving care and unwavering support. Dougy will live on in the hearts and minds of of us all.*

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**Polly** - June 15, 2015 at 07:38 AM



“ *Doug was always facinating to to with. He knew a lot of history. I always enjoyed talking with him. He had a kind heart and was very good to Gail and the kids. I will miss him!*  
*Jeff Hertzog*

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**Jeff Hertzog** - June 14, 2015 at 09:00 PM

LF

“ I met him thru my friend Gail and her family. I have truly never witnessed such love, caring and respect between people as I did with him and the Field family. He also was one person who I never heard an unkind word or a sad face. He always had a kind smile and such a calm peaceful presence to be around. Some people come into this world to touch many lives, and as I read the passages people wrote, he did just that. What a wonderful person God shared w us here on earth. Now he will reside in heaven and continue to smile and watch over all of us. Thank you to the Field family for being his angels here on earth. ??

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**Leslie Markowski Fogle** - June 14, 2015 at 05:31 PM

RK

“ Mr. Douglas introduced those of us who were in the Flying Ys to a world we would never have known otherwise. He taught us to juggle, unicycle, and flip through the air, but that was just the beginning. We learned to be comfortable in front of audiences large and small, and the thrill of applause. He taught us how to dress, speak, and act like gentlemen. We learned the value of hard work in the company of friends. As adolescent young men, he helped guide us during that important formative time in our lives, and made a real positive impact. Over the decades I looked forward every Christmas to his card with the brief note telling me how he was doing and he always remained positive. I am grateful to have known Mr. Douglas!  
Russ Kehler

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**Russ Kehler** - June 13, 2015 at 06:41 AM

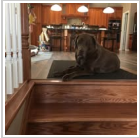


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**Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home** - June 13, 2015 at 12:43 AM



“ I have so many good memories of working with him at Clemens. He was a very caring and compassionate man. Barbara West from Coal City, WV

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**Barbara West** - June 12, 2015 at 10:03 AM

SN

“ I believe it was called Sight and Sound that Dougy introduced my family to years ago for a live Christmas Show. It was so nice. He always hugged me and seemed so happy to see me. I know he led a very full and blessed life. The field family were so caring and loving to him. I know my son James and wife Alicia did so much with him and for him and they were blessed to have been a part of each others story in life. God bless you all. Love to you Dougy in your heavenly travels in heaven.

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**Sue Nelson** - June 12, 2015 at 09:58 AM

GH

“ I remember Leonard when I became a member of the Norristown YMCA in the late 50's. Got to know him much better when I started working as a lifeguard in the pool. He was always very helpful. One of the nicest people I ever met. He will be missed.

*Brian Hertzog*

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**G. Brian Hertzog** - June 12, 2015 at 12:20 AM

JH

“ R.I.P. Mr. Douglas, I was one of your Flying Y's and will remember all the good times we had from show to show. Jack Hertzog

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**Jack Hertzog** - June 10, 2015 at 06:11 PM