



Russell Funderwhite

August 13, 1931 - March 26, 2010

Russell P. Funderwhite, 78, husband of Dorothy B. (Bard) Funderwhite, of Royersford, passed away on Friday, March 26, 2010, in the Phoenixville Hospital. Born in Kimberton, he was a son of the late John C. and Mary (Brownback) Funderwhite. Mr. Funderwhite was a 1949 graduate of the former Spring City High School. He retired after 33 years from the Upper Providence Township as Public Works Director, and worked part time for the Township after his retirement. He was a member of the Green Tree Church of the Brethren. An outdoorsman, Mr. Funderwhite was a member of the former Seven Stars Harness Racing Club, enjoyed camping, fishing, and hunting, and was an avid Phillies fan. In addition to his loving wife of 56 years, Mr. Funderwhite is survived by two daughters, Deborah A., wife of Patrick Connor, of Royersford and Cathy M. Funderwhite, of Lancaster, one son, Russell P. Funderwhite Jr., of Collegeville, two sisters, Anita Bowersock, of Cochranville, and Ruth Abronski, of Pompano Beach, FL, one brother, Clyde Funderwhite, of Columbus, OH, five grandchildren, Joseph Rupert Jr., Brian Rupert, Jennifer Grimm, Sarah Roberts, and Kimberly Snader, two great grandchildren, Harrison Rupert and Lauren Grimm, and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by one daughter, Carol Snader, three sisters, Edna Hardin, Helen Wambold, and Grace Funderwhite, and three brothers, Franklin, Robert, and William Funderwhite. Relatives and friends are invited to attend a memorial service at the Green Tree Church of the Brethren, 1078 Egypt Road, Oaks, PA, on Saturday, April, 3, 2010, at 2:00 p.m. A

viewing will be held on Wednesday, March 31, 2010, from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at the Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc., Main Street at Fifth Avenue, Phoenixville. Memorial gifts may be made in his memory to the Green Tree Church of the Brethren Memorial Fund. Condolences may be offered online at www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com.

Tribute Wall

LL

“ Dottie & family Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this sad time. We will miss seeing Russ at the campground. He was a great person! Love, Lori & Jim

Lori Burkey & Jim Sulouff - lol9871@comcast.net - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM

RJ

“ Aunt Dottie, Debbie & Family, Cathy and Russ: Our heartfelt thoughts and prayers go out to you in your loss. We have many fond memories of Uncle Paulie and his jovial manner over the years. He will be missed. May your loss be eased by the warmth of those moments and the many others you have stored away. God be with you and keep you in your time of sorrow. Love, Russ and Cheryl

Russell & Cheryl Wambold, Jr. - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM

RL

“ Russell was a great man and a terrific co-worker. He always had a smile on his face yet worked with a tremendous professionalism. He will be sorely missed by everyone at Upper Providence Township. Our condolences go out to everyone in Russell's family.

Richard D. Livergood - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM

AB

“ Dottie, Debbie & Family, Kathy and Russ: Our hearts are broken too! Just want you all to know you are in our prayers. Paulie leaves a lot of great memories. He was one of my favorites. Love you all, Anita

Anita Bowersock - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM

JH

“ My regards go out to Debbie, Kathy, Jen, and Brian as well as all the other family. Ever since the passing of my mother in Jan. I have been keeping up tabs on this website reading many different obituaries. As I know how welcoming my mother's service felt seeing the faces of so many life long absent, and unabsent faces at her services to help me pull through. So I have only wanted to be that same face to others. I am so sorry to hear about Russ. I remember our families all the way back to our childhoods. Although I don't recall much. I remember Russ being so kindhearted and gentlemenish like. My family has been close with the church and your family for many years and it hurts to see another regular face disaper, and although he is now where he belongs to where he has been called by God it still doesn't make it any easier to accept. I appoligize that you have to feel the pain. However it feels good to know he is finally free. My condolences to your family. May God richly bless you and hold your family under his wing and regain your spirit and heart. while he accepts Russ into his rightful places within His kingdom as well. I am sure Mom was probably open arms welcoming him home once he got there. God Bless Funderwhites and I am sorry for your great loss. ~Jen

Jennifer Palmer - HevnSwtAngel@Aol.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM

PS

“ Nanny, Sarah, Kim, Cathy, Debbie, and family, Poppap was a good man. He was a great father-in-law. After all these years I'll still miss his being there. He was a good influence on all you girls. Love,
Dad/Paul

Paul Snader - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM

RR

“ Aunt Dottie, Debbie, Cathy & Russ - I was very sad to hear that Uncle Paulie had passed away. I have many fond memories of him and all of us over the years. Our prayers are with you all during this time. God bless. Ronnie.

Ron, Beth & Brian Bowersock - r_bowersock@yahoo.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM

RR

“ Cathy, I, sadly, check the obituaries and see the parents of my high school friends and acquaintances are passing. I pray for the family members as they mourn the loss of their loved ones. May God Bless you and comfort you during this difficult time. Robbin

Robbin (Matthews) Pineda - rpineda@maugermeter.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM

BB

“ Our condolences to the Funderwhite family. We are saddened by Russels passing, may God Bless Rhody Family of Minersville, Pa.

Bob and Lorraine Rhody/Family - bobcat213@verizon.net - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM

JB

“ Mrs. Funderwhite and family I never got to meet the rest of you but I worked with Russ as a summer help at the township for many years. I credit a lot that I know to him. He was a great man and will really be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

JR Bach - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM

KI

“ *Dottie, Cathy & Family, We were very sorry to hear of Russ's passing. He was a good friend & will be missed greatly. May God give you strength at this sad time. OUR thoughts & prayers are with you. Love, Knuckle & Irene*

Knuckle & Irene Laudeman - ilaud@verizon.net - July 19, 2013 at 08:37 AM