



William O. Stephenson

February 5, 1945 - December 29, 2020

William "Bill" O. Stephenson, age 75, of Phoenixville, PA, passed away on Tuesday, December 29, 2020 in the Seasons Hospice. He was the husband of the late Jean Marie (Shepsko) Stephenson, who preceded him in death on December 13, 2020. Born on February 5, 1945 in Norristown, PA, he was a son of the late Clarence and Catherine (Leach) Stephenson.

Mr. Stephenson was a graduate of A.D. Eisenhower High School, class of 1963. He served in the Army National Guard and enjoyed a long and successful career with SMS, holding several positions prior to his retirement. He was a proud member and Past-President of the Phoenixville Jaycees. Mr. Stephenson was a loving and caring husband that found his true calling once he became a Grandfather. He enjoyed spending time with friends and family, especially in Rehoboth Beach, DE. Quick with a smile or a joke, his likeable nature will surely be missed, as will his famously delicious breakfasts.

Mr. Stephenson is survived by two sons, Gregory S., husband of Jennifer Stephenson of Audubon, PA and Brian J., husband of Amber Stephenson of Ballston Lake, NY; four grandchildren, Noah, Erin, Laurel, and Abigail; and three siblings, Sandra Richards, Stephen Stephenson, and Richard Stephenson. Mr. Stephenson was preceded in death by one sister, Ginger Leach.

Funeral and burial services will be held privately. Condolences may be made by visiting www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com. Arrangements are being handled by the Campbell - Ennis - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc., Phoenixville, PA.

Cemetery Details

Private

Tribute Wall

DN

“ Apologies for this incredibly late condolence to the family. I am just now learning of Bill's passing. I just want to say what an incredibly caring person Bill was. He was my first manager at SMS and from day 1, always had my best interest at heart. He offered me the position reluctantly knowing I was a single parent of 2 small children (and not from this area at the time) so he made sure that I realized how little the salary was before I accepted. I told him I would make it work and even years later when he saw me in the hallway he would say - you're still here? LOL what a tremendously kind man. My sincere sympathy to the family - if he mad that much of an impression on me, I can only imagine the heartache for the ones he loved and loved him.

Deb Nyce

Deb Nyce - January 29, 2024 at 01:06 PM

DH

“ I extend my belated condolences to Bill's family & friends. Like many others, I got to know Bill professionally via my employment many years ago at Shared Medical Systems. I started with the company as a Field Engineer in NYC back in 84' and later worked in Technical Support at Corporate. During those years, I worked with many of Bill's subordinate employees and he trained them well. I also had occasional dealings with Bill and whenever I saw him in the hallways at SMS, he was always very friendly, personable and professional. It was people like him that made work an enjoyable and productive experience. He was sorely missed when he was gone from the company and I'm sorry that he's gone from those that he was closest with. RIP dear Bill.

Dieter Hauer - April 30, 2023 at 11:40 PM



“ 2 files added to the album *Funeral Ceremony*



Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home - January 05, 2021 at 01:08 PM



“ *Greg, Brian and family, our deepest condolences in the loss of another parent. The obituary captured Bill's spirit perfectly with his quick smile and joke. We are so happy that we have memories to hold on to. Take comfort in knowing that Bill couldn't live without Jean, and now they are reunited.*

Tony & Chris Odorisio

Tony & Chris Odorisio - January 03, 2021 at 10:12 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of William O. Stephenson.*



January 01, 2021 at 09:11 PM

MK

“ Likely built of granite, Bill had a fast wit and a crushing handshake. He was one of the most generous and caring men I knew as a boy, and his pride and care for his sons was magnetic. I'll remember his faith, his magnanimous spirit, and the twinkle in his eye; I'll also remember the deep love he showed for his incredible wife, Jean. I'm grateful I got to know him as a kid. My warmest condolences to Brian, Greg, and their families as they navigate this challenging time.

Michael Kleba - January 01, 2021 at 07:33 PM



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Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home - January 01, 2021 at 02:11 PM

BH

“ What a wonderful friend for more than 35 years after working together at SMS in Malvern. Always there to help, loyal friend, cared about people more than most. Tremendous following of his SMS friends all over the internet, Face Book, etc.

Bob Haist

Bob Haist - January 01, 2021 at 08:09 AM

LY

“ Knew Bill for many years at SMS. Bill was a good man, colleague, teammate and a hard worker. Very sad to hear of his passing. My condolences to his family and loved ones. RIP Bill!

Lee Yacovwtt - December 31, 2020 at 03:28 PM

SP

“ Syl and I offer our finest condolences on the passing of this respected community volunteer. We have fond memories of Bill's work with our local Jaycee chapter, particularly at Dogwood-related events.



Sal and Sylvia Katz of Phoenixville, PA - December 31, 2020 at 02:31 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William O. Stephenson.



December 31, 2020 at 12:50 PM