



Donald H. Umberger

August 4, 1933 - August 4, 2022

Donald H. Umberger, 89, of Annville died Thursday, August 4, 2022, at the WellSpan Good Samaritan Hospital. He is survived by his loving wife, Florence B. (Risser) Umberger.

Born in South Annville Township on August 4, 1933, he was the son of the late William H. and Mary A. (Herr) Umberger. At the time of his death, Donald was Township Manager of South Annville Township and a member of Salem UCC in Campbelltown. Donald was part of the second-generation ownership of Umbergers of Fontana (Mill) for most of his life while serving as a Supervisor, Secretary/Treasurer and Manager of South Annville Township for more than 50 years. Donald also served in many leadership capacities for Salem UCC, spent years on the board of both Interfaith Manor and Lebanon County Farmland Preservation and was a Scout Master for the Fontana Boy Scouts. Donald was an avid sports fan, playing in a church softball league, many basketball games and golfed a lot in his later years. Donald also served in the US Army MP in Heidelberg, Germany in the 1950's.

Surviving in addition to his wife is a son, Don M. Umberger, husband of Cindy of Hershey, and two grandchildren, Katie Umberger, wife of Jonathan Toto, and Christy Umberger, partner of Christian Brand. Donald was preceded in death by a son, David M. Umberger, a brother, William H. Umberger, six half siblings, Grace Sanders, Howard, Joe, Wayne, Cloyd, and Hobart Umberger. A public visitation will be held from 5:00 pm until the time of the funeral service which is 7:00 pm on Friday, August 12th, 2022, at Salem United Church of

Christ, 2761 Horseshoe Pike, Campbelltown, PA 17010. A time of Fellowship will follow the service. Interment will be held at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Salem United Church of Christ, P.O. Box 7 Campbelltown, PA 17010, or the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation by visiting www.cff.org, in his memory.

Cemetery Details

Salem United Church of Christ Cemetery

2761 Horseshoe Pike
Campbelltown, PA 17010

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 12. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Salem United Church of Christ
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Funeral Service

AUG 12. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ You would come to my house,pick me up,and take me to scout meetings in 1958. Will always remember.

Frederick L Ratliff - July 14, 2025 at 09:09 AM

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“ Don was a family man and cared for the community I worked with Dom for 38 years on the board of Interfaith Manor he always wanted the best care for the residents and wanted to provide more homes like interfaith he will be missed our prayers are for the family.

Del Skinner - August 12, 2022 at 05:16 PM

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“ In traditional cultures, the passing of knowledge, how to live one's life, how to treat others, how to care for the tribal community, was passed on from the elders to the young. I was personally the beneficiary of this elder wisdom during the time I've known Don. I met Don in a period of my life where I had moved on from the tutelage that my own Father had provided, and I was in the beginning phase of raising my own family. Over the last 30 or so years, I've learned a great deal from the wisdom of this great elder. His physical presence is no longer possible, but his spirit, wisdom and teachings will live on forever in my heart and mind. You are missed Don!

Jeff Steely

Jeff Steely - August 12, 2022 at 04:55 PM

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“ As a young municipal engineer growing in my career over 20 yrs ago, South Annville Twp & Don became my first client. His patience, wisdom, quiet dedication, and work ethic had much influence on me. I'm forever grateful for the chance he gave me, memories of working with him, and his friendship.

Jim Stuckey - August 12, 2022 at 02:54 PM

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“ 2 files added to the album Articles



Gordon Sheetz - August 08, 2022 at 09:44 PM

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“ Chuck's comments are absolutely right on. Don was a GREAT person. A well respected municipal official. I had the wonderful opportunity to work with him for 43 years, my tenure at the County Planning Department. AND, I have spent the last 45 years sharing Township thoughts, plans and opportunities with him at a municipal official's level. A true professional....and a down-to-earth really nice guy. RIP "Mr. South Annville". Gordon Sheetz, Chairman of the Township Planning Commission.

Gordon Sheetz - August 08, 2022 at 09:33 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Donald H. Umberger.*



August 08, 2022 at 12:34 PM



“ *My sincerest condolences to the family. I found Donald to be one of the most honorable people I ever had the pleasure to work. He was a champion on Lebanon County's Agricultural Land Preservation Board. A quality human being. Respectful. Fair/Rational. Experienced/Knowledgeable. Involved. A true public servant. He helped permanently protect more than 17,000 acres of Lebanon County farmland during his service on our board during my career with the Lebanon County Conservation District. Our loss is heaven's gain. Peace Donald. Chuck Wertz, Lebanon*

Charles Wertz - August 08, 2022 at 08:05 AM