



Raymond D. 'Sonny' Long

April 28, 1931 - December 12, 2013

Raymond D. "Sonny" Long, 82, formally of Quentin, Lebanon County passed away peacefully on Thursday December 12, 2013. He was the husband of Dolores J. Sheckler Long with whom he celebrated their 64th wedding anniversary in September of this year.

Born in Lebanon on April 28, 1931, he was the son of the late Raymond F. and Florence C. Starry Long. He retired after 20 years of working for Lebanon County Assessment Office as a property evaluator. He was a member of Cornwall United Methodist Church and was a 1949 graduate of Cornwall High School. He was a member of Mt. Lebanon Lodge #226.

For 30 years he served as an umpire for PIAA softball and baseball. He was also the ASA Commissioner for softball in Lebanon County. He enjoyed the Turkey Buzzard group and traveling to the Log Hollow Hunting Camp in Potter County. He was the owner of the former Long's Grocery in Quentin, and then later catered for Fairview golf outings.

Surviving in addition to his wife are three sons, R. David Long, Jr. and wife Bonnie of Lebanon, MSG Kevin P. Long of Hawaii, Arden D. Long and wife Sherry of Lebanon, a daughter Lorrie A. and husband William Peniston of Bermuda, seven grandchildren, Jeremy, Janelle, Tana, Karla, Nathan, Ian, and Liam, one great grandchild, Zulay, and a sister Mary Louise and husband Howard Hoerner of Palmyra. He was predeceased in death by a son, Paul David Long.

Memorial services will be held Friday December 20, 2013 at the Cornwall

United Methodist Church, Rt 419 and Alden Street, Cornwall at 1 PM. A Masonic service will be held at 12:45 PM prior to the service. Inurnment will be at the convenience of the family. Contributions may be made in his memory to his church.