



Robert G. Parr

August 4, 1927 - May 3, 2013

Robert G. Parr, 85, passed away at home surrounded by his family Friday May 3, 2013. Born on August 4, 1927 in Freeport, Long Island, NY, he was the son of Donley J. and Marjorie Annis Parr. Bob graduated from Penn State University and served his country in the Navy during WW II; he returned to Lebanon to operate the family business as President of D. J. Parr, Inc. and Parr Equipment for 36 years. Upon retiring, he continued to share his business prowess with several national, regional, and local companies. He willingly offered his expertise with the Lancaster chapter of SCORE, an organization offering business advice and education to new small business entrepreneurs. He was an avid golfer and consummate sailor. He served the community on numerous boards including the Lebanon County Trust Co., the Mt. Gretna Borough and Authority, The Pennsylvania Chatauqua Association as well as several national organizations in the energy field. He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Barbara, daughters Megan Petry and Amy Roak. He was grandfather to Madeline, Olivia, and Robert Roak of Ft. Washington, PA, and brother of Eloise Brown of Lebanon. He was preceded in death by two brothers, Donley J., and Malcolm G. Parr. Services will be held privately at the convenience of the family. Please omit flowers. Contributions in his name may be made to Good Samaritan Hospice, the Salvation Army of Lebanon, or the charity of your choice.

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“ *I just saw this today. I have fond memories of Mr. Parr, my employer for more than 10 years. My belated condolences go out to his family, Barbara, Amy, Megan.* ”

Ken Tritle - January 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Amy, I am sorry for your loss and hope you are doing well.* ”

Drew Lovell - October 08, 2014 at 12:00 AM