



## Thomas C. Shirk

November 21, 1943 - December 14, 2016

Thomas C. Shirk, 73, of Lebanon, passed away on Wednesday, December 14, 2016, at Linden Village in Lebanon. He was the husband of Margaret M. (Sheerin) Shirk. They had celebrated their 37th wedding anniversary.

Born in Lebanon on November 21, 1943, he was the son of the late Elmer E. and Erma M. (Smith) Shirk. He served in the US Air Force. He retired from the Federal Government and had worked in Information Technology in various departments. Thomas was a life member of the Salem Lutheran Church in Lebanon. For many years he served as a Committee Member of Boy Scout Troop 412 at Salem Lutheran Church. He was a member of the American Legion. He was a history and Civil War buff and enjoyed reading, politics, woodworking and model trains.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by his children Meaghan M. Shirk of Philadelphia, Edwin T. Shirk of Baltimore, MD, Tara C. Shirk and her fiancé Joseph Burkard of Garwood, NJ and Torrey J. Shirk of Philadelphia; brother Allan L. Shirk and his wife Sandra of Jonestown; his sister-in-law, Emilie Shirk, of FL, (wife of the late Elmer E. Shirk, Jr); several nieces and nephews and many other family members. Along with his brother he was also predeceased by a brother Richard K. Shirk.

A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, December 21, 2016, at 12:30 p.m. at Old Salem Lutheran Church, corner of Willow and Eighth Sts., Lebanon. There will be no viewing but a visitation will be held on Tuesday evening from 6-8 p.m. at the Kreamer & Lum Funeral Home & Crematory, Rt. 72 & Camp Meeting Rd., Jonestown. An additional visitation will be held

starting at 11 a.m. until the start of the service on Wednesday at the church. Inurnment, with full military honors, will follow at Fort Indiantown Gap National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Lebanon Community Library, 125 N. 7th St., Lebanon, PA 17046 or to Boy Scout Troop 412 at 119 N 8th St, Lebanon 17046 (Salem Lutheran Church). [www.kreamerlumfh.com](http://www.kreamerlumfh.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Peg and Family,I was so very sorry to hear of Tom's passing.  
My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Anna

Anna Russell - December 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ ... and he was a great friend.

Russ Richardson - December 21, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ MAY THE THOUGHT OF KNOWING THAT FRIENDS AND FAMILY  
SHARE IN YOUR GRIEF BE OF COMFORT TO YOUR  
FAMILY.PLEASE READ PROV 17:17

KELLEY - December 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Our Deepest Synpathy

Ed - December 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ Dear Peggy and family,Please know you are in my thoughts and  
prayers.Love, Pat

Pat - December 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Offering our deepest condolences during this difficult time.

The Staff of Kreamer - December 15, 2016 at 12:00 AM