



George J. "Bud" Henry

May 24, 1932 - January 30, 2011

George J. "Bud" Henry, 78, of Lake Glory Road, Catawissa, died late Sunday evening, January 30th, 2011 at the Geisinger Medical Center Emergency Room, Danville, after being stricken ill at his home.

Born, May 24, 1932 in Bloomsburg, he was a son of George Collins Henry and Agnes Miriam (Johnson) Henry. He was preceded in death by his wife, Marilyn C. (Morgan) Henry on April 5, 2001 after 40 years of marriage.

Mr. Henry was a school teacher at Southern Columbia for 31 years, retiring in 1986. He was also a lifelong farmer, an auctioneer since 1948 and had also owned and operated George J. Henry Butcher Shop in Catawissa for many years.

He was a 1950 graduate of the former Catawissa High School and a 1954 graduate of Bucknell University in Lewisburg with a B. S. in Biology. Following his graduation from Bucknell University he taught at the Shikellemey Area School District, Roaring Creek Valley and then at Southern Columbia.

Mr. Henry was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Numidia. He was also a member of Elysburg Masonic Lodge and before that was a member of the former Catawissa Masonic Lodge where he was Secretary for many years. Other memberships include the Pennsylvania Auctioneers Association;

PSEA, NEA, NRA and he was the Asst. Secretary of SEDA-COG Joint Rail Authority.

He and his late wife Marilyn also enjoyed woodworking and making Christmas Santa's for many years. An avid outdoorsman, he also enjoyed hunting, fishing and spending time with his grandchildren.

Surviving are his two children: Attorney Susan M. Henry, Bloomsburg; George R. Henry and his wife, Debra, Catawissa; 3 grandchildren: Danielle, Kelly, and Garrett Henry.

Funeral Services will be held Saturday, February 5, 2011 at 2 PM at the Allen R. Horne Funeral Home, 193 McIntyre Road, Catawissa. A Visitation will be held Friday evening from 6 to 9 PM and Saturday from 1 PM until the time of the Service at Horne's. Arrangements are under the direction of the McMichael Funeral Home, Inc., Benton. For online condolences, please visit: www.mcmichaelfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Service

FEB 5. 2:00 PM (ET)

Allen R. Horne Funeral Home
193 McIntyre Rd
Catawissa, PA

Tribute Wall



“ Bud was a wise and generous man. He loved to talk about growing up in Catawissa. He always was very proud of his family especially his grandchildren. Railroading was in Buds blood. He talked often about the DL&W. Thanks to Bud our history group RC&CVHSG was able to have fall rambles from Catawissa to Northumberland. It is good to go through life and meet men like Bud. I'll miss you friend.##imported-begin##Steve Campbell##imported-end##

February 02, 2011 at 12:20 AM



“ The area has lost a good man.My prayers and sympathy to the family for their loss.##imported-begin##Ms.Jeanette (Dan) Nevius##imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 06:47 PM



“ My heartfelt sympathy goes out to you. Whenever your dad would come in to the bank, I always enjoyed talking with him so very much. He was very special to me and a good friend through the years of my banking career.##imported-begin##Mary Seidel ##imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 06:40 PM



“ You have our condolences.##imported-begin##Alice and Homer Walter##imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 05:44 PM



“ Dear Henry Family,
We are so sorry for your loss. "Buddsie" will be greatly missed by all who knew him. 4-H shows and the fair will not be the same without seeing him sitting in his lawn chair outside of the show ring. We wish you all peace in this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##The Potter Family##imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 12:57 PM



“ Susan, George and family~~My deepest and sincere sympathy goes out to you. Your Father was an amazing man, father, teacher, and Grandfather who loved life. I always enjoyed talking to him and hearing him speak about his grandchildren. He was so very proud of them. Always remember the wonderful memories you have of "Bud". I will always have the memory of Bio class... "Roots, Stems and Leaves" and "I once knew a man...". My prayers are with you while you go through this difficult time. God Bless!##imported-begin##Lori Brobst##imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 11:25 AM



“ Another Catawissa Historian gone!##imported-begin##Wayne & Sandra Shultz##imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 10:06 AM



“ George was a kind and friendly man who always made us very comfortable when he was around. My husband has known George since he worked at Hanover in the 60's. He was a memembr of our PASR group and always kept us a seat for brunch. We will miss him##imported-begin##Fred and Rose Aten##imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 09:12 AM



“ My deepest sympathy to you all at this time of loss. Bud will always be remembered. I have known him for a long time, even worked with him when Don Hock and Bud did auctions and then worked with him when I worked at Zimmer Insurance Agency. I loved to hear what he was cooking or canning. Cherish the memories and also know he was so proud of the grandchildren!###imported-begin##Molly Gottstein###imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 07:06 AM