



Robert J Lyman

February 10, 1921 - July 10, 2022

Robert (Bob) James Lyman, 101, of Mechanicsburg, passed away Sunday, July 10, 2022 at his home in Bethany Village. Son of the late Pliny and Gladys (Pettit) Lyman, he was born in Port Huron, Michigan on February 10, 1921.

His wife of 74 years, Jean Snell Lyman, predeceased him. He is survived by a daughter, Judy Wachter (Richard) of St. Louis, MO; 3 sons, James Lyman (Laura) of Glenview, IL; Donald Lyman (Pam) of Harrisburg, PA; and David Lyman (Maggie) of Parkside, PA. He is also survived by 8 grandchildren, Rick, Kim, Scott, Jeffrey, Rachel, Joshua, Vanessa, and Jordan; and 5 great grandchildren, Alexis, Zachary, Hayden, Charlie, and Jaxson. He was preceded in death by his brother Howard Eugene Lyman.

Bob spent most of his childhood in New Cumberland, PA. He graduated in electrical engineering from Penn State University and served in the Army Signal Corps during World War II before working for Bell Telephone in Harrisburg until his retirement. Bob was a long-time resident of Camp Hill and Hampden Township and a 70-year member of Trinity Lutheran Church, where he served in many capacities including Sunday School teacher, Boy Scout leader, and trustee. After retirement, Bob volunteered with The Museum of Scientific Discovery, the State Museum, and Meals on Wheels. Bob and Jean traveled extensively throughout the United States and Canada, visiting family and friends, museums, national parks, and other interesting spots they discovered along the way.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, August 5 at Trinity Lutheran Church, Camp Hill. A light reception will follow immediately. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, Camp Hill or Bethany Village Employee Appreciation Fund, Mechanicsburg.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

AUG 5. 2:00 PM.

Trinity Lutheran Church