

W. Paul Groff

W. Paul Groff, age 88, of Christiana, passed away at his home on Saturday, November 8, 2008. He was the husband of Emma F. Hoisington Groff for 66 years.

He was born in Cole-rain Twp., son of the late Roy C. & Sarah Bleacher Groff. He was a member of Calvary Monument Bible Church of Paradise. Paul was a farmer in the Christiana and Atglen area; he also worked for the Food Mineral Corporation of Kennett Square as a tool fitter. He retired in 1985 as a custodian at the Octorara School District. Paul enjoyed gardening, woodworking,

traveling, and assisting the elderly in the Christiana area. He was a member of the Cochranville Golden Agers.

Surviving besides his wife are three children: P. Larry husband of Ruth Ann Wilson Groff of Landisville, PA, Daryl C. husband of Susan Hogue Groff of Richmond, VA, Linda D. Watts, at home; 6 grandchildren; 10 great grandchildren; 1 great great granddaughter; brother: Kenneth Groff of Shamokin, PA. He was preceded in death by a son: Ronald H. Groff; 6 brothers: Ernest, William, Jay, Oliver, Frank and Charles Groff.

Funeral service will take place on Wednesday, November 12th, at 11 a.m. from the Shivery Funeral Home, 111 Elizabeth Street, Christiana, PA, with Rev. James Davis officiating. There will be a viewing on Wednesday from 10 a.m. until time of service. The interment will be in the Mt. Pleasant Methodist Cemetery, Steelville, PA. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Hospice of Lancaster County, P.O. 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604.

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