

Herman R. Ansalvish

Herman R. Ansalvish, age 80, of Columbia, died peacefully, Wednesday, September 10, 2008 at the Lancaster General Hospital.

Born in Havre De Grace, MD; he was the son of the late George L. Sr., and Elva M. Kahlor Ansalvish. He was the husband of Mary Frances Louise Stephens Ansalvish; they were married November 11, 1950.

Herman retired in 1991 from H. E. Martin and Sons, Inc., Lancaster, where he was a parts manager. He was a US Air Force Veteran. Herman was a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Columbia; where he served in the Church Vestry. He was a volunteer at former Heatherbank Nursing Home, Columbia. Herman enjoyed music and model airplanes.

In addition to his wife he is survived by two sons: David R. husband of Pamela A. Ansalvish of Lusby, MD; William E. husband of Deborah K. Ansalvish of Mount Joy, a daughter: Cynthia Louise Johnson of Annville, 5 grandchildren, and 4 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a brother: George L. Ansalvish, Jr., and a sister: Pearl Gram.

Memorial services will be held Friday, September 19, 2008 from St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 340 Locust Street, Columbia, at 11AM (the family will receive friends 10-11AM) with the Reverend Father J. Patrick Peters officiating. Private interment in Indiantown Gap VA National Cemetery, Annville. Please omit flowers. Contributions in Herman's memory may be made to: St. Paul's Episcopal Church, PO Box 96, Columbia, PA 17512. Arrangements by: Clyde W. Kraft Funeral Home, Inc., Columbia/Landisville.