



Lynn D. McDougall

June 28, 1931 - June 8, 2020

HUDSON, OH - Lynn D. McDougall, age 88, formerly of Richmond, Indiana, died peacefully at home on Monday, June 8, 2020, following a long battle with Parkinson's disease. His steadfast kindness, sly sense of humor, wit, congeniality, love for and devotion to his family, and commitment to his community will be sorely missed, but serve as a lodestar for all of those who cherished him.

Born in 1931, in Pine Township, Mercer County, PA, to Homer Oscar and Melda Pearl McDougall, Lynn spent his childhood working on the family farm, which remains in the hands of the McDougall family to this day. After graduation from Grove City High School in 1948, Lynn enrolled at the University of Cincinnati and earned his BS in Metallurgical Engineering in 1954. He remained an active member of the Triangle Fraternity throughout his life and held many of his fraternity brothers as his dearest lifelong friends. Upon graduation, Lynn enlisted in the United States Navy, attended Officers School, and served throughout the Pacific on the LST U.S.S. Sumner County during the Korean conflict, rising to the rank of Lieutenant before being honorably discharged. Lynn maintained his commitment to his country, serving in the United States Naval Reserves for many years thereafter. Lynn's Navy buddies joined his group of lifelong friends, and he and Felicie frequently traveled the country to visit with them during ship reunions. While working at Cooper-Bessemer Industries in Mount Vernon, OH, Lynn met his wife of 59 years, Felicie Paques. A move to Dover Industries in Cincinnati, OH, had Lynn working while attending night school at Xavier University, where he earned an MBA in 1965. Lynn and Felicie enjoyed new communities and many friendships in Sidney, OH, and Decatur, IN, before settling in Richmond, IN, for nearly 40 years. Lynn spent the majority of his career as Vice President of Overmeyer Corporation based in Winchester, IN, and as Operations Manager at Joseph H. Hill Company. In 2015, both Lynn and Felicie moved to Hudson to be closer to family.

Lynn was a long-standing member of Richmond's First Presbyterian Church, serving in various roles, including Deacon and Elder. Lynn was passionate about supporting the church's work and service in the community, from helping with Kiwanis efforts to

volunteering with the Project Read Program, established to facilitate literacy efforts of Richmond youth.

Survivors include his wife, Felicie McDougall of Hudson, OH; daughter, Beth (Bradley) Pethel of Hudson, OH; son, Scott (Elizabeth) McDougall of Carmel, IN; beloved grandchildren, Joshua Pethel, Brenna Pethel, and James McDougall; dear sister, Jean Cornelius of Cocoa Beach, FL; sisters-in-law, Joyce McDougall of Orlando, FL, Naola Paques of Mansfield, OH, and Leslie Paques of Albuquerque, NM; and an expanse of special nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father, Homer Oscar McDougall; mother, Melda Witherup; brothers, John, Clayton, Keith, and Clifford; and sisters, Alice and Lois.

A celebration of Lynn's life will be held at First Presbyterian Church in Richmond once all can safely gather again. Military honors will be provided by the Wayne County Honor Guard. Private burial will be in Mound View Cemetery in Mount Vernon, Ohio, at the convenience of the family. Arrangements are being handled by Doan and Mills Funeral Home, 790 National Road West, Richmond.

Memorial contributions may be made to: First Presbyterian Church, 100 North 10th Street, Richmond, IN 47374.

Condolences may be sent to the family via the guest book at www.doanmillsfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery

Mound View Cemetery

307 Wooster Road

Mount Vernon, OH, 43050

Comments



“ Dearest Felicie, Beth, Scott, and family, I am so sad to hear of Lynn's death. It was a privilege to have known him; I had the greatest respect for him and loved his quiet sense of humor.

Diane Lebo - June 23 at 04:41 PM



“ Lynn will sure missed a lot. My sympathy goes out to his wife and son and daughter.

Carol Wolke - June 21 at 09:48 PM



“ i haven't seen Lynn since Grove City High School, but he was always a fine person to be around. We had a lot of fun together. My deepest sympathies to his family. God Bless
an old classmate. John R. McClure

John R. McClure - June 19 at 02:03 PM



“ Mr. McDougal, you will be missed. It seems like yesterday you were up all night listening to cars honking because my Dad hung a banner above the street saying, "HONK, it's LYNN's 50th". We still use your and Felicie's wedding present. Our condolences for the family.

Brian & Darlene Beard

Brian & Darlene Beard - June 17 at 03:38 PM



“ Lynn and Felicie were great friends of both Ron and I. Great memories of trips to Symphony on the Prairie and shows at Civic Hall. Lynn was always the gentleman and quick to help anyone in need. He leaves a wonderful legacy for his children and grandchildren.

Ronda Christopher

Ronda Christopher - June 17 at 12:34 PM



“ SO VERY SORRY!!! He was a magnificent guy!!!
Sue & Ron Routson

Sue Routson - June 15 at 10:04 AM



“ Lynn was such a nice and kind man. Also very funny...he had an excellent sense of humor. I was so fortunate to have him living next door throughout my childhood. What a wonderful man who will be dearly missed. Love you, Lynn.

John Toedebusch - June 15 at 09:35 AM



“ Sending my love and prayers to Mrs. McDougall, Scott, and Beth. Mr. McDougall was a wonderful and kind man. I will always treasure the memories of growing up in Oak Park and him nicknaming me "Stevie" since I was usually riding bikes or playing kickball with Scott. God bless you all. He will be missed.

Stephanie Kitchin - June 15 at 08:44 AM



“ I would like to send my condolences to Felicie and the family. Lynn & Felicie were great friends of my parents, Sue & Bill Hahn. Lynn was a wonderfully nice man and I'm sure he will be missed dearly.

Amy Hahn Goff - June 14 at 06:17 PM



“ I worked with Felicie at Dunn Center many years ago and always remember her kindness and the way she took care of every one. Felicia, I am so very sorry for your loss! You will be in my prayers!

Becky Taylor-Tincher - June 13 at 09:49 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.

David Lydick and the Staff of Doan & Mills - June 13 at 11:26 AM