



Donald Schoeb

August 9, 1934 - September 22, 2010

Mr. Donald R. Schoeb father, husband and Foreign Service Officer.

Mr. Schoeb passed away on September 22, 2010 in Chestertown, MD of bone cancer. Born in Syracuse, NY in 1934 he was raised in the Washington, D.C. area attending Greenbelt Elementary and Holy Redeemer Elementary School in Berwyn, Maryland. A graduate of Gonzaga College High School, he graduated from Georgetown University and later received a Masters Degree in Public Administration from Syracuse University.

After approximately three and a half years of service in the U.S. Navy, where he obtained the rank of full Lieutenant on release to inactive duty, Mr. Schoeb was employed for approximately three years as the liaison representative for the National Federation of Independent Business.

Entering the U.S. Foreign Service in 1962 he retired in 1994 attaining the rank of Minister Counselor. He served overseas in India, Portugal, Spain, Costa Rica, Peru, Panama, Columbia, Italy and the Philippines. He was Charge de Affairs for brief periods in Panama, Columbia and the Philippines. In Washington D.C. he was in the Bureau of European Affairs, a career counselor, and the Deputy Executive Director of Interamerican Affairs. His awards included meritorious and superior honor awards and two presidential performance awards.

Married to Elizabeth A. Johnstone for 53 years, he is survived by 6 children – Karen, Michael, Timothy, Laura, Melissa and Leslie – as well as 9 grandchildren.

Church services will be held at Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church, 508 High Street
Chestertown, MD on Monday September 27 at 10:00 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, the family would appreciate donations to Chester River Home Care & Hospice, 6602 Church Hill Rd, Suite 300, Chestertown, MD 21620.

Previous Events

Service

SEP **27**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church
508 High Street
Chestertown, MD

Tribute Wall



“ Donald Schoeb

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Donald Schoeb

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Donald Schoeb

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ He was one of the good guys - one could not ask for a better brother-in-law, a more caring, considerate human being. He was a great bread maker (do not underestimate the comfort and okeasyre if warm, tasty bread!); a mostly fun debater who liked to keep people on their toes, forcing them to think about their words and clarify their ideas; a person who showed genuine interest in others - both here and abroad - their lives, customs, and ideas. He so loved his wonderful, beautiful wife and family - and extended family - seeking always to "be there" for them. He succeeded. Thank you, Donald the Schoeb, the suave - pardon me - suavy, debonair, for being you and part of our lives. We will miss you more than words can say.##imported-begin##Judy Jones##imported-end##

September 26, 2010 at 08:11 PM



“ *To the best brother a sister could have. I will love you forever.
Love, your sister Joan##imported-begin##joan Butler ##imported-
end##*

September 26, 2010 at 01:12 PM



“ *Mr. Schoeb's kind eyes, beautiful smile and gentle manner will be
greatly missed. My thoughts and prayers are with his lovely wife and
family in this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Rachel
Arena##imported-end##*

September 24, 2010 at 05:53 PM



“ *I am so sorry to learn about your loss. Please know that you are not
alone. God will be with you to comfort and strengthen you. Keep his
promises close to your heart. His Word assures us that our loved
ones will truly be remembered and soon they will be brought back to
life. (John 5:28,29) Please accept my deepest sympathies and my
prayer for peace for you and your entire family.##imported-
begin##S Ford##imported-end##*

September 24, 2010 at 01:52 PM



“ *Laura & Family-*

*You remain in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.
Please let us know if you need anything at all.*

*Love, Tom, Megan & Kevin##imported-begin##Tom & Megan
Barnes##imported-end##*

September 24, 2010 at 01:36 PM



“ Dear Betsy and Family: You are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Judy and Dan Urick##imported-end##

September 24, 2010 at 10:14 AM



“ Dear Betsy and Family: You are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Judy Urick##imported-end##

September 24, 2010 at 10:08 AM



“ Love all you Schoebs! You are the best! Don was one in a million...he will be greatly missed.##imported-begin##Laura Jones##imported-end##

September 23, 2010 at 08:25 PM



“ Our thoughts are with the Schoeb family during this difficult time. We knew Don through his daughter, Leslie, and will remember him fondly as a loving father, as well as a warm man who always greeted us with a friendly ease that showed the kindness of his heart.##imported-begin##Susan and Peter Quilty##imported-end##

September 23, 2010 at 03:00 PM



“ Dear Betsy, Gerry and I want to express our deepest sympathy to you and your family. Gerry was so happy to meet a boy from Greenbelt.

We won't be able to attend the service on Monday. I will be having my knee replacement that morning.

Don will be in our prayers.

Mary Ann and Gerry McDonald##imported-begin##Mary Ann and Gerry McDonald##imported-end##

September 23, 2010 at 02:41 PM



“ Betsy & family, I am so sorry for your loss, and a great one it is. You and Don were so helpful with me in Chattanooga when Dad was ailing, and I didn't know what to do with his finances. I am so sad of this news. Please know that you are in my heart, thoughts and prayers. God bless you and your family.

Adelina##imported-begin##Adelina Masingill##imported-end##

September 23, 2010 at 12:56 PM



“ On behalf of myself and everyone at Kent Athletic and Wellness Center....we would like to express our deepest sympathy. He will be missed by ALL.##imported-begin##Kim Welch##imported-end##

September 23, 2010 at 06:58 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the entire Schoeb family. Your dad was a wonderful man and will be missed. God Bless*###imported-begin##Lori Dubbs###imported-end##

September 22, 2010 at 09:12 PM