Ronald E. Drum

June 15, 1937 - June 15, 2011

Ronald E. Drum, 74, Lebanon, passed away Wednesday, June 15, 2011 at Manor Care, Lebanon. He was the husband of Donna K. Jungmann Drum.
He was born in Lebanon on November 11, 1936, a son of the late Earnest and Emma Watson Drum.
He was a retired Educator for the Lebanon School District with 30 years of service. Ronald had also owned and operated Learning Resource Center in the Lebanon Area for 18 years. He was a 1954 graduate of Lebanon High School, studied Broadcasting at Northwestern, earned a B.S. in Elementary Education from Lebanon Valley College in 1958 and a MA Education, in 1972 from Kutztown Univ.
Ronald was an active member of St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Lebanon, where he had sang in the Boys Choir, served as an acolyte and as a Eucharistic minister. He also served as the radio announcer for the broadcasts of the Christmas Midnight Masses and taught Sunday School. He also attended the Moravian Church, Lebanon and Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Lebanon. He was a former member and past president of HALCYON, former member of Lebanon Jaycee, Lebanon Valley Kiwanis Club and TPA Post E, Lebanon.
He spent his high school evenings, weekends and holidays serving as an announcer on WLBR, where he worked on a program called "Sunday Night Special", featuring music, talk and interviews. He also played sax and was an announcer for several areas bands. Ronald also provided commercial

advertising for the political campaigns of Don Griffith, John Anspach and John Walter.

He is survived in addition to his wife by a son, Christopher P., Lebanon; grandchildren, Madisyn and Nicholas and a niece, Beverly Barlett. He was preceded in death by a brother, Ernest.

Family and friends are respectfully invited to attend Ronald's funeral service Monday, June 20, 2011 at 11:00 AM from St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 6th & Chestnut St, Lebanon, where friends will be received Monday from 10:30 AM to time of service. Interment will be held at Mt. Lebanon Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial remembrances may be made to Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Lebanon or St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Lebanon.

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Ronald E. Drum

October 22, 2023 at 10:35 PM

Ronald E. Drum

October 06, 2023 at 08:29 AM

Ronald E. Drum

October 05, 2023 at 11:43 PM

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Mr. Drum was a very special friend to my family during the 80's when I was a young girl and my oldest brother, Andy was first getting interested in the vast world of computers. I was just my brother's kid sister but Mr. Drum was always very kind to me. I credit him with my love of reading in particular. When I was was in elementary school I was not reading quite up to my grade level and my parents send me to Mr. Drum for reading lessons on the computer. This was very progressive at the time and it worked! I always remember him being so very kind and patient with me and the one-on-one teaching really paid off. In less than two years time I was reading on a college level when I was in elementary school! The change in the way I saw myself was amazing and most if it was because he believed I was smarter than I thought! Mr. Drum maintained his friendship with our famiy for many years and attended our church. Eventually I moved aways, went to college and now have a family of my own. I will always be grateful for the kindness he extended to my family and me. My regards to his family. God bless you.

Elizabeth Lafferty - Spring City, PA - friend - June 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM