

Thomas Harrison McHenry, (Died 5 Oct 2012), Perry County Times, Saturday, October 27, 2012

Thomas Harrison McHenry died Friday, Oct. 5, 2012 at Claremont Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Carlisle.

He was born at home in LeContes Mills, Pa., to **Esther** and **Philmore McHenry**.

He was a Navy veteran of World War II, fighting in the Battle of Leyte Gulf. After returning home, he attended St. Bonaventure Seminary and Gannon University. He met his wife while working at Hotel Hershey, and they became founding members of Holy Name of Jesus Parish. He enjoyed listening to new music, reading and throwing parties at his North Hershey Road home.

Surviving are his wife, **Cecile**; three children, **Joseph** of Newport, **Dr. Monica McHenry** of Houston, Texas, and **Jeffry** of Harrisburg; a sister, **Mary Walker** of Hyde, Pa.; five grandchildren, **Michael, Daniel, James, Erin** and **Andrew**; and a great-grandchild, **Evelyn Elizabeth**.

He was preceded in death by three siblings, **Jenny Leitzinger, Priscilla Wilson** and **William McHenry**.

Mass of Christian Burial was held by Father John Hoke, a longtime friend of the family, in Holy Name of Jesus Church. A memorial service and inurnment was held at Fort Indiantown Gap National Cemetery, Annville.

A memorial service will be held at 1 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 27, in Thompsontown United Methodist Church, 7 W. Main St., with the Rev. Maureen Wagner officiating.

Brown Funeral Home, McAlisterville, is handling arrangements.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Heart Association — Capital Region, 1019 Mumma Road, Wormleysburg 17043.

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