

MARTIN LUTHER HOUCK

Martin Luther ""Bucky"" Houck, 67, of Shiremanstown, passed away on Sunday, January 9, 2005 at Holy Spirit Hospital, after battling leukemia, diabetes and other ailments for more than six years.

Born March 17, 1937 in Berwick, PA, Bucky was a son of Angelina and the late Frederick Houck of Berwick.

After attending Berwick High School, Bucky attended the U.S. Naval Academy and was then employed with Burlington Navy Munitions.

He retired as Corporate Personnel Representative from Kinney Shoe Corporation in 1992, after 25 years of employment.

Bucky was the former mayor and councilman for Shiremanstown, president and member of the Harrisburg and Mechanicsburg Chambers of Commerce and a volunteer Shiremanstown fireman for many years. Bucky was also active in the Toastmasters, Inc., and was a Multiple Sclerosis Foundation volunteer.

In addition to being very active in his community, Bucky was an avid boater, hunter, fisherman and golfer. He most enjoyed spending time with his family and pets at the "Houck Cabin" on Beech Island, Susquehanna River.

Beloved husband, father, son and brother, Bucky is lovingly remembered by Iris A. Masanotti Houck, his wife of 48 years; his mother, Angelina; his sister, Angela and her husband, David Boone; and by his children, Ivy and Brian Logue, David and Leslie Houck, Stephen and Jennifer Houck, Adella Houck and Wendy McKelvy, Daniel Houck, Timothy and Tonya Houck; and by his nine grandchildren, Chrissy, Taylor, Trevor, Marissa, Madilynn, Stephen, Jessica, Mitchell and Raven, and by the many close friends that he has made throughout his life.

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