



Milford Tassler

September 29, 1929 - September 29, 2012

Dr. Milford C. Tassler of Libertyville passed away Saturday, September 29, 2012 on his 91st birthday. He was born in Sebeka, MN in 1921. He graduated from Walnut Hills High School in Cincinnati in 1939 where he received a Westinghouse Scholarship to attend The Carnegie Institute of Technology in Pittsburgh. While there he met and married Norma Helen Lewis. He enlisted in the Army in 1942 and as a first lieutenant of the 148th Combat Engineer Battalion stormed the beaches of Normandy. After his honorable discharge from the Army in 1945 he returned to Carnegie Tech, completing his B.S. in 1947. He continued his studies at the University of Illinois in Urbana, completing his Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering in 1951. He began his career with Dupont and retired as Vice President of Research and Development at Masonite Corporation, Chicago.

Milford and Norma were 45-year residents of St. Charles, Illinois, where they were members of the Hosana Lutheran Church. While living at Spring Meadows, Libertyville, they joined Holy Cross Lutheran Church.

He is survived by his three sons, Paul (Tierny) Tassler of St. Joseph, MO, Dr. Stephen (Nancy) Tassler of Libertyville, Michael (May Ying) Tassler of Colorado Springs and by his six grandchildren, Eric, Matthew, Hannah, Andrew, Peter, and Ashton.

He was preceded in death by his loving wife of sixty-seven years, Norma, in February, 2010.

Visitation will be Saturday, October 6 from 1 PM until the time of service at 2 PM at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 29700 N. St. Mary's Rd. Libertyville, IL 60048. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the church. Arrangements are by the BURNETT-DANE FUNERAL HOME, for Info: (847) 362-3009, or please sign the guestbook at www.burnettdane.com

Tribute Wall

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“ *My favorite memory of Uncle Tass: We were at my folks place in Janesville. A very long drought broke that night, and Uncle Tass put a measuring stick out in the cornfield behind the house to see how much the corn would grow overnight now that it had rained. The next morning we were amazed to see it had actually shot up a couple inches! Ever the scientific inquiring mind even after retirement. Now I suspect he is enjoying all the answers to all the questions ever asked!!!*

Claudia - April 27, 2018 at 06:51 AM

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the Tassler Family. May you be assured that your parents' are with each other and our Lord. Their memories will last in your hearts forever! Our love and hugs to Pr. Michael, May, Hannah, Andrew and Peter!*

Karleen and family - April 27, 2018 at 06:51 AM

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“ *With fondness for the family and respect for the decased we remember in gratitude your father, Milford Tassler. Obituaries tell us things we never knew, like storming the beaches at Normandy! We wish you cherished memories of many years shared.*

David and Julie Zersen - April 27, 2018 at 06:51 AM

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“ I did not know Dr. Tassler well, perhaps his wife Norma better, but felt honored whenever they entered my office when their regular doctor was away (when they lived in St.Charles. They will never be forgotten for they were always so kind, gentle and considerate and the kind of people I would always do the "extra mile", no, more that, as many miles as they needed. Thank you both for letting me be at least a small part of your lives. Regards and with love, Robert H. Reeder M.D.

Robert H. Reeder, M.D. - April 27, 2018 at 06:51 AM