



## Dorsey D. Weikert Jr.

July 29, 1921 - April 19, 2014

Dorsey D. Weikert Jr., of Medford passed away Saturday, April 19, 2014, surrounded by his loving family at Samaritan Inpatient Hospice in Mt. Holly. He was 92. He was born and raised in Haddon Heights and lived in Pennsauken before moving to Medford 38 years ago. A World War II Veteran who served his country over three years in the Army Transportation Corp in North Africa and Italy, he was a retired Machinist who worked for over 40 years for the Reading Railroad and its successors. Dorsey was an avid history enthusiast, traveler, coin and stamp collector, woodworker and gardener. Along with his obvious love of Railroads, he also enjoyed any opportunity to be outdoors. Dorsey was a communicant of Grace Episcopal Church in Merchantville. Brother of the late Florence M. Holland and Curtis C. Weikert, he is survived by his beloved wife of over 66 years, Ruth (nee Hageman); a son, Dorsey David Weikert III (Sharon); three grandchildren, Heather Lerner (Jonathan), Melissa Serrano (Joseph), Stephen Weikert; four great-grandchildren, Carter, Kamryn, Ava, Zoey; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held 11 am, Saturday at the Perinchief Chapels, 438 High St., Mt. Holly. Interment will be private. Friends and relatives may visit with the family from 10 am until time of service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in his memory to the American Heart Association, PO Box 417005, Boston, MA 02241 or Samaritan Hospice & Healthcare, 5 Eves Dr., Suite 300, Marlton, NJ 08053.



# Cemetery Details

**Cremation**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

**MAY 3.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Perinchief Chapels  
438 High Street  
Mt. Holly, NJ 08060  
(609) 267-0399  
info@perinchief.com  
<http://www.perinchief.com>

### Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Dorsey D. Weikert Jr.*

October 29, 2022 at 11:57 AM



“ *Dorsey D. Weikert Jr.*

October 29, 2022 at 09:53 AM



“ *Dorsey and I were friends and co-workers for some 45 years. Forth-Five years in which we always stayed in touch and Dorsey particularly enjoyed postcards from our numerous places of travel. He was a dear friend all these years and I have many humorous railroad memories to reflect upon to enhance all our good times. When I learned of Dorsey's passing I felt this tremendous loss exactly as you do when a close family member departs from us; I will truly miss him dearly.*

*Sensing that something may be amiss I phoned Dorsey's house, after his death, and subsequently spoke to his son, Dave, and we had a long conversation about his dad. We exchanged phoned numbers so we could stay in touch since we already know about each other given that Dorsey had told Dave about me over the years and vice versa. How ironic is it that when I called Ruth Weikert (this is when I first learned Dorsey had passed away) I asked her to write my phone number down and pass it on to Dave. I truly believe Dorsey made sure he put Dave and I together. Thanks Dorse for being my friend but especially for that final stroke of genius of matching up Dave and me.*

Ken Jones - May 21, 2014 at 06:39 AM

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**Chuck Weikert** - April 27, 2014 at 12:31 AM

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**Chuck Weikert** - April 27, 2014 at 12:28 AM

CP

“ *I will always remember Uncle Dorsey's love of Gettysburg. The Weikert history in that area inspired me to travel to Gettysburg several years ago. I enjoyed my correspondence and conversations with Uncle Dorsey before and after that visit. I wish I had one more time to hear his voice describe his trips there and to hear about our family history. I miss you Uncle Dorsey, but will always remember you!*

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**Carol Weikert Powell** - April 26, 2014 at 02:58 PM

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**Carol Weikert Powell** - April 26, 2014 at 02:50 PM

CP

*A young Uncle Dorsey with his family. I miss them all.*

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**Carol Weikert Powell** - April 26, 2014 at 02:53 PM



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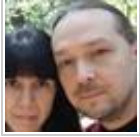


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**Stephen Weikert** - April 25, 2014 at 07:34 PM

CW

“ *As youngsters, In an era when it was safe to do so, my father and his younger brother Dorsey rode the rails hither and nigh across the country. They revealed many of their adventures over the years - some no doubt untold - that sparked my imagination and led me to my own life of adventure. When I visited and spoke with Uncle Dorsey over the years, I never tired of hearing those and other stories that revealed a generation that is fast slipping into the written and not the spoken record. Dear, sweet, witty and wonderful Uncle Dorsey's voice is silenced but for me, his memory lives on. I will miss him dearly.*

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**Chuck Weikert** - April 25, 2014 at 06:01 PM



“ *It's hard to believe that he's passed. Uncle Dorsey was very much like a second father to me while growing up, and I always enjoyed our time together. He had many endearing qualities: He was mindful of others feelings.. He was always willing to lend a helping hand.. He was incalculably patient.. He was honest to a fault.. and had the sharpest wit this side of Ambrose Bierce. He had a larger than life presence, while still being quiet and humble...*

*And he hated to make a fuss.. as I type all of this, I can almost hear him telling me not to mope around on his account.*

*We will miss you Uncle Dorsey.*

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**Chip Hageman** - April 25, 2014 at 04:57 PM



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**Chip Hageman** - April 25, 2014 at 04:23 PM

LS

“ Lisa Serrano lit a candle in memory of Dorsey D. Weikert Jr.



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**Lisa Serrano** - April 24, 2014 at 06:57 PM

DH

“ I will never forget the time when I was a crazy teen and I asked Uncle Dorsey for his ragged old cutoff shorts and he gave them to me, lol. So many fun happy family memories. We will miss you so much Uncle Dorsey.

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**Dawn Hunter** - April 24, 2014 at 03:25 PM

TP

“ I remember my friend Andrea and I used to come over all the time growing up. We'd sing (or at least try) and Uncle Dorsey and Aunt Bubbles would cheer us on, we felt like rock stars. I will miss you Uncle Dorsey, you we're a great man.

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**Tanya Pyle** - April 24, 2014 at 11:40 AM



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**Sharon Weikert** - April 24, 2014 at 10:37 AM



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**Sharon Weikert** - April 24, 2014 at 10:35 AM



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**Sharon Weikert** - April 24, 2014 at 10:33 AM



“ *Sharon Weikert lit a candle in memory of Dorsey D. Weikert Jr.*



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**Sharon Weikert** - April 24, 2014 at 10:27 AM



*This candle is lit in honor of wonderful husband and father..*

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**Sharon Weikert** - April 24, 2014 at 10:29 AM



“ *I remember every Christmas Uncle Dorsey and Aunt Bubbles coming to our house for Christmas and the crazy stuff he put in Dad's gag box .*

Kim Hageman-hallahan - April 24, 2014 at 10:25 AM



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Sharon Weikert - April 24, 2014 at 10:24 AM



*We will remember you fondly Uncle Dorsey.*

Kim Hageman-hallahan - April 24, 2014 at 10:28 AM



“ *Sharon Weikert lit a candle in memory of Dorsey D. Weikert Jr.*



Sharon Weikert - April 24, 2014 at 10:19 AM