



## Donald D. Phelps

July 8, 1929 - April 22, 2015

### Obituary of Donald Phelps

Donald D. Phelps, 85 of The Villages, FL, passed away on Wednesday April 22, 2015.

Mr. Phelps was born in Quincy, Illinois on July 8, 1929, relocating to The Villages from Ohio in 2008. He earned BS and MS degrees from Penn State. He had a varied career as a research engineer, industrial manager, corporate executive and real estate broker.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years Effie; son, Donald L., The Villages; daughter, Dr. Chris Ann Phelps-Thiry, Ilkley, England; brother Wayne, Jacksonville, Ill; sister Shirley Goodman, Scottsdale, AZ and 5 grandchildren, Ryan, Sean & Myles of Richmond, VA, Eric of Tempe, AZ and Michelle of Collegeville, PA.

A memorial service will be held at Hope Lutheran Church in The Villages, Florida at 11 AM on Saturday May 2, 2015.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts in the memory of Don may be sent to Cornerstone Hospice, 601 Casa Bella, The Villages FL 32162 or the Haven of Lake and Sumter County, 2600 South St. Leesburg FL 34748. Don was a member of Lady Lake Brown Backers who are avid supporters of the Haven.

Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com)

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL

# Tribute Wall



“ Although we knew it was coming, it was still hard to accept. Knowing Don was a treat and real pleasure. We are so glad to have known Don and that we were able to share some of our retirement days with him and his wonderful wife, Effie. What a dynamic duo the two of them made. Don was a true gentleman who loved his sports . It was always fun to talk about The Big Ten and his beloved Penn State. Rest well good friend and enjoy "The Big House". You earned it. Joe/Judy

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**Joel/Judy Zambrano** - April 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Donald D. Phelps

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April 24, 2015 at 12:00 AM