



Paul Hermsen

May 5, 1920 - September 21, 2010

Obituary of Paul Hermsen

PAUL STEPHEN HERMSEN, 90, of Leesburg, Florida, died Tuesday, September 21, 2010 after a long illness. Mr. Hermsen has resided at The Plantation at Leesburg for the past 14 years. He was born in Laurel, Nebraska on May 5, 1920 to Dr. Paul J. and Johanna Hermsen. Besides his parents, he was predeceased by a brother, Kenneth. Mr. Hermsen was a World War II veteran. He was a member of the original 1st Ranger Battalion. While serving in North Africa, he became a Prisoner of War. He was captured while on a patrol in Tunisia and was a P.O.W. in Germany for 27 months. After returning home from the war, he attended the University of Minnesota and graduated in 1949. He was the Director of Compensation for Sperry Univac and retired in 1983. He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Joan; three daughters, Linda(Pat Malone of Littleton, CO, Diane(Bob)Smith of Stroudsburg, PA and

Susan(Earl)Evans of Media, PA. He also leaves seven grandchildren, Peter, Jennifer, Kate, Scott, Stephen, Megan and Caitlin. A graveside service with military rites will be held in Iowa at a later date. If you wish to give a gift in Mr. Hermsen's memory, please remember the Society for Progressive Supranuclear Palsy, Executive Plaza III, 11350 McCormick Rd., Suite 906, Hunt Valley, MD, 21031 or Cornerstone Hospice, 2445 Lane Park Road, Tavares, FL 32778.

Services

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Memorial Donations

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Tribute Wall



“ *Paul Hermsen*

October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *RIP Ranger Hersen your with your friends from the Original 1st Ranger Bn. Respectfully, M/SGT (R) Gilbert M. Berg Orlando, FI*

M/SGT (R) Gilbert Berg - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Deepest sympathy and condolences to the family of Paul Hermsen. Without Paul and the other Darby's Rangers the rest of us Rangers would have never been. Thank you Paul for your sacrifice and service to this nation. Rangers Lead The Way! Sua Sponte! See you at the next rally point brother! Kevin L Leppla B 2/75 Rangers*

Kevin L. Leppla - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM