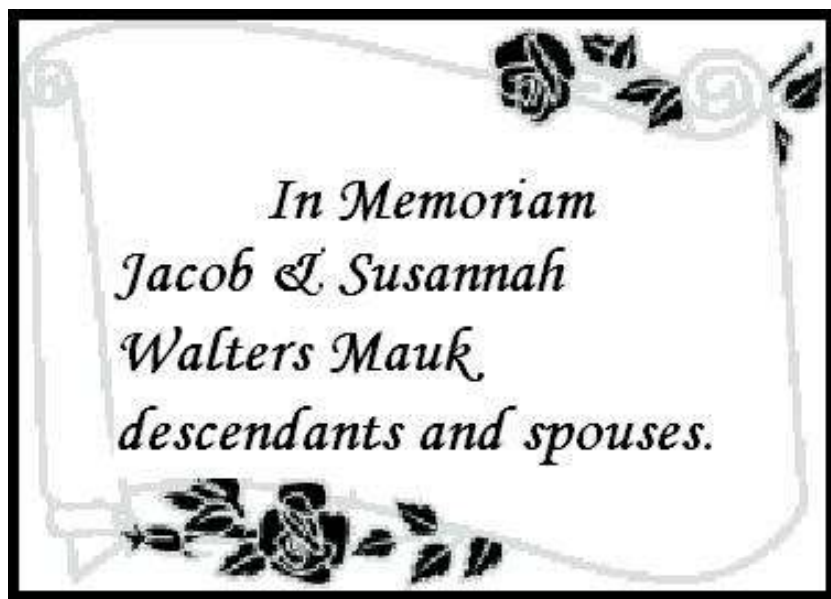


# Mauk Memorial 2017

Many thanks to those of you, especially Marjorie Ferra, who let us know about Mauk cousins who have passed away.

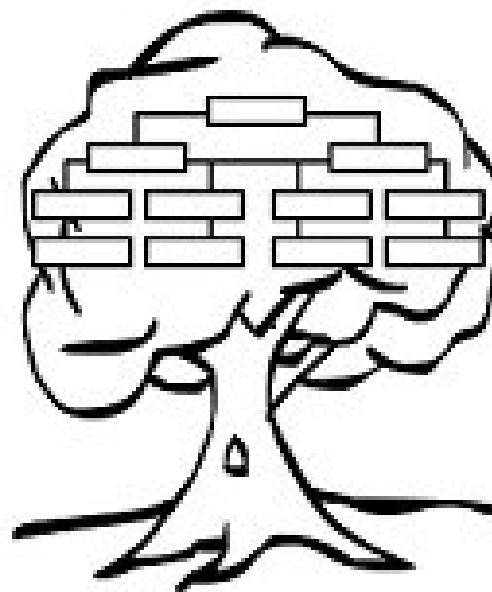


Donations accepted for the  
Phyllis Ann Reichenbach Memorial Fund.

Phyllis was married to  
Benjamin Reid Reichenbach (Sarah line).

The Phyllis Ann Reichenbach Memorial  
Fund helps support the genealogy department  
at the Punxsutawney Area Historical and  
Genealogical Society.

## *Mauk Reunion*



# Jack C. Emhoff

Published in The Punxsutawney Spirit on June 1, 2017:

Jack C. Emhoff, 94, of Punxsutawney, died Tuesday, May 30, 2017, at Punxsutawney Area Hospital.

He was born Nov. 2, 1922, in Big Run, a son of the late Naomi Elizabeth (Crossman) and John Calvin Emhoff.

On Nov. 28, 1942, he married Martha Elizabeth (Benson) Emhoff, who survives. They were married for 74-and-a-half years.

Jack was a graduate of the Punxsutawney High School Class of 1941. He worked for Punxsutawney Beef and Provision during and after his high school career until their closing in 1958. He went on to start his own business selling chicken.

He served in the United States Army Air Corps during World War II from 1943 to 1945 in the 387th Bomb Group, 557th Bomb Squadron. Jack flew 65 missions as a turret gunner, including the Battle of the Bulge. Their plane was named Old Smokey. Jack was a recipient of the Distinguished Flying Cross.

He was a lifetime member of the First Church of God of Punxsutawney and enjoyed golfing, where he has made 14 hole-in-ones, fishing, hunting, family and family get-togethers.

He golfed in the local area at Chetremon, Pinecrest and Hemlock View Golf Courses.

Jack was a member of the VFW, American Legion and Hemlock View Golf Course.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by four children, John Emhoff and wife Sally of Punxsutawney, Bruce Emhoff and wife Cindy of Punxsutawney, Karen Hollis and husband Ed of Middletown, Maryland, and Marsha Emhoff and Hallie Carlton of Punxsutawney; 13 grandchildren, Tracie Minich and husband Wayne, Michelle Gifford and husband Brad, Dennis Emhoff and Tanga Hopkins, Joshua Emhoff and wife Jess, Michael Emhoff and wife Michele, Susan Heitzenrater and husband Michael, Aaron Emhoff and wife Jade, Kevan Emhoff and wife Ashley, Scott Hollis and wife Kelly, Matthew Hollis and wife Jessi, Autumn Hollis, Thad Perry and Leif Perry and wife Kara; 20 great-grandchildren, Heather, Zach and Alexis Minich, Brandon and Ben Gifford, Eden, Averi and Joel Emhoff, Chandler and Camden Emhoff, Sarah, Anna and Corbin Hetizenrater, Lila and Abel Emhoff, Tyler, Peyton and Nathan Hollis, Mason Murphy, Grace Perry and baby girl Emhoff due in August; two great-great grandchildren, John and Phoenix Minich; a brother, Elvin Emhoff and wife Dolores; and two sisters, Drucile Allen and Wanda Smith.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Joe Emhoff, and three sisters, Donna Belle Postlethwait, Ella Mae Penberthy and Eileen Whitfield.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday, June 2, 2017, at the Deeley Funeral Home in Punxsutawney, and from 10 to 11 a.m. Saturday, June 3, 2017, at the First Church of God of Punxsutawney.

A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 3, 2017, at the First Church of God, with Pastor Greg Smith officiating. Interment will be in Hopewell Cemetery, Punxsutawney.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the First Church of God of Punxsutawney, 23 Skyview Dr., Punxsutawney, PA 15767.

Jack C. Emhoff m. Martha E. Benson --> Bertha Anderson --> Mary E. Mauk --> Isaac Mauk --> Henry Mauk

# Martha Emhoff



Published in The Punxsutawney Spirit on Aug. 11, 2017:

Martha Elizabeth (Benson) Emhoff, 98, of Punxsutawney, passed away Thursday, Aug. 10, 2017, in Hagerstown, Maryland. She was born July 24, 1919, a daughter of Swedish immigrant John (Johannes Bengtsson) Benson and Bertha Anderson. On Nov. 28, 1942, she married Jack Crossman Emhoff in Winchester, Virginia. He preceded her in death on May 30, 2017. Martha and Jack would have celebrated their 75th wedding anniversary this year.

She was a 1937 graduate of Punxsutawney High School. After graduation, she worked in the NYA office in Punxsutawney and later in Johnstown. In later years, she worked at The Easter Seal Society and The Playroom in Punxsutawney.

Martha was a lifetime member of the First Church of God in Punxsutawney, where she taught children's Sunday school for 45 years and was treasurer of the Women of the Church of God (WCG) for more than 30 years. She was a loving Christian mother who taught her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren to love the Lord through the example of the Christian life she led. Her kindness and love was felt by so many family members, friends and members of the community, and there was always room for more at the dinner table. She was well-known for her rice pudding, baked beans and the delicious homemade rolls and cinnamon rolls that she made and shared at the many family gatherings.

She is survived by four children, John Emhoff and wife Sally of Punxsutawney, Bruce Emhoff and wife Cindy of Punxsutawney, Karen Hollis and husband Ed of Middletown, Maryland, and Marsha Emhoff and Hallie Carlton of Punxsutawney; 13 grandchildren, Tracie Minich and husband Wayne, Dennis Emhoff and Tanga Hopkins, Michelle Gifford and husband Brad, Joshua Emhoff and wife Jess, Michael Emhoff and wife Michele, Susan Heitzenrater and husband Michael, Aaron Emhoff and wife Jade, Kevan Emhoff and wife Ashley, Scott Hollis and wife Kelly, Matthew Hollis and wife Jessi, Autumn Hollis, Thad Perry, Leif Perry and wife Kara; 20 great-grandchildren, Heather, Zach and Alexis Minich, Brandon and Ben Gifford, Eden, Averi and Joel Emhoff, Chandler and Camden Emhoff, Sarah, Anna and Corbin Heitzenrater, Lila and Abel Emhoff, baby girl Emelia Emhoff, due this month, Tyler, Peyton and Nathan Hollis, Mason Murphy and Grace Perry; and two great-great-grandchildren, John and Phoenix Minich.

In addition to her husband, Jack, she was preceded in death by her siblings and their spouses, Oscar (Henrietta) Benson, Alice (Edwin) Emberg, Anna (James) Cowan, Ruth (Kenneth) Christenson, William (Betty) Benson and Lillian Bumgarner.

Martha's life exemplified these verses taken from Proverbs 31: "An excellent wife who can find for her worth is far above jewels.

She extends her hand to the poor, and she stretches out her hands to the needy. She opens her mouth in wisdom, and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue. Her children rise up and bless her; charm is deceitful and beauty is vain, but a woman who fears the Lord, she shall be praised."

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 15, 2017, at the Deeley Funeral Home in Punxsutawney, and from 10 to 11 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 16, 2017, at the First Church of God of Punxsutawney.

A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 16, 2017, at the First Church of God, with Pastor Greg Smith officiating.

Interment will be in Hopewell Cemetery, Punxsutawney.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the First Church of God of Punxsutawney, 23 Skyview Dr., Punxsutawney, PA 15767.

Martha (Benson) Emhoff --> Bertha (Anderson) Benson --> Mary Elizabeth (Mauk) Anderson --> Isaac Mauk --> Henry Mauk

# Lauri Sue McFarland



Published in Star-Telegram on Oct. 15, 2016:

Lauri Sue McFarland, 46, passed away Tuesday, Oct. 11, 2016.

Graveside Service: 2 pm Monday, at Skyvue Memorial gardens with a visitation to start at 12 noon.

Survivors: Husband, David McFarland; children, Kayla Marie McFarland, Michael McFarland, and Ryan McFarland; parents, Stephen Green, Sr. , Rose Collins and husband John; siblings, Stevie Green Jr. and wife Danielle and Lisa Frank; step brother, John Collins; step sister, Milinda Huff; nieces and nephews, Elijah, Joshua, Brittany, Brianna, Lindsay and her family.

Lauri Sue (Green) McFarland --> Rose (Stuchell) (Green) Collins --> Willam G. Stuchell -  
-> Creo (Hoffman) Stuchell --> Grover Hoffman --> Mary (Mauk) Hoffman -->  
Alexander Mauk

# JoAnne Shively



Published in The Punxsutawney Spirit on Feb. 4, 2017:

M. JoAnne Shively, 70, of Punxsutawney, died on Thursday, Feb. 2, 2017, at Mulberry Square.

She was born July 5, 1946, in Punxsutawney, a daughter of the late Marjorie F. (Mitchell) and Paul E. Mottern.

On June 14, 1969, she married Thomas P. Shively, who survives.

She was a member of the Christ Episcopal Church of Punxsutawney.

JoAnne was a graduate of Punxsutawney Area High School and received her bachelor's degree from Grove City College.

She enjoyed gardening, playing piano and keyboard, genealogy, cooking and baking.

She was a charter member of the Punxsutawney Area Historical & Genealogical Society.

JoAnne taught lessons on the piano and keyboard for more than 40 years.

In addition to her husband, surviving relatives include two children, son Daniel W. Shively and wife Denise of Bishop, California, and daughter Sharon R. LaBorde and husband Paul of Sykesville; two grandchildren, Shawn and Samantha LaBorde; a brother, Larry Mottern of New Jersey; and two nieces, Pam and Denise.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a grandson, Daniel J. Shively.

Friends will be received from 4 to 8 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 6, 2017, at the Deeley Funeral Home in Punxsutawney.

Interment will be in Hopewell Cemetery, Punxsutawney.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in memory of Mrs. Shively to the Punxsutawney Area Historical & Genealogical Society, 401 W. Mahoning St., Punxsutawney, PA 15767.

Marjorie JoAnne (Mottern) Shively --> Marjorie Fern (Mitchell) Mottern --> Dora (Mauk) Mitchell --> Thomas S. Mauk --> Jacob Blaine Mauk

Marjorie JoAnne (Mottern) Shively --> Paul Emanuel Mottern --> Effie Grace (Lingenfelter) Mottern --> Hillis Robert Lingenfelter --> Eve Ann (Mauk) Lingenfelter

# Charles D. Wagner



Published on [Pennlive.com](http://Pennlive.com) and in The Patriot-News from May 27 to May 28, 2017:

Charles D. "Chuck" Wagner, born February 16, 1955 in Mt. Pleasant, PA, passed away peacefully at home on Thursday, May 25, 2017 after a lifelong, courageous battle with heart failure.

He was the very proud father of Lauren Louise Wagner, 35, of Jeannette PA and Catharine Danielle Wagner, 23, and Charles Lee "Chas" Wagner, 22, both at home in Mechanicsburg PA. He met his wife of 27 years, Brenda Lee (Shimel) Wagner while working as an auto appraiser for State Farm Insurance; he later resigned to help Brenda with her State Farm Insurance Agency. He regretfully leaves behind his loving parents, Edward C. and Luella L "Sally" (Brown) Wagner, of Greensburg, PA; his sister, Cathy Mae Aitken, with her husband Mark, his brother, Edward C. Wagner II, with his wife Michele, and, 4 nephews: Mark Aitken II, Robert Aitken, Nicholas Wagner and Shane Wagner, and their families.

Chuck refused to let his birth defect deter him; he was an active youth coach and pursued his passion competing in Highland athletics. He competed at the Amateur World Championships twice and chaired the McClain Celtic Highland Games Labor Day weekend for many years. He was always proud to be an active Mason – earning his 32nd degree – and serving as Past Master of Harrisburg-Snyder Lodge #629 for two terms. He was also a member of the Tall Cedars of Lebanon Forest #43, Harrisburg Consistory and the Zembo Shrine.

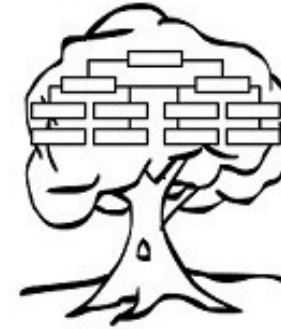
He believed in being civically responsible, and, was the Judge of Election for Hampden Township District 6 for 20 years. He was a member of the Penbrook United Church of Christ and a long time Co-Director of the Penbrook Learning Center. An avid outdoorsman, he loved hunting, fishing and spending time with his friends at hunting camp.

His Funeral Service will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Friday June 2, 2017 at the Jesse H. Geigle Funeral Home, Inc., 2100 Linglestown Road, Harrisburg. Friends may call on Thursday evening, from 6:00 to 8:00 P.M., and Friday from 10:00 to 11:00 A.M., prior to the service, at the funeral home. A Masonic Service, rendered by Harrisburg-Snyder Lodge #629, will be held on Thursday at 8:00 P.M. Interment in Old Ebenezer Cemetery, Punxsutawney, will be at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to either the American Heart Association at [heart.org](http://heart.org), or Celtic Hospice at Celtic Healthcare, 150 Scharberry Lane, Mars, PA 16046.

Charles D. Wanger m. Brenda (Shimel) Wagner --> Hazel (Caylor) Shimel --> Radie Almeda (Mauk) Caylor --> Washington Lyman Mauk --> Isaac Mauk

# Amos Mauk (1859-1876)

*Mauk Reunion*



On Tuesday of last week, Amos Mauk, son of John Mauk, of Oliver township, met with an accident, if such it may be called, which resulted in his death on the Saturday following. It appears that he, with a brother named Alexander, had been out hunting, and on their return home, in passing an out building, each taking different sides of the building in passing, and while seperated some distance, Alexander drew up the gun, remarking, "I'll shoot you" and by some means the gun was discharged, the whole load, consisting of buck-shot, lodging in his brother's side, and causing the fatal results above stated.—  
*Brookville Republican.*

Amos Mauk, aged sixteen years, was killed by his brother Alexander, in Jefferson county, last week. The terrible affair was caused by the accidental discharge of a loaded gun which was pointed at the deceased in sport.

Amos Mauk shooting, notice in Pittsburgh newspaper.

Prepared by Donald L. Sigwalt I  
For the 117<sup>th</sup> Mauk Reunion  
August 26 & 27, 2017

Please accept my apologies for not having pictures of everyone.

I am sorry if I missed anyone. Please let me know if you know of a descendant of Jacob & Susannah Walters Mauk who passed away since the last reunion and is not included here.

Thank you,  
Donald Sigwalt