



## Richard Pechout

September 14, 1924 - January 5, 2013

Richard Pechout, 88, of Berlin, husband of Shirley Johnson Pechout, passed away Saturday January 5, 2013 at Apple Rehab in Rocky Hill. Born in New Britain, son of the late Anthony and Margaret Nelson Pechout, he is a graduate of Upsala University in East Orange, NJ and has lived in Berlin for 60 years. Richard was employed as President and partial owner of Adkins Printing in New Britain for 23 years, retiring in 1986. A World War II US Army Air Force Veteran, he served with the 379th and 384th Bomb Groups as a B-17 Flying Fortress radio operator stationed in the Village of Grafton Underwood England and most notable aboard the "Ye Old Pub". During his tour, Richard became a prisoner of war in Germany. He is a Silver Star and Purple Heart Recipient. Richard is a member of First Lutheran Church in New Britain.

Besides his wife Shirley, he leaves a son, Scott Pechout and his wife Deb of Moodus; two daughters, Karen Evans of Middletown and Wendy Papallo also of Middletown; a sister, Marilyn Dontigney of Edgewater, FL; four grandchildren, Richard and Christina Papallo; and Kirsten and Jacob Pechout; several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by a sister, Shirley Kindl.

Funeral service will be held Wednesday 11 AM at First Lutheran Church, 77 Franklin Square, New Britain, CT 06051. Burial will be in West Lane Cemetery, Kensington. Calling hours are Tuesday evening 6 to 8 PM at

Carlson Funeral Home, 45 Franklin Square, New Britain. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to First Lutheran Church. Please share a memory or note of sympathy with Richard's family by clicking on "Add Condolences" at the bottom of this page.

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“ Your family is in my thoughts and prayers for peace. You were very blessed with such a loving presence in your life. Praying that wonderful memories give you solace.

Lee Erickson Sirotnak - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ We were very sorry to learn of the passing of my father's Uncle Dick. Our prayers are with his family and all those grieving his loss.

Shannon, Michael, Julia and Mason Zellmer - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Mrs. Pechout, Wendy, and family, please accept our sincere condolences. I have such fond memories of Mr Pechout when I was a teen and visiting Wendy. He had the best stories and was so good to me. He will be missed!  
Love Jeanne

Jeanne Soares - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ My sympathy goes out to Mrs. Shirley Pechout and family..May God comfort and heal you during this time of sorrow.

Selina Ferreira - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

GK

“ We are very sorry to hear of the passing of Uncle Dick. Please accept our heartfelt sympathy.

Gail & Tom Kindl - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LK

“ *I am so very sorry to hear of Dick's passing. I remember working for him at Adkins for many years. I will never forget what a true gentleman he was. May he rest in peace*

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**Linda Konowski** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM