



Mr. Martin Thomas Wellman

May 12, 1921 - August 7, 2015

Martin Wellman, 94, of Roswell, Georgia died August 7, 2015 at the Chambrel Assisted Living facility. He was born in Quincy, Illinois to Luke and Anna (Berter) Wellman. He married Elayne Jungdahl in 1946, enjoying 63 years with her until her death in 2009.

Mr. Wellman, a life-long Roman Catholic, attended Quincy College Academy and studied at the American Academy of Arts in Chicago, completing his degree at the Art Institute of Chicago after serving in the US Navy in World War II. His war experience included duty on a PT boat as a radar operator in the Pacific Theater. He was present in Tokyo Harbor for the signing of the Japanese surrender on the Missouri.

Following the war he began a 40 year career with Carson, Pirie, Scott, a major Chicago department store. Beginning as a furniture designer, he advance into management as Building Superintendent, headed up the company's Commercial Design Division, and was ultimately named Vice President of Planning and Development at Carson International. In this capacity he directed the construction of four resort hotel and golf complexes in the Chicago area.

Retiring to Eureka Springs, Arkansas he pursued his love of art, becoming an accomplished and prolific water color artist, having a number of successful art

shows over the years. During these years he also authored six books.

Survivors include three sons, Glenn Wellman of Alpharetta, Georgia, Dean Wellman of Lexington, Kentucky, and Keith Wellman of Milton, Georgia; brother Richard Wellman of Quincy, Illinois, six grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Mr. Wellman was preceded in death by two brothers in infancy, his brother Thomas and his sister Esther.

Memorials may be made to the National Kidney Foundation of America <https://www.kidney.org>. Arrangements have been handled by Northside Chapel in Roswell, Georgia.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

1730 N. 18th St.,
Quincy, IL 62301

Tribute Wall



“ *Hallo Familie Wellman
Ich weiß das meine Mutter lange Briefkontakt gehalten hat viele Briefe habe auch ich gelesen. Ich bin der jüngste Sohn von Anna Elisabeth Feldkamp. Vieles was in den Erinnerungen von ihrem Vater steht kenne ich aus seinen Briefen und Fotos die uns ihr Vater zukommen ließ. Auch haben wir die Bücher die er über sein Leben und über den Krieg im Pazifik schrieb. Was ich ihnen mitteilen möchte das mein erster Sohn Bernd am Todestag ihres Vaters geboren wurde. Da eine Verwandtschaft in den Wurzeln aus Deutschland besteht finde ich das schon komisch und mystisch. Mit Grüßen aus Gescher in Deutschland Hendrik Feldkamp*

Hendrik Feldkamp - February 07, 2025 at 03:12 PM



“ *Mr. Martin Thomas Wellman*

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