



## Thomas Morrison Birdsall M.D.

September 19, 1924 - September 27, 2011

Thomas Morrison Birdsall, M.D., 87, long time resident of Haverford, PA died of heart failure Tuesday, September 27, 2011

Dr. Birdsall was born in Philadelphia, graduated from The Penn Charter School, Haverford College and The University of Pennsylvania Medical School. He completed his surgical internship and residency at Presbyterian Hospital in Philadelphia, specializing in Urology. He later served as Chief of Urology at Presbyterian Hospital, Chief of Urology at Riddle Memorial Hospital, and was on staff at Delaware County Memorial Hospital.

He was a member of the American Urologic Association (AUA), President of the Doctors Golf Association, President of the Inter-Hospital Bridge Whist League, and served as President of the Medical Club of Philadelphia.

He was a former member of the Union League of Philadelphia, and is a member of the Merion Cricket Club, and the Merion Golf Club. He was an avid hunter and fisherman, an accomplished golfer, and played competitive bridge throughout his life.

While serving in the U.S. Navy as a physician during the Korean War, he developed a life-long interest in photography.

In 1944 he married Elizabeth Swartz. His greatest joy over the years was spending time with his family.

He was an active member of The First Presbyterian Church of Ardmore for over 50 years, where he served as an Elder. He was a volunteer for Main Line Meals on Wheels.

He was the beloved husband of Elizabeth S. Birdsall and devoted father of Elizabeth Ann Johnson(Ronald), Thomas Morrison Birdsall Jr.(Stephanie), Sandra Birdsall Atteberry(William), Mary Birdsall Raiken(Dennis), Christopher Pennock Birdsall M.D.(Melinda), & Susan Birdsall Dingle(Jonathan). He is also survived by 12 grandchildren, Todd, Thomas, Thomas III, Cassandra, Lyn, Kristine, Alec, Dannielle, Ryan, Andrew, Jeffrey & Katie; and 10 great grandchildren, Shea, McKenzie, Kaylin, Derek, Eleanor, Scarlett, Elizabeth, William, Jacob and Chloe.

A Memorial Service will be held at The First Presbyterian Church of Ardmore, 5 W. Montgomery Avenue (at Millcreek Road), Ardmore, PA 19003, on Saturday, October 8 at 11:00 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to either the Memorial Fund of the above mentioned Church or Main Line Meals on Wheels, 235 Lancaster Avenue, Devon, PA 19333.

# Previous Events

## Service

OCT 8. 11:00 AM (ET)

First Presbyterian Church of Ardmore  
Corner Montgomery Ave. & Millcreek Road  
Ardmore, PA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mary,  
I was sorry to hear about your dad.  
He was blessed to have you as a daughter.  
your coworker,  
Cynthia* *###imported-begin###Cynthia Koenitzer###imported-end##*

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October 08, 2011 at 10:45 AM



“ *Our deepest sympathies for your loss.* *###imported-begin###Steven  
and Donna Morrisette###imported-end##*

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October 07, 2011 at 04:07 PM



“ *We will all miss Uncle Tommy's wonderful sense of humor and great  
times at family gatherings.  
Love from the Gerards and sympathy to all of the  
Birdsalls.* *###imported-begin###Lisa Gerard###imported-end##*

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October 03, 2011 at 02:30 PM



“ *Prayer to the family, and fond memories of Uncle  
Tommy.* *###imported-begin###Caldwell Hart###imported-end##*

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September 30, 2011 at 06:56 AM