



Ray B. Penland

May 17, 1928 - August 17, 2022

Ray B. Penland, 94, of The Villages, Florida, formerly of Bowie, Maryland, passed away on Wednesday, August 17, 2022 at the UF Health The Villages Hospital in The Villages, Florida.

Born on May 17, 1928 in Vancouver, Canada, he was the son of the late Charles Frederick Penland and August Caroline Neis Penland. Ray had a PhD Degree in Chemistry and worked as a Patent Lawyer for the U. S. Commerce Department. He was a member of the Toastmasters Club in Arlington, VA, the Computer Club in Ft. Pierce, FL and a member of the Knights of Columbus. Ray enjoyed traveling, building computers, Catholic practices, and attending social gatherings. He was of the Catholic faith and attended the St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church in Summerfield, Florida.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife Ella Lorraine Penland; and his son, Robert (Bob) Penland.

Ray is survived by his children Patricia A. Penland, Mark C. Penland, and Carol Penland (Mother Marie Bernardina, OCD).

A visitation will be held on Monday, August 29, 2022 from 6:30PM to 7:30PM with Prayers at 7PM at the Mount Carmel Monastery, 5678 Mount Carmel Road, La Plata, Maryland.

Mass of Christian Burial will be offered on Tuesday, August 30, 2022 at 10AM at the Mount Carmel Monastery, 5678 Mount Carmel Road, La Plata, Maryland with Father Scott Woods officiating. Interment to follow in the Monastery Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Carmel of Port Tobacco, 5678 Mount Carmel Road, La Plata, MD 20646-3625 (Please make checks payable to Discalced Carmelite Nuns of Maryland) or online at <https://www.carmelofporttobacco.com/contact/support-us>.

Online condolences may be made on Ray's Tribute Wall.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Carmel Monastery Cemetery

5678 Mt. Carmel Road
La Plata, MD 20646

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **29**. 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

Mt. Carmel Monastery
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Mass

AUG **30**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ray B. Penland*

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ *Ray B. Penland*

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *Rest in Peace Uncle Ray,*

Love from The Fraser Family



Mary Lou Wilsdon - October 25, 2022 at 04:57 PM



“ *Ray was a neighbor and friend of mine in The Villages. I will always remember him for his smile and positive attitude. Thoughts and prayers are with his family.*

Dawn Bobay

Dawn Bobay - September 05, 2022 at 02:31 PM



Ray was such a nice gentleman & always enjoyed our chats of his travel & life experience. May he Rest in Peace. I will miss our chats. 🥹



Dian Harvey - September 07, 2022 at 08:59 AM

SC

Deepest condolences to Mr. Penland's family - Mother Marie Bernardina, Carol, and Mark. I remember your father as a warm and kind man. I know that you will miss him very much. My love and prayers, Sr. Clare and all the sisters of the Terre Haute Carmel

Sr. Clare - September 14, 2022 at 06:42 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ray B. Penland.*



August 30, 2022 at 08:45 AM

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“ *St. Joseph's Secular Carmel Port Tobacco purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Ray B. Penland.*



St. Joseph's Secular Carmel Port Tobacco - August 25, 2022 at 09:05 PM

KW

“ *Ray was a delight to be around. I enjoyed our many conversations over the years. He was a sweet, caring, and loving man. I will miss him dearly. Rest in Our Lord's arms, Ray! Love ya, Kathy Wall*

Kathy Wall - August 21, 2022 at 10:58 AM

LG

“ I knew Ray for three or four years, and saw him almost every week for lunch, or to go shopping. A more humble man I never met, and the times we shared I will never forget. RIP buddy.

Larry Gor - August 21, 2022 at 08:12 AM