



## Dr. Walter W. Holl Jr.

September 4, 1932 - October 9, 2023

Dr. Walter W. Holl, Jr., a distinguished chemist and beloved family man, passed away peacefully on October 9, 2023, at the age of 91. Born on September 4, 1932, in Camden, NJ, Walter was the son of the late Walter W. Holl, Sr., and Angeles Holl (nee Hall). He was a devoted husband, married for 65 years to the late Rose Holl (nee Freeman), a loving father to Chris Holl (Jerry), Randy Holl (Dawn), Eric Holl (Laura), and the late Thomas Holl (Michele). He was a cherished grandfather to Wyatt, Nicholas, Patrick, Maxwell, Erica, Nicole, Rebecca, Kyle, and Daniel and a great-grandfather to 11. Walter will leave behind his companion of several years, Jessica. Walter was predeceased by his siblings, the late Marilyn and the late Frederick. He will be deeply missed by his nieces, nephews, and friends.

Walter's life was marked by his passion for chemistry, leading him to earn a Ph.D. in the field. Walter was a graduate of Temple University and Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science. He dedicated his career to various companies, most recently at GlaxoSmithKline, and prior to that, at Merck. Outside of work, Walter's adventurous spirit led him to the waters, where he indulged his love for sailing at the Riverton Yacht Club. He also soared to great heights as a pilot, finding solace in the skies, and embraced the thrill of skiing during winter. Walter took pride as an active member of United States Coast Guard Auxiliary.

A gathering of friends and family will be held on Saturday, November 4th, at Givnish of Cinnaminson, 1200 Route 130 North, from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm, followed by a memorial service at 12:00 pm. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made in Walter's name to Samaritan Healthcare and Hospice [<https://www.samaritannj.org/giving/donate-now/>] or Bayada Healthcare [<https://www.bayada.com/>]. To share your cherished memories of Walter, please visit [Givnish.com](https://www.givnish.com). In celebrating his life, we honor a remarkable man whose legacy of love and adventure will forever inspire us.

# Previous Events

## Gathering of Family and Friends

NOV 4. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Givnish Funeral Home Cinnaminson  
1200 Route 130 N  
Cinnaminson, NJ 08077  
(856) 829-8000  
info@givnish.com  
<https://www.givnish.com>

## Memorial Service

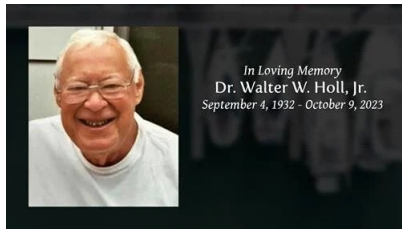
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# Tribute Wall



“ Givnish Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Dr. Walter W. Holl Jr.



Givnish Funeral Home - November 03, 2023 at 10:12 AM

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“ I had the pleasure of knowing Walter through his relationship with Jess. He was always the gentleman who engaged in a conversation with myself and others as if he has known us for many years. As a part of our WOW group he was an asset to our group sharing his engaging personality with us all. Until we saw the whites of his eyes and his friendly expressive smile the luncheon table rebounded with the question, "Where's Walter?"

Some of the widows of our group would say to Jess, "We want to find a Walter!" which exemplifies just how special Walter was!

As for me personally conversations with Walter involved a Yachtie vs a Sailor conversations with experiences on the waterways! Our talks might involve ports, experiences, love of the water or tying the appropriate knots needed. Walter was a Renaissance man and it has been a great pleasure knowing him. Kathi Turner

Kathleen Turner - October 15, 2023 at 06:42 PM