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Charles Ellman, 92, of Boca Raton, Florida, passed away on April 8, 2021, two weeks shy of his 93rd birthday. He is survived by his beloved wife, Gloria Ellman (née Davidow), children Lou and Suzyn, brother Leroy (Sheila), and many adoring nieces, nephews, and friends.

Chuck was born in Philadelphia, PA on April 22, 1928 to parents Abraham and Sarah Ellman. After graduating from Olney High School in 1946, he attended Lafayette College on an athletic scholarship to play basketball. Chuck graduated from Lafayette in 1950 with a degree in Economics.

Chuck enlisted in the United States Army in 1950, and rose to the rank of 2nd Lieutenant. His military career was colorful, with posts all across the US, time as a drill Sergeant, an Atomic Bomb testing experience, and Officer school. Chuck received an honorable discharge in 1955.

Chuck then joined his Uncle, Irvin Saltzman in the insurance business. What started as a two person company, Delaware Valley Underwriting Agency (DVUA), grew to become one of the leading insurance agencies in the US. Chuck spent his entire forty plus year career in executive roles with the firm, retiring in 1994.

In 1967, Chuck proposed to Gloria Davidow, and the two were married on April 28, 1968. Chuck's family was the pride of his lifetime.

A wise, kind, humorous, and patient man, Chuck was beloved by all who knew him, and will be missed by all.

Contributions in Chuck's memory may be made to a charity of donor's choice.



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Carol Becker Curtin lit a candle in honor of Charles.

My heartfelt sympathy goes out to the Ellman family. I had the good fortune to have Charles as my first boss at DVUA on 12th Street in Philadelphia. I have wonderful memories of my time working there and he made it fun! His sense of humor and gentle nature made it a pleasure to be part of the team. Carol Becker Curtin

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I heard some wonderful stories about Chuck when he and Richard were classmates at Lafayette. It was so nice that they were able to reunite again in Florida and reminisce. The opportunity to spend time with both Gloria and Charlie was a bonus



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Charles by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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