



## Dr. Herschel York

April 14, 1922 - November 27, 2022

(WORLD WAR II) YORK, Dr. Herschel, age 100, passed away peacefully on November 27th, 2022, beloved husband of the late Jewel York, nee Golden, cherished father of Clifford York, Cathy (Arthur) York Richards, and the late Susan (Sheldon) York Wittenberg, loving grandfather of seven grandchildren, great grandfather to seven great grandchildren. Services will be held on Tuesday, November 29th at 9:30AM at Weil Kahn Funeral Home, 8350 Cornell Road, Cincinnati, OH, 45249. Visitation will be held for a half an hour prior to services. Services will be livestreamed, please click this link to attend virtually [https://webcast.funeralvue.com/events/embed\\_viewer/81512](https://webcast.funeralvue.com/events/embed_viewer/81512) . Graveside services to follow at United Jewish Cemetery Montgomery. Shiva will be observed at Cathy Richards residence on Tuesday, November 29th at 5PM to 7PM. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Cincinnati.

# Previous Events

## Funeral

NOV **29**. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Weil Kahn Funeral Home  
8350 Cornell Road  
Cincinnati  
Cincinnati, OH 45249  
[bill@weilkahnfuneralhome.com](mailto:bill@weilkahnfuneralhome.com)

## Graveside Service

NOV **29**. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

United Jewish Cemetery - Montgomery  
7885 Ivygate Lane  
Montgomery, OH 45242

# Tribute Wall



“ Weil Kahn Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Dr. Herschel York



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**Weil Kahn Funeral Home** - November 28, 2022 at 12:44 PM

JC

*What an amazing life! We will be out of town but will be thinking of you all! Sending hugs! Julie and John Cohen*

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**Julie Shavzin Cohen** - November 28, 2022 at 04:41 PM

DI

“ *I remember reading somewhere that there are at least five persons that one would meet during the course of their life that would have a lasting impact on them, and for me Herschel was one of them. Not only was Herschel uniquely responsible for facilitating the start of my optometric practice 40 years ago, he also mentored me with savvy advice amassed from years of his own personal experiences. Most memorable was him telling me "you are a great doctor, but it doesn't matter how skillful you are...never lose your humanity." Herschel practiced this mantra and never sought anything in return for his tireless efforts. I will always keep him in my fondest memories and I am eternally grateful for him having allowed me to be part of his life and for coming into mine. He was a wonderful colleague and an even better friend. Cathy, Cliff and family, I wish you comfort and peace during this difficult time.*

---Dr Michael J Hodovanic III

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**Dr Michael J Hodovanic III** - November 28, 2022 at 08:18 PM

MG

“ *Cliff and family...  
My deepest sympathy for your families loss.  
I will always remember your Dad.  
He continues to serve.*

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**Marshall Goodman** - November 28, 2022 at 09:35 AM

HC

“ *Cliff. My most sincere condolences on your Dads passing  
He was an icon of energy and fun  
I remember him from our many band gigs at Seasons  
Always with a gleam in his eye and such a joy to chat with  
All the best  
Hirsh Cohen  
Chicago*

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**Hirsh Cohen** - November 27, 2022 at 07:40 PM

MG

*Cliff and family...  
I will always remember your Dad.  
My deepest sympathy for your families loss.*

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**Marshall Goodman** - November 28, 2022 at 09:29 AM

MK

*Cathy, Cliff and family. Our sincere condolences. Your Dad was a real mensch. Always with a smile, quick wit, and an happy outlook. Although it's been many years since we have seen him, we will always remember your Dad as an all around wonderful person. Ellyn and Michael Kruke*

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**michael kruke** - November 28, 2022 at 10:35 AM

KG

*Cathy, Clifford and family,  
We extend our heartfelt sympathy with the passing of your father and grandfather. We will miss his infectious warmth and humor. Herschel was a very unique and wonderful person. We will miss him. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Sanda and Ken Goret*

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**Kenneth Goret** - December 02, 2022 at 02:48 AM