



Major William J. Brown, USAF Obituary

April 27, 1923 - July 9, 2005

Major William J. "Bill" Brown USAF (Ret.), of Albany since 1962 died Saturday July 9, 2005 at Phoebe Putney Memorial following an illness. The funeral service will be 10AM Tuesday, July 12, 2005 at Kimbrell-Stern, with interment following at Andersonville National Cemetery, Andersonville Georgia. Rev. Finbarr Stanton will officiate. A native of Philadelphia PA, Major Brown retired from the United Air Force, following duty served during WWII and the Korean Conflict. His military decorations are as follows: Dist. Flying Cross-Air Medal-3 / OLC- PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION 1/OLC- ROK PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CIT.-AF OUTSTANDING UNIT CIT.-WWII VICTORY, UNITED SERVICE MEDAL- DIST UNIT CITATION- PACIFIC CAMP. 1/BTL STAR-KOREAN THEATRE 3/BTL STARS- AMERICAN THEATRE- GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL 3/LTS- AFLSA- 4/OLC- NAT'L DEFENSE JAPAN OCCUPATION MEDAL- AFKSA 3/OLC. Major Brown was a member of the Retired Officers Assoc., National Officers Assoc., American Legion, Radium Country Club and attended St. Teresa's Catholic Church. Survivors include: a son, Michael J. "Mike" Brown and wife Debra Macolly Brown of Albany; a grandson Nolan J. Brown, and 2 granddaughters Kathleen P. Brown and Rebecca A. Brown, all of Albany; a brother Gordon Kunkle Brown of Bisbee, AZ; a sister-in-law Doris Hennebery of Springfield MA.. He was preceded in death by his parents James G. and Ada I. Kunkle Brown; wife, Mildred Driscoll Brown and son James W. Brown.

Tribute Wall



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“ *We are so sorry about your loss & are keeping you in our prayers. God Bless you & may your find comfort in your memories & strength of the Lord.*

Michele, Brian, Kristin, Shelby - July 15, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mike and Debbie:
I was saddened to read of Mike's Dad's passing. I know that you will miss him terribly but take heart that you had him all these years. Know that I continue to pray for your comfort and peace. Love,
Rachel*

Rachel Grace - July 12, 2005 at 12:00 AM

ZW

“ i grew attached to mr. brown as i waited on him time after time in the lab at hem/oncology. he always brought me a piece of jewelry which i will always cherish. i'll miss him dearly

zenobia wilson - July 11, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ I know we will all miss "Uncle Bill" very much. Personally, his wit and humor will be with me forever. My fond memories will bring smiles and laughter to my soul. Major William Brown touched everyone who knew him. Rest in peace Uncle Bill. You've earned it. Love, John

John Hennebery - July 11, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ I will miss you very much Bill and appreciate how you and Mill helped us keep so many family memories alive. Have a great flight in the Beyond. Love, Doris

Doris Hennebery - July 11, 2005 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ UNCLE BILL,
I AM HERE FOR YOUR FAMILY
IN SPRINGFIEL, MY COUSIN
MIKE HAS SHOWED ME HOW TO E-MAIL, YOU WOULD BE SO
PROUD
OF YOUR SON AT THIS SAD TIME.
YOUR SPIRIT AND MEMORY WILL
ALWAYS LIVE ON IN MY HEART
REST PEACFULLY
YOUR NIECE,
COLLEEN

COLLEEN DRISCOLL - July 11, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ Nolan, Kathleen and Rebecca-I'm sorry to hear about your Paw-Paw and I wish I could be there with you. Love, Lynn

Lynn Downey - July 11, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ Uncle Bill, Thanks for all the laughs and jokes you used to send me to cheer up my day. I will miss you.
Love, Lynn

Lynn Downey - July 11, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ Bill, what I will cherish the most about you, is the laughter we've shared and our conversations about our military service experiences together. I will truly miss your outgoing and friendly attributes. I salute you Major Brown, for your impeccable service to your family and our country. May the sound of TAPS ring out as you leave this world and enter another, to join your beautiful wife, Millie, who is anxiously waiting for you. Rest in Peace, Bill

Love, Rick

Rick Downey - July 11, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ Mike - I am sorry to hear about your father. Please know you are in our prayers.
David, Nancy and Celeste

David McClung - July 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM