



Dr. William Hubert Bacon

July 10, 1927 - August 12, 2023

Dr. William Hubert Bacon of Albany, passed away on August 12, 2023 at Oaks at Oakland Plantation.

The Funeral Mass will be held at 11 AM on Saturday, August 26, 2023 at St. Teresa's Catholic Church. Father Finbarr Stanton will officiate. Interment will follow at Crown Hill Cemetery. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at the church.

Dr. Bacon was born in Albany on July 10, 1927, to James Lewis and Katherine Mock Bacon. He attended Albany schools and graduated from Albany High School in 1944. He attended St. Bernard college and after 1 year, joined the Navy. He was home on boot leave on V.J Day. After 14 months on aircraft carrier, he returned to St. Bernard college for his A.S degree. He went to St. Louis university for five years, earning his Doctor of Dental Surgery degree. He re-entered the Navy for two years as a dental officer during the Korean War.

On returning to Albany in 1954 opened his practice of dentistry.

In 1957 he met his future wife – Mary Ellen Pits. They were married for 58 years, and she preceded him in death on May 4, 2015.

He is survived by his son William Bryan Bacon and his wife Leslie, daughter Mary Katherine Vestal of Charlotte, N.C. and four grandchildren; William Bryan Bacon, JR of Greenville, S.C. Katherine Leigh Bacon of New York, N.Y. Jessica Vestal and Chris J. Wilson of Charlotte, N.C and one great granddaughter, Autumn Grace of Charlotte.

In lieu of flowers, please make memorial to St. Teresa's Church or a favorite charity.

Cemetery Details

Crown Hill Cemetery

1907 Dawson Rd
Albany, GA 31707
(229) 883-6600

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 26. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Teresa's Catholic Church
421 Edgewood Lane
Albany, GA 31707

Funeral Mass

AUG 26. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SC

“ *Dr. Bacon was my dentist from an early age. Because of him, I never developed a fear of going to the dentist like so many of my friends did. I was saddened to hear of his passing. Prayers for comfort for his family.*

Stacey Cross - August 22, 2023 at 02:55 PM

AR

“ *Bryan,*

I was deeply saddened to learn of your dad's passing. He was one of the finest, nicest men I've ever known. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May he rest in peace.

Al Rakel

Al Rakel - August 21, 2023 at 08:35 PM

GR

“ *Dr Bacon was my dentist for as long as I can remember, as a child he was so patient and comforting in what he did, he was an awesome man and loved by many*

greg rowe - August 16, 2023 at 05:51 AM

JS

“ *Judy/Garlan Smith lit a candle in memory of Dr. William Hubert Bacon*



Judy/Garlan Smith - August 15, 2023 at 11:30 PM

JS

Your mom was my husband's first cousin.

Judy/Garlan Smith - August 15, 2023 at 11:31 PM

DF

“ *To the family of Doctor Bacon, may you find comfort in the wonderful memories of times you've shared together with your father, grandfather friend. He was among the most generous, humble, and personable men we have met. We would share greetings at Mass as well as opportunities outside of church, where we met. He blessed so many with his skills and his generosity. May God bless you all.*

Michael, Sylvia, Angela Szpak

Dr Michael Szpak Family - August 15, 2023 at 11:01 AM

SA

“ *My mother, sisters and I went to Dr. Bacon until his retirement. Prayers and condolences for his family. He was such a kind and gentle man.*

Sally Warren Anderson - August 15, 2023 at 07:37 AM