



Major William E. Martin, Jr., Retired

June 21, 1922 - August 23, 2014

MARTIN - Major William E. Martin, age 92, formally of Hot Springs, AR, died Saturday, August 23, 2014 at his home in Loganville Georgia. He is survived by his bride of 73 years, Mary LaVerne Webb Martin, Loganville, GA; daughter/son-in-law, Mary P. and Dennis J. Cherry, Winder, GA; Sister, Nathalie Ann Martin, Hot Springs, AR; grand-daughter, Denise LuAnne Cherry Sutton, Lawrenceville, GA; grandsons Patrick F. Cherry, Loganville, GA and Martin S. Randal, San Antonio, TX. Major Martin was a career officer in the United States Air Force and was a Ball Turret Gunner on a B-17 during WW II. His aircraft was subsequently shot down over Hungary and was held captive as a POW until the end World War II. He was also a Veteran of the Korean War. He will be laid to rest during a private family gathering at the National Cemetery in Canton, GA. Arrangements by Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 670 Tom Brewer Road, Loganville, Georgia 30052. 770-466-1544. Please sign online guest registry at www.stewartfh.com

Cemetery Details

Georgia National Cemetery

2025 Mount Carmel Church Lane
Canton, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Major William E. Martin, Jr., Retired*

October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM



“ *I'll never forget when I Bill Bill picked up my clarinet and played it perfectly. He was my only grandfather I got to meet. So many character traits and strengths... I have Bill Bill to thank. This was hard to write. I've missed him long before his death. I know he is with my parents and I keep them as part of me and in my heart. I'm proud to be his grandchild!*

Mark Randel - September 05, 2014 at 08:56 AM



“ *I had the honor of telling him how appreciated his service in WWII was, as large parts of my family would probably not have existed if it weren't for the bravery of men like him. Thank you, Sir! Rest in Peace*

Michele Geller - September 04, 2014 at 06:12 PM



“ *Dianne lit a candle in memory of Major William E. Martin, Jr., Retired*



Dianne - August 26, 2014 at 09:28 AM

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You don't know me, but I want the family to know I appreciate Mr. Martin's service.

Dianne - August 26, 2014 at 09:30 AM

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“ Mr. Bill.....I don't even know how or where to begin. I have loved him and Miss Mary from day 1. He had a laughter that was infectious and the biggest blue eyes that could light the world. I feel blessed and so honored to have been a part of his journey since he and Mary moved to GA. I could just sit and listen to his stories all day. Thank you Mr. Martin for being you, the wonderful man that you are, the wonderful friend you have been to me. I will miss you and treasure all the wonderful memories I have of you. Rest in peace sweetness.

Melissa Fox - August 24, 2014 at 08:26 PM

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“ Heaven gained one of the best!!!! Absolutely loved this man with his humor and stories of the past. That unforgettable smile. Truly one of a kind. You will be missed dearly.



Charlotte Holland - August 24, 2014 at 02:29 PM