



## Neil Walter White

February 17, 1940 - July 30, 2011

“Praises on tombs are trifles vainly spent, a man’s good name is his best monument.”

Colonel Neil Walter White, United States Air Force, Retired, left on July 30th for the sweet by and by. He was the loving husband of Barbara Waller White, and father of Christiane May Deaton and Jonathan Walter White. He will be buried in his family’s plot in Kensico Cemetery, Valhalla, New York.

During his 28-year career with the United Sates Air Force, he held many positions within the munitions and logistics fields, and rose to be Director of Munitions for the Tactical Air Command.

During his career, he was stationed in Texas, Nebraska, Colorado, Germany, South Vietnam, South Dakota, California, Virginia, England, Alabama, Oklahoma, and New Mexico.

Among his many individual awards were the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the USAF Meritorious Service Medal (3 OLC), the USAF Commendation Medal (4 OLC) and the Vietnamese Honor Medal, First Class

Neil attributed his successful life to the great support of Barbara, Christiane, and Jonathan, as well as his mother, Ella Whiffen White and the mentorship of his maternal grandfather, Walter Westcott Whiffen, and his cousin F. Wallace Mahar.

In lieu of flowers, please donate to the American Liver Foundation.



# Tribute Wall

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“ *Barbara,*

*I don't know what made me try to look Neil up but I was shocked to find his obituary from four years ago. I've thought of you through the years and wondered where you are and how your family is. I'm not sure you will get this but know we are so sorry about Neil. There is so much in the news anymore about hepatitis C and Neil always comes to mind. If you do get this and want to contact me my email address is pberg0912@gmail.com. I hope Jonathan and Christiene are well and happy.*

*Thinking of you...*

*Peggy Berg*

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