



## William George Dealaman ,Jr.

September 28, 1924 - February 3, 2018

William G. Dealaman, Jr., 93, died at his home Saturday, February 3, 2018 in St. Augustine, Florida. Bill was born in Jacksonville, Florida on September 28, 1924 but grew up in Plainfield, New Jersey. He attended Pingry Prep School where he enjoyed playing football, basketball and was captain of his baseball team his senior year. Bill graduated in 1943 and was awarded the highest honors "The 1902 Emblem For Citizenship". After graduation, Bill joined the Navy where he served until he had an honorable discharge in 1946. He then attended college at Franklin & Marshall and graduated in 1949 with a B.S. Degree in Economics. After graduating Bill was married to his wife Audrey L. Neill of Plainfield, New Jersey. In 1950 he reenlisted in the USNR and was appointed Ensign. In January of 1951 he put in a request for active duty where he served until July of 1952 when he received an honorable discharge. Bill stayed in the Naval Reserves until 1965 where he transferred to Standby Reserves. He remained there until he entered the Retired Reserves as a Lieutenant in 1970. After leaving the Navy he worked a period of time for Lord & Taylor and Dooner & Smith Chemical Company. He then went to work for William E. Ford's Associates, Underwriters for Home Life Insurance Company. He had a successful career where he won membership in multiple company top honor groups. He remained there until he retired in 1986. Bill and his wife Audrey settled in Watchung, New Jersey where they raised three children Carol, Judy and Bill. After retiring Bill and Audrey moved to St. Augustine and built their second home together and lived there until her passing in 1998. Bill enjoyed playing tennis at St. Augustine Beach & Tennis Club and playing golf with the boys. Bill loved being with his family, being in the outdoors, hunting and especially fishing throughout his life. Bill built a log cabin up in Northern Maine, known as Bill's Place. Bill treasured his cabin and his memories he made there. He could be seen trolling the shorelines of St. Froid Lake up until his mid-80's and even a few times at 90. Bill was predeceased by his wife Audrey and is survived by daughter Carol Stake, daughter Judy Hamilton and son-in-law Bob Hamilton, son Bill Dealaman and daughter-in-law Susan Dealaman, three grandsons, Bob Hamilton, Brad Hamilton and Bill Dealaman and two great granddaughters Makenzee and Rylee. There will be a memorial service at Memorial Presbyterian Church, St. Augustine, Florida on Thursday, March 22 at 11:00am. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in his memory would be appreciated and can be

made to Memorial Presbyterian Church, St. Augustine, Florida or the Wounded Warrior Project, Jacksonville, Florida.

# Events

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**MAR**   **Memorial Service**                      11:00AM  
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Memorial Presbyterian Church  
36 Sevilla Street, St. Augustine, US, 32084