



Alan Harper Brown

September 11, 1915 - May 9, 2008

Alan Harper Brown of Easton, MD died at Talbot Hospice House, on Friday May 9, 2008. He was 92.

Born on September 11, 1915 in Ho-Ho-Kus NJ, he was son of the late Alfred and Emily Jesty Brown. After graduating from high school he attended and graduated Cum Laude from Syracuse University in 1938 with a B.A. degree in Mathematics.

Alan served as a Captain in the Army during World War II at SHAEF headquarters. After the war, he returned to Ho-Ho-Kus and co-founded Brown and Wehrell Insurance Company. Alan earned his CPCU certification in 1952. He was a member for many years in the N.J. Bergen County Association of Independent Insurance Agents and served as President in 1979.

Alan was active in the Episcopal Church. He attended St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church where in 1951 he met and married the former Joan DeFrehn Brown. She died in 1997. Upon his retirement to the Eastern Shore of Maryland, he attended Christ Episcopal Church, St. Michaels. In 1999 he married Frances J. Chapman.

Alan was a member of the Cruising Sailors and U.S. Power Squadron. He served as a volunteer escort at the Memorial Hospital for 20 years and a

Talbot Hospice volunteer for 10 years. He was an avid sailor and also enjoyed carpentry, golf, travel and singing in the church choir and Barber Shop Quartet.

Alan was devoted to his family. In addition to his wife Frances, he is survived by four children, Patricia Beall of Cambridge, Susan Moore of Easton, Kathleen Brown of Cleveland, OH and Peter Brown of Easton; one step-daughter, Edith Chapman Gillis; two sisters, Grace Thrasher of Charlotte, NC, and Jessie Weddle of St. Michaels; two granddaughters, Emily Brown and Jena Beall. In addition to his first wife he was preceded in death by a sister Maureen Smith of N.J.

A memorial service will be held at Christ Episcopal Church, St. Michaels on Wednesday May 14, 2008 at 11:00AM.

Burial will be private.

Donations may be made to Christ Episcopal Church P.O. Box S, St Michaels, MD. 21663, or to Talbot Hospice Foundation 586 Cynwood Drive, Easton, MD. 21601.

Arrangements are by Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P. A. Easton.

Tribute Wall



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