



Dempsey Mizelle

June 22, 1937 - January 31, 2012

Dempsey Brown Mizelle died on Tuesday, January 31, 2012, at his home. He was 74.

Born June 22, 1937, in Washington, NC, he was the son of the late Ashley and Fannie Rogers Mizelle.

Following graduation from East Carolina University where he obtained his accounting degree, he took a position with the USDA from 1960-1964. In 1965, he became a Clerk on the House of Representatives Appropriations Sub-Committee for the Departments of State Commerce, Judiciary, and related agencies.

In 1980-1988 he was a member of the U.S. Foreign Service and served in Europe, Canada, and Washington DC. He retired in 1989 at which time he moved to Easton. At that time, Dempsey worked as a realtor with Nily Reality, Champion Nily and Fountain, Firth, and Holt Realty.

He was a member of the Mid-Shore Board of Realtors, Board of Pickering Creek, Tred Avon Players, Academy of the Arts Museum, Chamber Music Festival, and the Waterfowl Festival.

Mr. Mizelle is survived by his wife, the former Diane Brosius, whom he married August 15, 1965; a daughter, Lisa Mizelle Stofer, and her fiancé Ray Lane; a grandson, Cameron Dempsey Stofer; and two sisters in Washington and

North Carolina.

Friends may call at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home P.A. in Easton, on Friday evening February 10, 2012, from 6-8 p.m. A Celebration of his Life will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday February 11, 2012, where friends and relatives are invited to share their favorite "Dempsey" stories.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to, Pickering Creek Audubon Center, 11450 Audubon Lane, Easton, Maryland 21601

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 10. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Easton Location
200 S Harrison St
Easton, MD 21601
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Celebration of Life

FEB 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Dempsey Mizelle*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - January 27, 2023 at 09:07 PM



“ *Dempsey Mizelle*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Dempsey Mizelle*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Dempsey Mizelle*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

TM

“ *Diane, Lisa, Ray, and Cameron,
I have so many funny and fond memories of your family and
Dempsey. He was a man with a larger than life personality and a
heart of gold.*

-Tracey Mitchell

Tracey Mitchell - February 10, 2012 at 09:01 AM

JA

“ *Diane, Penny and I are very saddened to hear of Dempsey's
passing. He had an irrepressible sense of humor, clever and
intelligent...and sardonic. It was fun working with him on the Follies.
I'm not sure if he was involved in the "Pizza Fiasco" during one of
our rehearsals at the high school, but Hugh Smith can tell you about
that.*

We regret that we cannot be there to honor him. A unique individual.

John and Penny Aliyetti

John and Penny Aliyetti - February 08, 2012 at 06:34 PM

AD

“ *Our heartfelt sympathy to the Mizelle family on the loss of your
loved one.*

*We served with Dempsey at the U. S. Embassy in Ottawa where we
remember his patience and skill as Administrative Officer.*

Alice and Charlie Dudley

Alice and Charlie Dudley - February 08, 2012 at 09:23 AM

EC

“ Dear Diane,

We were shocked to hear of Dempsey's death. We read about it in the SD online as we are in Florida.

He was a wonderful person. We remember fondly how proud Vern was of you both especially when he visited you in Germany.

And how can we forget how he stood out as part of the "moving background" in Wedding Crashers.

Love and hugs,

Harriet and Ed

Ed and Harriet Caporin - February 07, 2012 at 08:34 AM

RL

“ Ray Lane lit a candle in memory of Dempsey Mizelle



Ray Lane - February 06, 2012 at 09:05 AM

RL

Thoughts an Prayers for the Mizelle family , I have so many wonderful things to say about Dempsey the one that stands out the most is the first day I walked into the home of Dempsey and Diane with Lisa . There stood Dempsey at the door with a Big Smile welcoming me into his home like I had knew him for a life time . I will always cherish the talks and the words of wisdom that I had with Dempsey . He will be missed by me greatly but the memories I shared with Dempsey will last a Life time

Ray Lane - February 06, 2012 at 09:20 AM

DM

“ *Debra Muhleman lit a candle in memory of Dempsey Mizelle*



Debra Muhleman - February 04, 2012 at 10:01 PM

HB

“ *Hope Bonnell lit a candle in memory of Dempsey Mizelle*



Hope Bonnell - February 04, 2012 at 02:34 PM

HB

sending prayers of comfort to the Mizelle family, and loved ones.

Hope Bonnell - February 04, 2012 at 02:35 PM

BB

“ *Aunt Diane and Lisa,
I have such fond memories of summer visits with you guys. Uncle Dempsey was so much fun and made sure that I was well entertained each time I visited. I am keeping you close at heart.
With much love, Betsy*

Betsy Beamon - February 03, 2012 at 11:05 PM

BB

“ *Betsy Beamon lit a candle in memory of Dempsey Mizelle*



Betsy Beamon - February 03, 2012 at 10:59 PM

BL

“ *Beth Lacey lit a candle in memory of Dempsey Mizelle*



Beth Lacey - February 02, 2012 at 09:28 PM

BL

Whenever I think of Dempsey, I remember the song "Bluebirds Over The White Cliffs of Dover," a number he sang in the 1998 Talbot Follies...I know I am not alone as I continue to cherish the memory of that event and so many others. I absolutely loved his sense of humor, especially at the Cast Party that year when he showed up in a green apron with a couple friends for an unusually "showy" number!

I was also lucky to work with him for a period of time at Champion Niley Realty and always remember him with a smile on his face and a twinkle in his eyes!

Diane - please know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers at this difficult time.

Beth Lacey - February 02, 2012 at 09:38 PM

RJ

“ *All of our thoughts and prayers are with Diane, Lisa, Ray and Cameron.*

With Love,

Rob, Jen, Daniel, Karyssa & Kaleb



Robert P. Stofer Jr. - February 02, 2012 at 03:02 PM