



Donald G. Craig, Jr.

April 17, 2007

Donald G. Craig, Jr. (Lt. Col. Ret, USAF) of Tilghman, MD, died on April 17, 2007, after a brief illness. He was 91.

Colonel Craig was born in Greensburg, PA, and married his high school sweetheart, the former Nona Byers, in 1941, several months before he joined the Army/Air Corps.

During World War II, Colonel Craig was a pilot and flight instructor in San Angelo, TX. After the war, he was stationed at Bolling AFB in Washington, DC. His career took him and his family to England, South Dakota, Massachusetts, Nebraska, returning to Washington, DC, and retiring in 1965, having reached the rank of Lt. Colonel. He worked for the Defense Department after his Air Force retirement and moved to Tilghman Island in 1974.

During his military and civilian careers, Colonel Craig was awarded numerous commendations for his performance and ingenuity in the photo-lithographic field as well as plans and suggestions for improved methods of photo reconnaissance techniques.

He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Nona B. Craig; his sister, Jane Rugh of Sarasota, FL; five children, Chloe Norton and her husband Peter of Queenstown, MD, Cynthia Rosenthal and her husband Alan of LaJolla, CA,

Kathi Young and her husband Barney of Baltimore, MD, Toni Stouten and her husband Bruce of Scotland Beach, MD and D. Kevin Craig of Tilghman, MD; nine grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

A private ceremony was held at the Maryland Eastern Shore Veterans Cemetery on Friday, April 20, 2007.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the Tilghman Volunteer Fire Co., 5979 Tilghman Island Road, Tilghman, MD 21671.

Tribute Wall



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