



Neil D. Bishop

April 25, 1920 - June 6, 2011

Neil David Bishop of Chester, MD died at his home on June 6, 2011. He was 91.

Born April 25, 1920 in Milwaukee, WI, he was the son of the late, David Charles and Florence May Bishop. He graduated from Bayview High School, Milwaukee, WI, Class of 1938. He started his music career early. He enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corp and became a pilot serving in the Virgin Islands. Following his release from active duty he played music with many big bands throughout the United States. In 1946 he started studying at Peabody Conservatory of Music in Baltimore, MD. On December 17, 1949 he married the former, Charlotte Franzen of Baltimore, MD. In 1949 he started playing for the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra. When he left a few years later he played in many locations in the Baltimore-Washington area. In 1984, after moving to the Eastern Shore, he worked for the Stevensville Post Office for 10 years.

He was a member of Prospect Bay Country Club and the Kent Island United Methodist Church.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Bishop is survived by two sons, Jeffrey Neil Bishop and his wife, Ann Marie, of Chester, MD and Martin Thomas Bishop of Stevensville, MD; a brother, Beryl Douglas Bishop of Winlake, WI; and two granddaughters, Shawn Marie Bishop and Kelly Ann Bishop, both of Chester,

MD. He was pre-deceased by two sisters, Barbara Beverly Rady and Eileen Mae Riekkoff.

Funeral services will be held at the Kent Island United Methodist Church on Monday, June 13, 2011 at 11:00 am.

Burial will follow the service at Crownsville Veteran Cemetery, Crownsville, MD at 1:00 pm.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Queen Anne's, Inc., 255 Comet Drive, Centreville, MD 21617.

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Neil D. Bishop*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - June 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Neil D. Bishop*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



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January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



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January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



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June 26, 2011 at 07:40 AM



“ Thanks for writing such an easy-to-understand article on this topic.##imported-begin##Aira##imported-end##

June 23, 2011 at 07:19 AM



“ Dear Aunty Char, Jeff, Marty and family. We are with you in thoughts and prayers today. Scott has many good memories of time with you all and he is very sad that it was Uncle's time to depart. My favorite time with Aunt and Uncle was your visit to the U.P. when we took in the Porcupine Mts. together. We send our love, and in faith ask for your hearts to be comforted. We offer a memorial donation to the Hospice of Queen Anne's. With love,
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June 13, 2011 at 08:40 AM



“ Jeff- My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Marc Lesniak##imported-end##

June 10, 2011 at 11:24 AM



“ Dear Charlotte

My deepest sympathy to you and your family during this great loss of your husband Neil.

I have great memories of you both during our golf fund raisers at Propspect Bay. May you know peace and comfort during these next few days.

Marlene & Ron Davis##imported-begin##Marlene Davis##imported-end##

June 09, 2011 at 02:07 PM



“ Jeff, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time. Your Dad was one of a kind. Always enjoyed his humor and love of life. He will be missed.##imported-begin##Lynn Hirschauer##imported-end##

June 08, 2011 at 01:07 AM