



Roger D. Brown

March 3, 1940 - September 11, 2021

Roger D. Brown passed from this world September 11, 2021.

He was born March 3, 1940, the eldest son of Donald R. Brown and Geneva Odell Brown. He grew up in the small town of Jamesburg, New Jersey and attended public schools there. On completion of high school, he entered the University of Maryland and received a Bachelor's Degree in Accounting. After College, he enrolled in Navy Officer's Candidate School in Newport, Rhode Island and received a commission as a line officer. During a ten-year naval career, he participated in the Cuban Blockade, a six-month Mediterranean cruise, a diplomatic cruise around South America and two tours in the Western Pacific during the Vietnam War. While teaching NROTC at The University of Mississippi, he earned a Master's Degree in History. He left the service with the rank of Lieutenant Commander and settled in Chestertown where he entered Public Accounting with the firm of Granger, Faw and Company. He was asked by a client to enter the business of a Mobil Oil distributorship where he acted as Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer. Upon the death of the owner, he supervised the sale of the company to two different buyers. He returned to Public Accounting with the firm of Radcliffe Corporate Services and partnered in the restoration of the Radcliffe Mill.

His avocations were English and American History. He was interested in American Antiques and gained some expertise in them. He joined consecutively the Chestertown Lions, Optimists and Rotary. He was a Son of The American Revolution. He was a lifelong golfer and served many positions

at the Chester River Yacht and Country Club, including Treasurer and President. He enjoyed golfing with his wife, Phyllis, at East Coast resorts from Vermont to Florida and on trips to Bermuda. He served as President of the Chester River Health Foundation, Treasurer of the Kent County Historical Society and Treasurer of Emmanuel Church. He served on the Boards of Chester River Health System, Chesapeake Bank and Trust, Maryland Association of Certified Public Accountants, The Kent County Historical Society, The Kent School and Emmanuel Church Vestry.

He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Phyllis, a son, Rodney, from a previous marriage to Nancy Turner; brothers Allan of Monroe NJ and Robert of Brookfield, CT; sisters Bette and Deborah of Trenton, NJ. A sister, Nancy, predeceased him.

A memorial service will be held at Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Chestertown on Thursday, September 23 at 1:30pm. Masks are required.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Emmanuel Episcopal Church or The Historical Society of Kent County.

Marvin V. Williams, Jr., Funeral Director, Chestertown, MD made the funeral arrangements. www.fhnfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Memorial Service

SEP **23**. 1:30 PM (ET)

Emmanuel Episcopal Church
101 N. Cross St.
Chestertown, MD

Tribute Wall



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



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - September 21, 2021 at 11:47 AM



“ *Roger D. Brown*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Roger D. Brown*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM

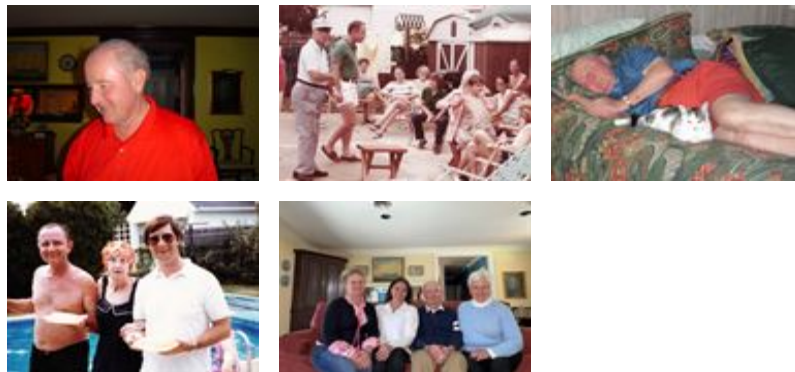


“ *Roger D. Brown*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ 86 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - September 21, 2021 at 11:46 AM

MB

“ *Phyllis so sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts.*

Melinda Blyman - September 20, 2021 at 08:01 PM

DN

“ *Debbie And Bob Nickerson lit a candle in memory of Roger D. Brown*



Debbie and Bob Nickerson - September 15, 2021 at 10:16 PM

DN

Thoughts and prayers are with Phyllis and family.

Debbie and Bob Nickerson - September 15, 2021 at 10:17 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Roger D. Brown.*



September 15, 2021 at 06:07 PM



“ *Thelma Bright lit a candle in memory of Roger D. Brown*



Thelma Bright - September 15, 2021 at 05:33 PM



*Phyllis, Bill and I are so sorry to hear this.
Bill & Thelma Bright*

Thelma Bright - September 15, 2021 at 05:35 PM



“ *So sad to read this. Please accept our love and sympathy.
Todd & Diane*



Diane Smith - September 15, 2021 at 04:13 PM

VA

“ *Phyllis, I'm so sorry to hear about your husband, keeping you in my prayers.*

Vickie

Vickie Anderson - September 14, 2021 at 07:54 AM

RC

“ *So sorry to hear of the passing of Roger. Deepest condolences to Phyllis and family.*

Rock Crum - September 13, 2021 at 08:05 PM

BH

“ *Barb And Jim Hurtt lit a candle in memory of Roger D. Brown*



Barb and Jim Hurtt - September 13, 2021 at 07:35 PM

BH

Love and prayers to you all

Barb and Jim Hurtt - September 13, 2021 at 07:36 PM

LS

“ *Phyllis,
I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your husband. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time.*



Louise Hendrickson Stonesifer

Louise H Stonesifer - September 13, 2021 at 07:23 PM



“ Sharon Crew lit a candle in memory of Roger D. Brown



Sharon Crew - September 13, 2021 at 06:14 PM



“ Jeanette Stubbs lit a candle in memory of Roger D. Brown



Jeanette Stubbs - September 13, 2021 at 03:04 PM



“ Maryann & Max Ruehrmund lit a candle in memory of Roger D. Brown



Maryann & Max Ruehrmund - September 13, 2021 at 12:08 PM



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Chester River Health Foundation - September 13, 2021 at 12:07 PM