



Thomas W.R. Covington

December 20, 2002

Thomas William Reed Covington, of Easton, died at his home on Friday, December 20, 2002. He was 65.

Born on the Lucas Farm at Queen Anne, MD, November 29, 1937, he was one of nine children of Laura Catherine Willis Covington of Church Hill and the late Rev. Edward E. Covington. After graduating from the Centreville High School in 1955, he joined the U. S. Navy. He was a Plank Owner of the U. S. S. Ranger, the first aircraft carrier too large for the Panama Canal. Following his release from active duty, he began work as a truck driver and equipment operator. During his career, he worked for Koontz Creamery, Wye Mills Feed Co. Mandrell Bus Company and Allen Family Foods, from which he was medically retired.

A resident of Easton since 1960, he was a member, Trustee and Treasurer of the Burrsville United Methodist Church in Burrsville.

Surviving, in addition to his mother, are his wife, the former Susan Ireland whom he married September 1, 1960 at Queenstown; two daughters, Dawn C. Brown of Ridgely and Marcy S. Schmitt of Denton; a son, Bryan K. Covington of Ridgely; seven brothers and sisters, Peggy C. Tolson of Grasonville, Dolly C. Taylor and Henry Covington, both of Centreville, Mary C. Payne of Salisbury, Rev. Charles E. Covington of Georgetown, DE; Sarah C.

Crooke of Silver Spring and Alfred B. Covington of Parsonsburg; eight grandchildren, Michael Groce , Angela Covington, Timothy Covington, Stephanie Brown, all of Ridgely, Kevin Brown of Salisbury and Patrick Schmitt, Ashley Schmitt and Benjamin Schmitt, all of Denton and two great-grandchildren, Kayla and Sierra Price of Ridgely. Another son, Alan R. Covington and a brother, Joseph Covington, are deceased.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, December 26th, at 1 P.M. at the First Wesleyan Church, Easton, where friends may call one hour prior to service.

Burial will be at Spring Hill Cemetery, Easton.

Memorial donations may be made to the Regional Cancer Center, c/o The Memorial Hospital Foundation, P. O. Box 1846, Easton, MD 21601 or to the Burrsville United Methodist Church, c/o Phyllis Hotchkiss, 309 Oak Avenue, Easton, MD 21601.

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

Tribute Wall



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