



William Philip Wade

October 6, 1943 - December 8, 2015

William Philip Wade of Easton, MD, formerly of Richmond, VA, passed away December 8, 2015, after a prolonged illness.

Born October 6, 1943, in Richmond, VA, he was the son of Edward Whitman Wade, Jr. and Anna Mae Cosby McNeil, and brother of Edward Whitman Wade III. He graduated from Thomas Jefferson High School in 1961 and went on to Chowan College in Murfreesboro, NC, where he met his wife of 50 years, Carole Meador Wade. They returned to Richmond where he attended Virginia Commonwealth University, completing a business degree.

In 1985, the Wades moved to the Eastern Shore of Maryland where Phil loved the outdoors, hunting, and fishing. He and Carole enjoyed many years traveling across the US in their Airstream and the friends they made along the way. Phil never met a stranger and worked successfully in sales. Prior to his retirement, he worked as a representative for AFLAC Insurance. He was always a hardworking, loving husband and father.

He is survived by his wife, Carole Meador Wade; his daughter, Anne Carole Sumler and son-in-law, Randy, of Abingdon, MD; two granddaughters, Taylor Elaine Newcomb and Randi Lanai Sumler; his niece, Catherine Anne Marcum (Garry) of Midlothian, VA; nephews, Edward Reid Wade (Joni) of Providence Forge, VA, and Robert Cosby Wade (Victoria) of Farmville, VA; his great-

nephews, Hunter Reid Wade, Christopher McNeil Wade, and Benjamin Alexander Wade.

A memorial service will be held at the Presbyterian Church of Easton on Saturday, January 9, at 11:00 a.m. followed by a reception in Foster Hall at the church.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be sent to the Presbyterian Church of Easton, 617 Washington St., Easton, Maryland 21601.

Cemetery Details

Westhampton Memorial Park

10000 Patterson Avenue
Richmond, VA

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

Presbyterian Church of Easton
Easton, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *William Philip Wade*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *William Philip Wade*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *We grew up on the same block and I have nice memories of the many summer adventures we all enjoyed...exploring the creek, going to the park, or playing softball with the "kids on the block" and with sibs of all ages.*

My sincerest sympathy for your loss.

Dorothy Goodman White

Dorothy G. White - December 14, 2015 at 10:17 AM