



## William Meredith Freestate

April 22, 2007

William Meredith Freestate of Easton, MD died on Sunday, April 22, 2007 at Talbot Hospice House, Easton. He was 89.

Born January 12, 1918 in Centreville, MD, he was the son of William and Anna Meredith Freestate. After graduating from Centreville High School and Goldey-Beacom College in Wilmington, DE, he attended the Wharton School of Finance of the University of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Freestate served with the U.S. Army in the Pacific theatre during World War II, achieving the rank of Captain. On returning to Centreville in 1946, he founded the W. M. Freestate Insurance Agency, serving as its President until his retirement in 1983.

He is a member of Christ Church, Easton, the Tench Tilghman Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution, the Jeff Davis Post American Legion, the Talbot Country Club, the Eastern Shore Chapter of the U.S. Navy League, and a former member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Centreville.

Mr. Freestate is survived by his wife of 58 years, Shirley Tuttle Freestate; his daughter, Anne Freestate Shannahan and her husband Norris of Easton; his son, Mark Meredith Freestate and his wife Diane of Centreville; and three grandsons, William Meredith Freestate, II of Anderson, SC, John Stuart

Freestate of Arlington, VA, and Robert Alexander Cameron of Easton.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, April 27, 2007 at 11:00 AM at Christ Episcopal Church, Easton.

Burial will be private.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Christ Episcopal Church, 111 S. Harrison St., Easton, MD 21601 or Talbot Hospice Foundation, 586 Cynwood Dr., Easton, MD 21601.

Arrangements are by Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P.A., Easton, MD.

# Tribute Wall



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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