



Harlan Lynn Rice

February 28, 1926 - May 24, 2016

Obituary of Harlan Rice

Harlan Lynn Rice, 90, of The Carriage House in Oxford, FL, died Tuesday, May 24, 2016, at Lady Lake Specialty Care, Lady Lake, FL.

Born February 28, 1926 in Columbus, IN, he was the son of the late Frank and Martha (Powers) Rice. Harlan was married to Frances Lou Cooper on April 14, 1951, and they raised a family in Madison, OH until her death on May 4, 1982.

Harlan graduated in 1951 from the University of Illinois with a B.S. in Architecture. He served in the U.S. Army Corp of Engineers. He practiced Architecture in Indianapolis, IN and Cleveland and Painesville, OH for over 30 years. Harlan was on the Architecture instructional staff at Lakeland Community College in Willoughby, Ohio and raised Arabian Horses as a hobby. He was a member of the St. James Episcopal Church, Kiwanis Club, and B.P.O.E. 549 in Painesville, OH.

In 1983 Harlan moved to Little Rock, AR to work for the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers. After retirement he lived in Arkansas, Colorado and Indiana for over 25 years.

Harlan is survived by his daughters, Gretchen (Graham) Engdahl of Lady Lake, FL, and Gracia (James) Morton of Painesville, OH; sister Shirley (Louis) Sylvia of Columbus, IN; grandchildren Sean (Holly) Potter of Charlotte, NC, Erin (Mason) Natalino of Candler, FL, Colin (Paige) Potter of Summerfield, FL, Elizabeth (Christopher) Miller of Little Rock, AR, and Alex Morton (Ryan Thomure) of Chicago, IL; and great-grandchildren Miki, Willow, Kessey, Olivia, Rebekah, Maci, Lincoln and Bennett.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Frances (Cooper); son, Bradley Scott Rice; and sister, Marilyn (Omer) Kinney.

A private committal service will be held in New Smyrna Beach, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to The Brown County Art Guild, (in Memory of Harlan Rice) P.O. Box 324, Nashville, IN 47448.

Online condolences may be left at www.beyersfuneralhome.com

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

Tribute Wall



“ *Harlan was a wonderful person. Our hearts go out to his family. Harlan helped our chorus several times. He may be gone, but his generosity and warmth will never be forgotten. Love the many members and alum of <http://quarryland.org>*

Quarryland Men's Chorus - June 15, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *Harlan Lynn Rice*

October 09, 2014 at 12:00 AM