



## William Nimmons

September 9, 1936 - November 12, 2011

### Obituary of William Nimmons

William S. (Bill) Nimmons, 75, passed on November 12, 2011 in Tallahassee Florida after a valiant but brief fight with brain cancer. Bill was born on September 9th, 1936 in Columbia, South Carolina. He is survived by his loving wife Dorothy "Dot" L. Polk formerly from Chiefland, Florida and his three children, Bill (Ellen) from Tallahassee, Keith (Bonnie) from Denton, Texas, and Warren (Anh) from Tampa. Bill has six grandchildren, William, Lauren, Kelsey, Josh, Zachary, and Zelia. Bill also leaves a sister Brenda and brother Terry, both from Deland, Florida. He joined the Navy when he was nineteen and began to see the world and brought his family along for the ride where they lived in Louisiana, Maryland, Rhode Island, Trinidad, Spain, and Iceland. Bill and Dot enjoyed life to the fullest and modeled a truly loving relationship to their children having been married for 54 years. Bill retired from the Navy, as a Chief, in 1974 and worked as a motorcycle repairman (riding motorcycles was one of his many passions) before settling into his second career in cable TV working for Tele-media and Adelphia. During this time, Bill and Dot just couldn't get the Navy way of life out of their blood and continued to move around the United States and lived in Wisconsin, North Carolina, Georgia and finally in Leesburg, FL until his passing. They made many friends along the way and enjoyed retirement to the fullest as they did the things they loved to do: riding motorcycles, square and round dancing, and camping with

their friends. Bill and Dot are members of the First Baptist Church of Leesburg. One of his first loves was Christian music.

The viewing will be held on Friday, November 18, 2011 at 10 a.m. with a Memorial service at 11 a.m. at the Beyer's Funeral Home in Leesburg, FL. Bill will be buried in the Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, Florida at 1 p.m. on Friday, November 18th.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the American Brain Tumor Association, ABTA, 8550 W. Bryn Mawr Ave., Ste 550, Chicago, IL 60631.

#### Visitation

The viewing will be held on Friday, November 18 from 10 - 11 a.m. at Beyer's Funeral Home in Leesburg, FL.

#### Services

A memorial service will be on Friday, November 18 at 11 a.m. at Beyer's Funeral Home in Leesburg, FL.

#### Interment

Bill will be buried in the Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, Florida at 1 p.m.

on Friday, November 18th.

### Memorial Donations

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# Tribute Wall



“ *William Nimmons*

October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Ann and Warren, Sorry to hear about the passing of your dad, Warren. Our deepest condolences to you and your family members. Jim and Bunnye Bomar*

**Jim (Sr.) and Bunnye Bomar** - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Mrs. Nimmons and family, Please accept our most heartfelt sympathies for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. Very Respectfully, The Tran Family*

**The Tran Family** - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Uncle Warren, Di Anh and the Nimmons Family, Both Chris and I want to extend our deepest sympathy on your dad's passing. I know that you and the kids will miss him dearly. By reading the obituary, we are certain that he has left you many happy memories to remember him by. May you find the strength to move forward with the confidence in knowing that his was a life well-lived. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. In Sympathy, Chris and Wanda*

**Chris and Wanda Lam** - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ Got to know Bill during trips with the Ford dealer shuttling cars..then even went for a motorcycle ride to Dade City with him & Dot. What fun! I was with him on his last trip driving. He was such a gentleman who truly loved his family and life, in general. We have missed him. Our condolences to the entire family. Even tho, we don't live in the community, if there's anything we can do to help. Give us a call.

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**Dick and Ann Springer** - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dot, Bill, Keith and Warren. You have Pam and my deepest sympathy. As you must know, Bill meant a lot to me. Meeting him over 30 years ago in Madison Fl when he came on board with Tele-Media Company and together we worked and had wonderful adventures in cable television systems in Florida, Georgia, S Carolina, N Carolina, Virginia and many more states. Dot, you remember much of that as you were also part of that TMC family. I admired Bill as not only was he a talented man and very dedicated to his work, his word and a dear friend but even more so as a wonderful Father to his children and a very dedicated husband to you his wonderful wife. Bill truly was a great man.

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**Tony & Pam Swain** - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM