



Mr. William Rupert Macpherson

October 3, 1942 - March 12, 2013

God took Bill home to heaven on Tuesday, March 12, 2013 after many years of suffering. He was born in Kew Gardens, NY on October 3, 1942. He attended The Citadel, The Military College of South Carolina and graduated in 1964. In 1965, he joined the United States Air Force in which he served 28 years, including a year in Vietnam. Bill was a Past Master of Masonic Lodge 150 St. Columbia and also a member of the American Legion Edwin Adams Post 293 in Waldorf and was also a member of the VFW Post 8810 in Waldorf.

He is survived by his wife Maureen and son Stuart who loved him dearly, and now miss him more than words can ever say.

Visitation will be on Saturday, March 23, 2013 from 6-8PM with a Masonic Service at 7PM at Raymond Funeral Chapel, 5635 Washington Avenue, La Plata, MD 20646.

He will be laid to rest at a later date at Arlington National Cemetery.

At the request of the family, rather than send flowers, you please make a donation to Charles County Hospice House, 2505 Davis Road, Waldorf, MD 20603.

Cemetery Details

Arlington National Cemetery

Arlington, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 23. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Service
5635 Washington Avenue
La Plata, MD 20646
(301) 934-2920
business.office@raymondfuneral.com
<https://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

Service

MAR 23. 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Service
5635 Washington Avenue
La Plata, MD 20646
(301) 934-2920
business.office@raymondfuneral.com
<https://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

Tribute Wall



“ He was also survived by two other children from his first marriage, daughter Ellen Paige Macpherson(Squyars) husband Anthony of Richmond, Va and William(Bill(y) Charles Macpherson wife Lisa of Wilmington, NC. As well as 5 grandchildren; Savannah, Megan, and Grant Squyars as well as Rylie and Tanner Macpherson.

Bill Macpherson - October 20, 2023 at 02:59 AM



Omg no one ever knew this everyone thought Stewart was a only child hopefully 🙏 he finds out about you guys and can connect now that he is alone & has no one

kt - May 30, 2024 at 06:52 AM



“ Mr. William Rupert Macpherson

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ Mr. William Rupert Macpherson

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ Still think of you most every day. Wonderful talk this evening with a relative.

Noone - June 15, 2022 at 12:18 AM



“ *Dad, I miss u. Please know that u are loved, cherished, missed and thought of each day & night. Please look after Mum, I miss her so dearly. I feel like an orphan. I can't believe you have both passed on. I miss u both so much !*

I truly hope that we may meet again !

I will pray, I will hope and I will miss u and love u both always !



Stuart Macpherson - January 10, 2019 at 12:21 AM

PA

“ *I still think of you every day. Rest in peace dear dear friend.*

Pat - July 06, 2018 at 02:45 AM

PE

“ *I miss laughing and being silly with you.*

Pete - April 08, 2014 at 06:34 PM

ST

“ *Merry Christmas Dad
Mum and I love u and miss u so much.
Lina is here and misses u and loves u too.
And of course Mia, Sunny and Ellie.
Please give our love to Sam, Echo, & all our other animals, family
and friends that surround you. <3*

Stuart - December 25, 2013 at 02:26 PM

ST

“ *It's Christmas day, the first Christmas without u.
It's so hard. I'm so upset. I miss you more than ever. More than anything. Mum surprised me with your ring that u asked her to give me, for the first Christmas that u weren't here. I'm so upset, hurt, proud yet sad. You are ALWAYS in my thoughts, prayers, memory and in my heart.
I hope one day you and I will meet again, and embrace, and make up for all the lost time.
I miss u Dad, I love you so much, I always have and I always will.*

Stuart - December 25, 2013 at 02:24 PM

SM

“ More than 5 months have passed, and im still full of pain, wondering if ill ever get to see u again.

*The days are so empty, the night are so long,
I still cant believe that you are so gone.*

I hope u look down from the heavens above, knowing that you're remebered, with oh so much love.

*I strive to live each day, to make u so proud,
To stand out in life, in love, in the crowd.*

*Each day brings me closer to being with you,
Though im often so lost, not knowing what to do.*

*My life has changed so, for the good not the bad,
Just wish I were happy, rather than so sad.*

*Your suffering has ended, but mine just begun,
Life has no meaning, back at square one,*

*I find myself asking, why gone so fast,
Wishing u were here, for life everlast.*

*Embracing emotion, if it ever once came,
So hard to bear sadness, forever the same.*

*Gone but not forgotten, u shall always remain,
Hoping to deal with my grief and my pain.*

*I pray for u, please do this for me too,
My father, my friend, no one like you.*

*Remain in my thoughts, dwell in my heart,
Together forever, and never to part.*

Rest in peace dear father, in the arms of the Lord,

Everlong, Ever After, always love, by my word.

Rest In Peace Dad. I Love You & I Miss You So Very Much. <3

Stuart W. Macpherson - August 15, 2013 at 01:18 AM

SH

“ *Shirene sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William Rupert Macpherson*



Shirene - May 23, 2013 at 12:34 AM

MA

“ *Maureen sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William Rupert Macpherson*



Maureen - May 17, 2013 at 04:03 PM

ST

“ *I'm at the nationals game now, I miss u more than words can say. its not nearly the same without u. I lost my hero, my friend and my gaming partner.
I think of u, miss u, and love u always dad. I'll see u in my dreams, remember u in my prayers and keep u in my memory and life.
Always & forever Dad.
i love u so much. Your son, Stuart*

stuart - April 04, 2013 at 05:25 PM

ST

“ I miss you more than ever Dad, so hard most days, knowing you're gone. I try to live my life to make u proud, difficult to hold my head high with sadness in my heart.
trying my best to take care of Mum. So difficult without you. I've lost my father, my friend and my hero. I miss u so much. Both, home and my life are empty without you. I'm thankful that your suffering is over, you battled long and hard. Definitely didn't deserve all the obstacles u had encounter. Just know that your family love you, your friends love you and we will always remember you, honor you and cherish your memory and your life.
I love you so much dad. Hoping each day brings peace to u, to me, to mum, to so many.
know that we'll all meet again some day. Just wish I could hug you and tell u how much I love u, how much u meant to me, how proud I was & am, and just have 1 more day with u. Love Always. Your Son, Stuart.

Stuart - March 28, 2013 at 12:53 AM

RR

“ Bill was a great man, a leader, a true friend and a mentor to many. He had actually called me one evening after hearing of my promotion to CMSgt a short time ago. I was so suprised to hear his voice. I treasure that more than anything. Bill you have a special place in my heart. Until we meet again my friend.

Ron Redding - March 24, 2013 at 09:51 AM

LO

“ Lori lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Rupert Macpherson



Lori - March 23, 2013 at 04:24 PM

KA

“ *Bill retired from the military as a LT. COL. in the AF. He also worked in retirement at Andrews Air Force Base trying to protect young soldiers from mines and weapons terrorist use. He was also a great dancer!*

Katie - March 23, 2013 at 03:44 PM

CA

“ *Cadet sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William Rupert Macpherson*



Cadet - March 23, 2013 at 01:38 AM

SA

“ *Sam sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William Rupert Macpherson*



Sam - March 22, 2013 at 11:10 PM

SP

*I am not sure whether or not I thanked you for your gift in memory of Bill. My life is filled with sadness and confusion right now but I do thank you from the bottom of my heart
Maureen*

spouse - May 13, 2013 at 03:20 PM

MA

“ *Maureen sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William Rupert Macpherson*



Maureen - March 22, 2013 at 11:08 PM

SS

“ *Stuart, His Son lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Rupert Macpherson*



Stuart, his son - March 22, 2013 at 11:05 PM



“ *Lina lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Rupert Macpherson*



lina - March 22, 2013 at 03:41 PM