



Dr. William Carl Botterbush

February 2, 1934 - February 26, 2015

Dr. William Carl Botterbush, 81, died at 11:45 a.m. Thursday, February 26, 2015 at his home in Bunker Hill. He was born in Alton on February 2, 1934 the son of the late Dr. Wilmer and Katherine (Rohrich) Botterbush. He retired in 1996 as a self-employed Optometrist, owning W.C. Botterbush O.D. in East Alton. He retired as a full commander in the U.S. Navy having served for 26 years and was a lifetime member of VFW Post 1308 in Alton. On November 23, 1954 in Alton he married Norma Jean Pratt and she preceded him in death on March 25, 2011.

Surviving are two sons; William Mark Botterbush of Brighton and Matthew Carl Botterbush (Victoria) of Athens, TN, four grandchildren; William Joseph Botterbush, Adam Charles Botterbush (Jaima), Jaclyn Nicole Botterbush and Nicholas Rodney Botterbush, two great grandchildren; Jaden Ann Botterbush and Jerra Lynn Botterbush. He was preceded in death by two brothers; Wilmer John Botterbush and Wilfred Eugene Botterbush.

Per his wishes he was cremated. Private services will be held at a later date.

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“ *Bill was a good man but Mark turned out to be a piece of shit.*

Nancy - March 28, 2024 at 01:49 AM



“ *Dr. William Carl Botterbush*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Dr. William Carl Botterbush*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Mark and Matt, so sorry to hear of your dad's passing. He and your mother were so nice to me. I loved being a part of your family during our high school years. Always so fun and generous. Hang on to those great memories. Think of you often, Mark.*

Mary Schenk Fleming - March 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mark & Matt,
We were so sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. Our thoughts and prayers go out to all of the family.*

*Sincerely,
Tony & Sue Certa*

Tony & Sue (Kruegel) Certa - March 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ I am so very sorry for your loss. I was a patient of your dad for many years and worked for him part-time while in high school. I thought very highly of your dad & mom...they were both very kind and they were so good to me. I feel truly blessed to have known them.

*With Sympathy,
Terri Courtright Yerkes*

Terri Yerkes - March 02, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ You have my deepest sympathy.

Mary Ann (Howard) Bray - March 01, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PK

“ Mark & Matt,
I just read that your dad passed away this past Thursday. The Botterbush's were wonderful neighbors for many years! My thoughts & prayers are with all of you!

Patti Kruegel - March 01, 2015 at 12:00 AM