



Mr. Bailey Easley Stimson

February 1, 1924 - November 18, 2020

Bailey Easley Stimson departed this life for his heavenly home 11/18/20 at age 96. Born February 1, 1924 in Atlanta, Ga. to Dr. & Mrs. Robert Stimson. Bailey grew up in Chattanooga, Tn. After high school at McCallie he attended Georgia Tech. Bailey served in the U.S. Navy from 6/43 to 7/46. His primary active duty was on the USS Puget Sound.

Bailey married Jane Gaertner August 31, 1947. They first met at age 16 at a Presbyterian youth conference at Maryville College in Tn. After marriage they lived in Knoxville, Tn until his graduation from University of Tennessee with a degree in electrical engineering. After graduation Bailey was employed by Tennessee Valley Authority. Bailey transferred to the Army Ballistic Missile Agency (ABMA) and moved to Brevard County Fl in 1956.

Bailey received his masters degree in business administration from Florida State University in 1964.

Bailey worked as chief of the Launch Facilities Division in the technical support directorate for NASA until his retirement.

Bailey was a active member of Merritt Island Presbyterian Church. Over the years he was active in many organizations including Habitat for Humanity & groups supporting the mentally handicapped.

Bailey is preceded in death by his wife Jane and is survived by his five children, sons Bill & Richard (Nancy), daughters Irene Gilmore (Bruce), Joy Toms (Randy), Betsy Rigney (John), 6 grandchildren & 7 great grandchildren.

A family celebration of Bailey's life will be at Cape Canaveral National Cemetery.

The family request that no flowers be sent. Donations may be made to Special Gathering.

Cemetery Details

Cape Canaveral National Cemetery

5525 US-1
Mims, FL 32754
(321) 383-2638

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Bailey Easley Stimson*

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