



Richard White

May 10, 1941 - December 8, 2018

Dr. Richard T. White ascended into heaven Saturday on 12/8/18 at the age of 77. He was blessed to pass in his Litchfield Beach, SC, home that he shared with his devoted wife Rory.

Dr. White was born in Binghamton, N.Y to Winifred and William White Sr. of Endicott, NY. He was the second of nine children born into a lively and loving household. Following high school he served in active combat as an Army medic in Vietnam. He attended college at SUNY, Binghamton, NY, and completed Medical School at Chicago College of Osteopathic Medicine, Chicago, IL. He went on to achieve his goals: physician, full professor, and Lieutenant General. He loved his medical family at the Bath VAMC. He was chief radiologist, president of medical staff, yet considered himself a “country radiologist”. Later in his career at the University of Rochester School of Medicine, he was able to share his love of teaching and mentorship as Professor of Radiology and Imaging Sciences. He respected and valued the medical community at Rochester School of Medicine greatly during his time there.

He was indeed devoted to being a lifelong learner, but he would drop everything for a family member, a friend or one in need. Anyone who had the pleasure of knowing him would soon learn he was a most generous soul who was dedicated to leaving the world a little better for those he left behind.

He was preceded in death by his mother Winifred, father William Sr., step mother, Ruth Ann White, four siblings: Mickey White and wife Alice, Thomas White, Barbara White, Bob White, and also Claire White (mother of Chris, Deirdre, and Douglas White). We miss them all dearly.

He is survived by his brothers William White Jr. and wife Dorothy of Philadelphia, PA, John

E. White and wife Linda of Kalamazoo, MI, Terry White and wife Sue of Apalachin, NY, sister, Mary Kay Smith of Whitehall, WI and sister-in-law, Betty White of Rochester, NY.

He was richly blessed with ten nieces and five nephews. He truly treasured the time he was able to spend in their company or in communication with them. May they continue to enjoy their memories of the conversations and humor shared in those experiences.

Dr. White's only son, Kevin White and wife Dana of Hillsborough, NC along with their 4 daughters Finley, Riley, Piper, Sawyer, and Kevin's mom Carole White of Birmingham, MI are dedicated to maintaining Papa's tradition of dancing in the rain together to keep the cherished memory of fun and laughter alive in their hearts.

In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to: BATH VA MEDICAL CENTER and Mailed to "Bath VA Medical Center, Attn: Voluntary Service (135), Bath, NY 14810." Please specify in memo account #1416 in honor of Dr. Richard T. White.

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Wayne Williams
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