



Herb Fitzgerald

March 18, 1939 - April 9, 2013

Herb Fitzgerald, of Murrells Inlet, SC, died peacefully in his home surrounded by his devoted wife, family and friends on April 9 after bravely battling cancer.

Herb was a loving husband, father, and grandfather. He is survived by his wife Sylvia Fitzgerald and his children: Mark Dean Fitzgerald (and partner Debbie) of SC; Angela Jean Dent (Joseph) of AL; Lisa Duncan-Wellons of SC; Dawn Kreigh (Terry); and BH Fitzgerald III of SC. He is survived by his loving grandchildren; Hunter-Bailey Duncan, Holden Dent, Carter Dent, Jaxson Dent, Meagan Fitzgerald, Laurin Fitzgerald, Sydney Fitzgerald, Tiara Duncan, Erin Duncan, and Keith "Bodie" Duncan. He is also survived by his mother, Macy Fitzgerald-Fusaro of NC, his sister Kitty Kingma (Dirk) of CA.

Visitation on Friday, April 12 from 6-8 pm at Goldfinch Funeral Home in Murrells Inlet. Funeral will be Saturday, April 13 at 2 pm at Low Country Community Church in Murrells Inlet followed by burial at Ocean Woods Cemetery in Myrtle Beach.

Herb was born in Charlotte, NC March 18, 1939. He attended UNC where he received his first degree in Mechanical Engineering and a second degree in engineering from NCSU. Herb served in the US Army for a combined eight years in the Army National Guard and Army Reserve. He was with Corning Glass Works and AVX for many years but is most notably known for his

service to the Real Estate community. Herb and Sylvia opened Fitzgerald Realty, Inc. in 1984 and began serving the community on many committees including the Realtor Assoc Nominating Committee, Chairman of the Membership and MLS committees and was recognized as Realtor of the Year in 1992. He served as President of the Board of Realtors in 1998. He supported charitable projects to include the Mark Sloan Memorial Golf Tournament, Beach Blast for Happy Days, Special Times, and the Junior World Golf League. His contributions to his community are praiseworthy.

Herb loved traveling with his wife and friends, was an avid golfer, a licensed pilot, and loved boating and fishing. He loved his devoted wife Sylvia, family, friends and community. Herb loved and respected everyone he met and he touched many lives, everyone benefited from knowing him.

The family would like to especially thank Amedisys Hospice, and dedicated family and friends who offered support throughout this difficult time.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made in Herb's name to MUSC Foundation, c/o Surgical Gastroenterology Research Fund, 18 Bee St, Charleston, SC 29425.

Additional information can be found at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **12.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Celebration Center
11528 Hwy 17 Bypass
Murrells Inlet, SC 29588
(843) 651-3295
info@goldfinchfuneralhome.com
<https://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com>

Service

APR **13.** 2:00 PM.

Low Country Community

Tribute Wall



“ Goldfinch Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Herb Fitzgerald



Goldfinch Funeral Home - April 09, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Brandy, Matt And Brayden Bergman lit a candle in memory of Herb Fitzgerald



Brandy, Matt and Brayden Bergman - April 18, 2013 at 05:51 PM

NJ

“ What a blessing to my life and many others! The last time I saw him he was telling me of a memory; that memory I can cherish forever with many more! He always had high spirits and a smile upon his face! You will be truly missed! Love you Uncle Herb!



Nina James - April 18, 2013 at 11:45 AM

SF

I love you Nina. Aunt Sylvia

sylvia Fitzgerald - October 02, 2013 at 07:38 PM

MV

“ My heart is heavy upon learning of Herb's passing. I met Herb when I worked at CCAR, he was a great President of the Association and was always kind and very helpful to all. Very professional, and fun loving, he was repected by all his peers. Herb will be missed and I am better for having known him. God Bless his family and friends and may the wonderful memories comfort the sorrow.



Mo Verna - April 16, 2013 at 09:20 AM

AB

“ I just found out about Herb passing away. I am glad I got a chance to know him and work for him. He is a great man and will be missed.

Angela Brown

Angela Brown - April 15, 2013 at 10:08 AM

TW

“ Trisha Whitaker lit a candle in memory of Herb Fitzgerald



Trisha Whitaker - April 13, 2013 at 08:36 PM

MA

“ Mary Allen lit a candle in memory of Herb Fitzgerald



Mary Allen - April 13, 2013 at 11:57 AM

GT

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this very difficult time.*

Gennie Taylor

Genevieve Taylor - April 12, 2013 at 11:16 PM

 Shirley
Brown

“ *To the Fitzgerald Family:*

In your sorrow, may there be peace....In your thoughts, may there be love....In your hearts, may there be healing. Psalm 147:3 promises: “He is healing the brokenhearted ones, and is binding up their painful spots.”

*My condolences,
SBA.*

Shirley Brown - April 12, 2013 at 09:12 PM

SB

“ *Sara & Charles Mikitin Daughter Of Berni lit a candle in memory of Herb Fitzgerald*



Sara & Charles Mikitin daughter of Berni - April 12, 2013 at 01:47 PM

SM

“ *Sara Mikitin lit a candle in memory of Herb Fitzgerald*



Sara Mikitin - April 12, 2013 at 01:44 PM

SS

“ *Dear Sylvia,*

I am so sorry for your loss. Herb will be dearly missed. He was always so sweet to me. His famous saying "I am glad you got to see me", I will always remember. Along with his smile. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Bruce, Stephanie & Paris Sorensen

Stephanie Sorensen - April 12, 2013 at 10:11 AM

DS

“ Dear Sylvia and Family,
Christy, Jack, Taylor and I want you to know that learning of Herb's passing has made us pause and reflect on the pain that you and your family are struggling through at a time of such great loss. Any words will most certainly fall short to sooth a loss so overwhelming.

Herb fought a tremendous fight against overwhelming odds of his illness. I cherish our friendship with highest regard in part for the time he gave to my family and to myself...such precious time he shared away from his own family. I will miss Herb, a true gentleman who gave so much of himself to so many.

Please always know that our thoughts and prayers remain with you and your family as you celebrate Herb's life and, as you say goodbye may you find solace and comfort in knowing that his memory and legacy will live on through you, your family and the friendships that he forged.

We pray that our Heavenly Father may sooth the anguish of your loss and leave you and your family only the cherished memories of Herb's gift of life.

God Bless, David

David Seagle - April 12, 2013 at 09:15 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Herb Fitzgerald.



April 12, 2013 at 08:50 AM

SD

“ I will miss Herb. He was a wonderful man and always had a smile for you. He fought a courageous battle and never gave up. He will be missed by all of us. God has a new angel and I know he will be watching over Sylvia and his family.

sharon delcorro - April 12, 2013 at 08:04 AM

AT

“ All the staff and friends at Home Accents II Furniture have our thoughts and prayers with Sylvia and our family during this time of grief.

Home Accents II Furniture

Amelia Toney - April 12, 2013 at 07:47 AM

TF

“ Sylvia and Family,
May the Lord comfort and keep you during your time of grief. So sorry for your loss.

*Staff and Management
Tropicasual Furniture
Murrells Inlet*

Tropicasual Furniture - April 12, 2013 at 05:58 AM



Thank you so much.

Mark Fitzgerald - April 17, 2013 at 10:38 AM

BI

“ *Berni H Fitzgerald III lit a candle in memory of Herb Fitzgerald*



Berni H Fitzgerald III - April 11, 2013 at 10:54 PM

AI

“ *Ali Daughter Of Berni Fitzgerald III lit a candle in memory of Herb Fitzgerald*



Ali daughter of Berni Fitzgerald III - April 11, 2013 at 10:50 PM



Big Hugg sweet.

Mark Fitzgerald - April 17, 2013 at 10:37 AM

LF

“ *Lorali Granddaughter Of Berni Fitzgerald lit a candle in memory of Herb Fitzgerald*



Lorali granddaughter of Berni Fitzgerald - April 11, 2013 at 10:47 PM



Huggs to you all.

Mark Fitzgerald - April 17, 2013 at 10:37 AM

WI

“ *Wahneeta Wife Of Berni Fitzgerald III lit a candle in memory of Herb Fitzgerald*



Wahneeta wife of Berni Fitzgerald III - April 11, 2013 at 10:22 PM



Thank you Wahneeta, hope your doing well too.

Mark Fitzgerald - April 17, 2013 at 10:36 AM

RF

“ *Dear Mark,
Our heartfelt love and condolences to you and your family. We will
keep you in our thoughts and hearts.
Rose & Michael Foggotte*

Rose Foggotte - April 11, 2013 at 05:01 PM



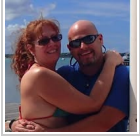
Rose, thank you so much.

Mark Fitzgerald - April 17, 2013 at 10:36 AM



“ *What can one say to a man who was always there for me. Dad I will
miss you so much and thank you for always being there when I
needed you. There will not be a day that goes by that I will not
remember something you told me or showed me.*

Mark Fitzgerald - April 11, 2013 at 12:15 PM



“ 5 files added to the album *Memories Of My Dad*



Mark Fitzgerald - April 11, 2013 at 12:13 PM