



## Jack Keefe

November 7, 1917 - April 4, 2014

Pawleys Island

Dr. Jack Edward Keefe III

Dr. Jack E. Keefe, III, of Lakes at Litchfield formerly of Miami, FL died Friday, April 4, 2014 at his home, in Pawleys Island, SC.

Born in Nashville, TN, he was the son of the late Jack E. Keefe, Jr. and Rosa Lee L. Keefe. Dr. Keefe was a 1939 graduate of Vanderbilt University and a 1943 graduate of Vanderbilt Medical School. He had served his internship at Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami, FL before entering the US Army in 1943 during which time, he served as battalion and regimental surgeon with the 505 and 506 Parachute Infantry Regiment of the 82nd Airborne Division during three World War II combat campaigns in Europe. Dr. Keefe served his residency at Protestant Hospital which is now Mid State Baptist Hospital in Nashville, TN from 1946 to 1947. He held an active general and family practice of medicine and surgery in Miami from 1947 until retiring in 1990. During those years, he served as founding member of the North Shore Hospital and served as President of the staff in 1955. He was awarded life membership in the Dade County Medical Association, Florida Association and The American Academy of Family Physician and became a Fellow of American Academy with a degree of F.A.A.F.P.. Dr. Keefe was a Master

Mason of #315 , Mahi Shrine and Jesters Court #88 Past Director all of Miami, FL. He was a member of Belin United Methodist Church. A sister, Mary Ann Williams preceded him in death.

Surviving are his wife, Elizabeth R. Keefe of Pawleys Island and two nieces, Gail Wilson of Lake Lure, NC and Tina Lane of Columbia, SC and a sister Betty Harless of Columbia, SC.

Services will be private.

Sign a guestbook at [www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com](http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Litchfield/Pawleys Chapel is in charge of arrangements

# Tribute Wall



“ I only met "Uncle Jack" a few times, but reveled as a boy in his stories. Jack was slick, a great storyteller, and a larger than life figure to us Bream boys. He will be missed!

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**Peter Bream** - April 18, 2014 at 03:34 PM



“ Dr. Keefe was a great man. He had accomplished many things in his life time. I only had the honor of knowing him in his finally weeks, I send my thoughts and prayers to his wife & family .

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**Julie** - April 07, 2014 at 11:38 AM



“ RIP Soldier !!!!



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**Wayne Williams - USMC** - April 06, 2014 at 08:43 PM