



James Christopher

July 10, 1928 - February 26, 2015

Myrtle Beach

James Heyward "Chris" Christopher, Jr., 86 of Myrtle Beach slipped peacefully into the eternal arms of God, Thursday, February 26, 2015 at Grand Strand Health Care.

Born in Pamplico, SC, he was the son of the late James H. and Virgie Christopher. Chris was raised in Conway where he was voted best dancer of his high school class. He was awarded a partial football scholarship to the Citadel and until his death, he could still recite the freshman's answer to the challenge presented by upper classmen to ???Knobs???. He met his wife Helen at a dance in the old wooden Myrtle Beach Pavilion and they enjoyed a wonderful 58 year love affair. He had a passion for photography, which he shared with his best friend, Billy Roberts. Because of this, the family has many pictures to relive memories. Chris retired from the US Air Force in 1976 after 26 years of service. He loved cars, the Dallas Cowboys and his grandchildren. He will be deeply missed. His wife Helen Owens Christopher and his sister, Lillian Christopher Hardwick both preceded him in death.

Surviving are his daughters, Sharon Christopher Beckham (John) and Susan Christopher West (Danny); grandchildren, Stephanie Beckham Hensell, Stacey Beckham Cutler, Natali West Spritzer (Mark), Jonathan West and

Daniel West and great grandchildren, Ethan and Autumn Spritzer.

Services will be 2:00 PM, Monday, March 2, 2015 at Socastee United Methodist Church with the family receiving friends one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow in Ocean Woods Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Veterans Welcome Center, 421 Hwy 57, Little River, SC 29566.

Sign a guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

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“ *RIP Airman !!!!*
Wayne Willians
United States Marine Corps



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