



Raymond James Molkenthin

August 2, 2010

Dr. Raymond J. Molkenthin Raymond (Ray) Molkenthin, 81, of Pawleys Island, SC, passed away Friday, July 30, 2010 as a result of a heart attack. Born August 24, 1928 in Nutley, NJ, he was the son of Leo and Ellen Molkenthin. He graduated from Nutley High School in 1946; attended Seton Hall University and graduated Temple University School of Dentistry in 1954. Ray served in the U.S. Public Health Service under the U.S. Coast Guard Cape May, N.J. 1954-1956. He married Geraldine Alley in 1953 in Nutley, NJ. Ray and Cherie were long time residents of Franklin Lakes, NJ. Ray opened his dental practice in Wyckoff in 1956 and retired in 1988. The couple spent their summers at Beaver Lake, NJ where they owned a house for more than thirty years and where Ray served as President of The Beaver Lake Realty Co. In retirement, Ray loved playing golf, working in his gardens and on the interiors of his homes first at the River Club and then at Willbrook Plantation. Ray served on the Willbrook Plantation Community Association from 2003 to 2005. Surviving are son Michael Molkenthin and daughter-in-law Elizabeth Krall, and grand-children, Flynn, Benjamin, and Sophia of Rock Fall, CT; and son Steven Molkenthin and daughter-in-law Allison Gush, and grand-children Allegra, Christina, and Octavia of Darien, CT. The family plans on a private memorial service in Verbank, NY. In lieu of sending flower arrangements, the family requests that any donations be made in memory of Ray to American Heart Association, Mid Atlantic Affiliate, 1113 44th Ave. North, Suite 200, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577. AHA phone 843-282-2907.