



Wayne Conrad Liles

June 5, 2006

Dr. Wayne C. Liles, accomplished general surgeon and beloved husband and father, passed away Monday, June 5, 2006, at Conway Medical Center following a long battle with Alzheimer's Disease. He was 71. Dr. Liles was born in Alexander City, Alabama, the son of the late Willie Conrad Liles and Ethel Solone Solley. He attended the University of Alabama where he earned his bachelor's degree in August of 1955 and became the youngest in his class to earn a degree in medicine in June of 1958. Dr. Liles completed his medical internship at Jefferson Davis Hospital, now Baylor University, in Houston, Texas. In September 1959, Dr. Liles joined the United States Air Force as Flight Surgeon. After serving three years in the military, he was invited to complete his surgical residencies at University Hospital Birmingham in Alabama and Forsythe Memorial Hospital Winston-Salem in North Carolina. Upon finishing his tenure in North Carolina, Dr. Liles obtained his license in Kentucky, where he opened a private practice in Henderson as a General Surgeon in July, 1966. A highly respected member of the Henderson County Medical Society and Chief of Surgery at Henderson County Hospital, Dr. Liles touched numerous lives with his vast medical knowledge and refined skills. In March 1987, Dr. Liles closed his successful practice of 23 years in Kentucky and returned to the USAF as a Lieutenant Colonel. A veteran, he served during Operation Desert Storm receiving both a Meritorious Service Medal and the Air Force Commendation Medal for outstanding service during that time. From March 1987 through December 1994, Dr. Liles served as General

Surgeon and Chief of Surgical Services at Tyndall AFB in Panama City, Florida, the 51st Medical Group at Osan AFB in Korea, Myrtle Beach AFB in South Carolina, and Moody AFB in Georgia. A Board Certified surgeon, Dr. Liles was a member of the American College of Surgeons, Southeastern Surgical Congress and Southern Medical Association, among many others, throughout his extensive career. Until he became ill, Dr. Liles enjoyed keeping up to date on medical advancements, business news, animal welfare, golf, travel and University of Alabama football. He is survived by his wife, Janet, and their daughter, Andrea, who reside in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in his name to Alzheimer's Association, 225 N. Michigan Ave., Fl. 17, Chicago, Ill. 60601-7633 1.800.272.3900. A memorial service will be held for family and friends at Benton-Glunt Funeral Home, 629 S. Green Street in Henderson, Kentucky, on Wednesday, June 14.

Tribute Wall



“ Janet We only recently found out about the loss of Wayne. Rick and I have many wonderful memories of such a great man. We will always treasure the time we spent with you and Wayne. All our love and sympathy###imported-begin###Susan Lane and Rick Bonney###imported-end##

July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Janet & Andrea, My prayers go out to both of you in your loss. In this difficult time, I pray you both find peace as you remember the good times together. May God Bless you both.###imported-begin###Brenda Bellamy###imported-end##

June 09, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ In a perfect world we could all be there with you on June 14th but be sure not to forget you and Andrea are in our thoughts and prayers###imported-begin###Judy Lilly###imported-end##

June 08, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ JANET AND ANDREA, I WAS SO SORRY TO HEAR OF THE LOSS OF YOUR HUSBAND AND DAD. READING HIS OBITUARY I CAN SEE THAT HE WAS A VERY SPECIAL MAN. I WILL KEEP YOU BOTH IN MY PRAYERS. MAY GOD BLESS YOU. LOVE PENNY###imported-begin###PENNY REYES###imported-end##

June 08, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Janet and Andrea, You both have been in my thoughts and prayers these past few weeks. I am so sorry for your loss. May God give you strength in this most difficult time. Adrienne##imported-begin##Adrienne Greer##imported-end##

June 07, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Janet and Andrea~ I am very sorry to hear of your loss. I am thinking of you often and keeping you in my prayers. ~Tammi Cole~##imported-begin##Tammi Cole##imported-end##

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