



## William Arthur Dittrich

August 30, 1928 - June 22, 2016

Myrtle Beach.....William A. Dittrich

William Arthur Dittrich age 87, died Wednesday, June 22, 2016 at Grand Strand Regional Medical Center.

Born in Cincinnati, Ohio, he was a son of the late Arthur and Edith Dittrich. Mr. Dittrich was a WWII United States Marine Corp veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Jo Ann Dittrich; children, Teri Hassell and her husband Ernie, James Dittrich and his wife Kara, Karen Dittrich and husband John McCord, Diane Dittrich and Stephanie Dittrich; grandchildren, Maria and Julie Falise.

A gathering of family and friends will be held from 2:00-4:00 PM Saturday, June 25, 2016 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel.

Sign an online guestbook at [www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/obituaries](http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/obituaries)

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, 7272 Greenville Ave. Dallas, TX 75231.

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **25**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Thanks for your service Marine  
Job Well Done  
Semper Fi  
Wayne Williams  
United States Marine Corps



Wayne Williams - USMC - June 27, 2016 at 10:02 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of William Arthur Dittrich.



June 24, 2016 at 05:11 PM



“ Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of William Arthur Dittrich.



June 24, 2016 at 12:01 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William Arthur Dittrich.*



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June 24, 2016 at 10:01 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss Joan, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*  
*Bill and Maggie Clark*

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**Bill and Maggie Clark** - June 24, 2016 at 04:23 AM



“ *Bob Greenhalgh and Rand Mayo purchased the Blooming Garden Basket for the family of William Arthur Dittrich.*



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**Bob Greenhalgh and Rand Mayo** - June 23, 2016 at 10:58 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss Karen. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*  
*Mandi Bennett-Osmose*

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**MAndi** - June 23, 2016 at 06:56 AM

JM

“ When I think of Bill I think of words. Generosity, Time, Love. Bill was almost generous to a fault. When we would go out to eat Bill was grabbing the check. We would go play golf, Bill wanted to pay. If I had a project to do Bill was there with his tools, or his paint brush or whatever that was required to do the task at hand. If I needed to run an errand then Bill would say let me take you. I once got a disassembled TV mount from Jimmy. It sat at my house for about a month as I contemplated putting it together. Bill came over while I was at work and he worked on it for 5 hours putting it together. If Stephanie or Karen were moving then Bill was there to help. If the kids needed a car then Bill had his check book out. Time was what Bill would give you. Something so many of us have so little to share. Bill would listen to you, he would play games, he would prepare meals and do chores that you didn't have time for. We ran out of time with Bill, but the time he gave us is well remembered. Love was what Bill had for his precious Jo Ann. I think after 59 years he loved her just as much as the day he married her. He planned his trips, his days, his future and his past always with Jo Ann in the forefront of his thoughts. He would sparkle when he was talking about Karen, or Terri, Dianne and Stephanie. Each of them had qualities that he admired. And before I met Jimmy, Bill had bragged to me so much about his golf game I thought I was to meet the next Jack Nicholas. Bill loved his family and his friends and it showed. He was a true gentleman. We will miss you my friend.

John

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**John McCord** - June 23, 2016 at 04:22 AM