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| Name | Arthur A. Richmond '42 | Residence | Annapolis,MD | Date of Death | 09/27/2016 |
| Age | 97 | Date of Birth | 10/26/1919 | | |

Obituary / Death Notice

Dr. Arthur A. Richmond III, a Professor of History for over thirty years at the United States Naval Academy and resident of Annapolis since 1954, passed away on September 27th. Art was a World War II Army veteran who served in New Guinea and the Philippines. During his service he met a lovely Australian girl named Eugenie Philomene "Phil" Hobbins. They were married in Brisbane in 1945. Art and Phil, who died in 2008, loved to travel and play golf. During frequent trips to Phil's native land they often stopped in New Zealand, a country they came to love and where they played some fifty different golf courses. After a golfing trip to Scotland, Art joked about Phil spending a night in Tom Weiskoph's bedroom. Actually they both did in a hotel where Weiskoph had stayed while playing the British Open at Royal Lythem and St. Annes. Before embarking to the Pacific during the war Arthur played Pebble Beach wearing Army boots. Art and Phil were long time members of the Naval Academy Golf Course. Arthur's other love was Blair Academy, a preparatory school in Blairstown, NJ attended by generations of Richmond men. Arthur provided generous support to this institution as he did for many educational programs. After Blair, Art attended **Williams College** where he graduated as a member of the Phi Beta Kappa Society in an accelerated program designed to get young men into uniform quickly. He received his PHD in History from Yale University after the war. Arthur was born October 26, 1919 in Orange, New Jersey, to the late Arthur Archibald Richmond, Jr. and Mary Budd Richmond. He is preceded in death by his sister Nancy Budd Richmond and brother John "Jack" C. Richmond. Arthur and Phil are survived by three children, Harvey Wallace Richmond and his wife Cynthia, of Annandale, VA, Brenda Margaret Richmond of Crofton, MD, and Hugh Murray Richmond of Ocean City, MD; two grandchildren, Amanda Jane Richmond and Edward "Ned" Packard Richmond; and two great grandchildren, Elliette "Ellie" Dow Richmond and Wallace Packard Richmond. The family will hold a private ceremony to honor Arthur's long, full life of achievement. Friends of the family are invited to make a donation in the name of Arthur A. Richmond III to either the Johns Hopkins Sidney Kimmel Cancer Center, PO Box 17029, Baltimore, MD 21297 or at 410-361-6391, or to the Hospice of the Chesapeake John & Cathy Belcher Campus, Philanthropy Department, 90 Ritchie Hwy., Pasadena, MD, 21122 or at 410-987-2003 or 800-745-6132 Service Private

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