



Frank Edward Borgsmiller

March 9, 1932 - July 16, 2006

Frank Edward Borgsmiller, age 74, formerly of Murphysboro, IL passed away at 1:40 a.m. Sunday, July 16, 2006, at Chippenham Hospital in Richmond, VA. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Friday, July 21, 2006 at Pettett Funeral Home with Father Gary Gummersheimer officiating and burial at St. Andrew Cemetery. Friends may call from 10:30 a.m. Friday at the funeral home. Memorials made be made to the donor's choice.

Frank was born on March 9, 1932, in Murphysboro, to John F. Borgsmiller and Morene E. (Davis) Borgsmiller.

Mr. Borgsmiller served in the United States Navy during the Korean Conflict and he played on the Navy's basketball team while serving.

After graduating from Southern Illinois University with a bachelors degree in accounting, he began his career with Borg-Warner in finance and subsequently moved into operations. He held a number of executive positions with corporations such as Textron, Bell & Howell and Acorn Industries before realizing his entrepreneurial aspirations by acquiring his own company, Noel Industries.

Frank was an avid golfer and also enjoyed writing poems and short stories.

He married to Nancy Buerman on July 15, 1977 and she survives.

Other survivors include four children Frank Edward Borgsmiller, Jr. and his wife Susan Borgsmiller of Plano, TX, Rebecca Marie Russell and her husband Steve Russell of Keller, TX, Danielle Mielck and her husband Edmund Mielck of Charlottesville, VA, and Lindsey Borgsmiller of Richmond, VA;

five grandchildren Logan Borgsmiller, Lainey Borgsmiller, Savannah Borgsmiller, Kyle Russell, and Tonya Russell;
one brother Robert J Borgsmiller of Skagway, AK.
He was preceded in death by his parents, and two brothers John Borgsmiller, Jr. and Fritz Borgsmiller.

Tribute Wall



“ *Frank Edward Borgsmiller*

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“ *Frank and I were contemporaries. We attended St. Andrew's Grade School and Murphysboro Township High School together. In grade school we were friends and played together, and I think we often served mass together as acolytes. In high school we went our separate ways - Frank was a leading athlete. After graduation I entered the Air Force and never heard of him again. In retirement I have been more active in family history and genealogy, having written a book called "Life Writing". This has lead me to do Internet searches of the names of old companions, and thus brought me here today, August 25, 2013, far too late to renew old acquaintances.*

Bill Hofmann - August 25, 2013 at 06:50 PM