



Dr. Ted Mason George

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Dr. Ted Mason George, age 94 of Nashville, passed away on July 26, 2017. The youngest of nine children born in Lewisburg, TN to William Cullen and Myrtle Mooney George, he was preceded in death by his parents, his siblings and his wife, Jean Fisher George.

Dr. George was salutatorian for his graduating class at Morgan School, Petersburg, TN and received his B.A., M.A., and Ph.D. in Physics from Vanderbilt University. He was on the faculty at Vanderbilt U., Murray State College, KY, Furman U., Greenville, SC and was Chair of the Department of Physics and Astronomy at Eastern Kentucky University in Richmond, KY, 1964-1988.

Dr. George was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society, and held memberships in a number of professional organizations. He was the recipient of the 1976 award of the Kentucky Association for Progress in Science for making the greatest contribution to science in KY during that year. He has published papers in physics both in the U. S. and abroad and has been the recipient of other awards for his contributions to science.

His favorite activities included water aerobics, fine dining and symphony concerts. He had a lifelong camaraderie with pals from college days who took annual treks to the Smokies. He has explored and supported his love of science, history, nature, classical music and ballet, and has been an avid traveler throughout his life. He volunteered his financial expertise to senior citizens on a regular basis.

During World War II, Ted served in the Signal Corps in England, Belgium, France and Germany where he survived the Battle of the Bulge.

Ted is survived by numerous devoted nieces, nephews, friends and his beloved companion, Orpha Schrag. Nothing kept him from spending as much time as possible with family, always



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lending his gentle, enthusiastic and loving support. His kindness, his integrity, delightful sense of humor and insatiable curiosity will long be remembered by all who knew him.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, August 2, 2017 from 10 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. and a Memorial Service with military honors will begin at 1 p.m. in the Chapel at Spring Hill Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Ted M. George Scholarship fund at Eastern Kentucky University or a charity of your choice.






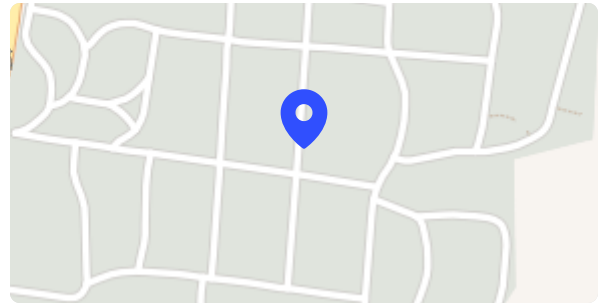
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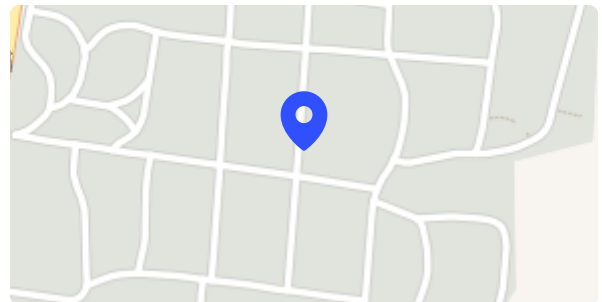
Visitation

-  **Wednesday**, August 2, 2017
-  10:00 AM - 1:00 PM CT
-  **Spring Hill Funeral Home**
5110 Gallatin Pike S, Nashville TN 37216





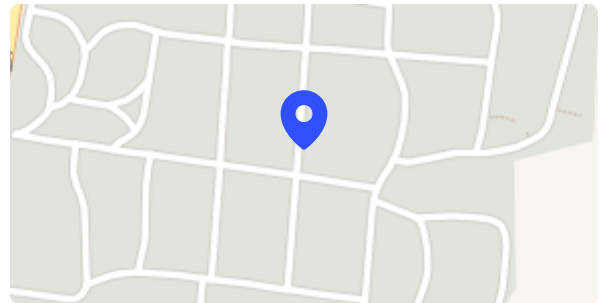
Celebration Of Life Funeral Ceremony

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Cemetery Details

-  **Spring Hill Cemetery**
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-  **615-866-1419**





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Susan Stockard posted:

I so loved "Uncle Dr. Ted! I met him thru both his sister "Miss Katherine" and his niece Miss Ann West, my dear sweet friend. Dr. George is undoubtedly the most brilliant man I have ever known and yet never once talked down to me. He had a wonderful sense of humor and delighted in kindly teasing "literal" me! He reminded me of the good things I loved about my Dad and thought me quite wonderful for playing Bluegrass Mandolin. I will cherish his memory and delight in my belief that he is now joyfully dancing in air with "Miss Katherine" in the Great Beyond

August 15 at 7:11 AM



Marja lit a candle in honor of Ted.

The first (and last) time I met dr. Ted it was with my dear friend Ann, in the home he was then staying. He made an unforgettable impression for his mental strength and his appealing wit. I'm very sorry I won't be able to meet with him again but I wish him a journey I would wish for myself. I will always remember him. Marja van der Heijden Wassenaar The Netherlands



August 6 at 12:26 AM



Diane Overstreet posted:

Ted will be missed by all his friends at the Centennial Sportsplex Water Aerobics class that he attended for many years. His smile, bright personality and friendships will always be remembered. RIP dear friend! Diane Overstreet Water Aerobics Instructor Centennial Sportsplex

August 1 at 1:45 PM



Kay Jordan posted:

I am so sorry to hear of Ted's passing. He was such a sweet man. I was in water aerobics class with him and my husband enjoyed talking to him at the sports center. One day I overheard him mention to someone that he was from Petersburg and told him so was my father. It turned out that he went to school with my father and knew some of my relatives. He was such a joy to be around and talk to and was truly missed when he had to stop coming for health reasons. Our deepest condolences to his family and friends. Kay and John Jordan

July 31 at 1:02 PM



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Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the George family.



July 31 at 8:34 AM



Ann West shared an album called **Photos of Ted.**



July 30 at 6:00 AM



Ann West shared 5 photos to the **Photos of Ted** album.

July 30 at 6:00 AM



Enjoying the castles on the Rhine



Sweethearts



Dinner on the Rhine



Birthday Boy



Ted during World War II



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Ted by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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