

Frederick Russell Liewehr

January 22, 2016 Resided in Mechanicsville, VA

Obituary

LIEWEHR, Dr. Frederick Russell, DDS, MS, of Mechanicsville, Va., passed away at 2:30 p.m. on Friday, January 22, 2016, at Retreat Doctors' Hospital in Richmond, Va. Born and raised in Chicago, Ill., he attended the University of Iowa Dental School and served for 22 years in the Army Dental Corps, retiring with the rank of Colonel. In 2004, he moved to Richmond to chair the Endodontics Department at Virginia Commonwealth University. Following retirement from VCU, he continued his endodontics career on a part-time basis at McGuire V.A. Hospital and other dental practices. A devout Catholic, he was a member of St. Benedict Catholic Church, serving in both the choir and the Knights of Columbus. His passions included hunting, fishing and playing the bass guitar with "The Hullabaloos," a Richmond band dedicated to the great music of the 60s and 70s. He is survived by Michelle, his loving wife of 45 years; his son, Scott Liewehr (Sheila); daughters, Mary Liewehr Choi (Joseph) and Virginia Liewehr Woo (Albert); and his seven grandchildren, Nicholas, Justin and Kayla Liewehr, Johan and Michelle Choi, and Jacob and Claire Woo. The family will receive friends at Bliley's-Central, 3801 Augusta Ave., on Wednesday, January 27, from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m., with a rosary and a time of remembrances at 7 p.m. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Thursday, January 28, at St. Benedict Catholic Church with the interment to follow in Mt. Calvary Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be sent to St. Benedict Catholic Church, 300 N. Sheppard St., Richmond, Va. 23221.

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