



William J. "Bill" Groth Jr.

August 8, 1926 - April 15, 2018

William J. Groth Jr., the seventh child of William Groth Sr. and Johanna M. Groth nee Tacke, passed away in Naples, FL on April 15, 2018. He was born on August 8, 1926 in Ardsley, NY where he lived with parents, his grandmother, and 9 siblings.

After graduating from the Ardsley High School in 1944, William enlisted in the Navy and served in the South Pacific during WWII. He married Alice Schwartz on October 31, 1948 and had 2 children, Billy and Laurie. Alice and William shared 69 ½ years of marriage. They have 3 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren.

William joined the Ardsley Police Department in 1954 and rose to the rank of Lieutenant before retiring in 1985. His son Billy also served in the same department.

He was a long time member of the Ardsley Methodist Church and served as chairman of the Board of Trustees.

They retired to Florida in 1985. They joined First Presbyterian Church of Bonita Springs, where William will be interred in Resurrection Garden.

Online condolences may be offered to the family by visiting www.ShikanyFune

ralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

First Presbyterian Church of Bonita Springs Resurrection Garden

9751 Bonita Beach Road
Bonita Springs, FL 34135

Tribute Wall



“ Hello Groth family, I am the grandson of Mabel E Groth aka Mrs John J Boyle of NY . I just wanted to extend my deepest condolences. I've started tracing back our family history and it led me here. May you all find peace and comfort. Respectfully- John R. Boyle , Ledyard CT

John Boyle - April 21 at 09:13 PM



“ William J. "Bill" Groth Jr.

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ May faith, love and peace guide you during this sad time. Our deepest sympathy to all the family. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

Karen & Stu Lord

karen lord - April 20, 2018 at 05:46 AM



Alice I just heard about this and have wonder about you two for these last years. I miss sitting next to you in Church. My deepest sympathy to you and your family.

Charlotte Friede

Charlotte Friede - May 03, 2018 at 02:51 PM