



## William Peters

August 25, 1923 - April 9, 2016

William H. Peters III, 92, of Naples, FL, formerly from Allendale and Bay Head, NJ, passed away April 9, 2016. In Naples, FL.

He is survived by his wife of 18 years, Patricia Bond Peters; son, William of New York, NY; daughters, Jane Greenway of Charleston, SC and New York, NY, Margaret Peters of Summit, NJ, Rosemary Costello of Darien, CT and Patricia A. Peters of New York, NY; step-daughter Christine Lewis, and 6 grandchildren and 2 step-grandchildren. He was predeceased by wife of 46 years, Rosemary Sullivan Peters; mother, Josephine C. Peters; brother, Theodore of East Williston, NY; sisters, Lucille Duffy of Westhampton Beach, NY and Josephine Gannon of Ft. Carson, CO.

Bill served in U.S. Marine Corps during WW2, made 6 combat landings in the Pacific Theatre, and received 3 Purple Heart decorations for wounds received.

Spending his entire business career in the decorative fabric industry, he was VP United Merchants, J.P. Stevens and Burlington Industries. He founded William H. Peters Inc., home furnishing consultants, where he was president until retirement in 1992.

He served as Trustee of Sacred Heart R.C. Church, where he was a member of the Holy Name Society, secretary of Bay Head Improvement Association

and long-time volunteer at Ocean County Medical Center.

His love of golf was fulfilled while a member of Manasquan River Golf Club and Arcola and Stonebridge Country Clubs. He was also a member of NJ Seniors Golf Association and the Metropolitan Golf Association, where he served as an official. However, some of his favorite golf experiences were when he was caddying for Babe Ruth.

Always cheerful, friendly, caring and humorous, Bill loved being with people almost as much as they loved being with him.

April 30th, there will be a 10:00 a.m. memorial mass at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church, 625 111th Avenue N, Naples, FL 34108, immediately followed by a gathering of friends at Stonebridge Country Club, Naples, FL.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Rosary Hill Home, 600 Linda Avenue, Hawthorne, NY 10532, 914/769-0114, or Wounded Warriors at [www.woundedwarriorproject.org](http://www.woundedwarriorproject.org).

# Tribute Wall



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October 09, 2023 at 02:01 AM



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January 28, 2023 at 12:09 PM



“ *Semper Fi Marine, now you will be "Guarding the Streets of Heaven" ~  
JCM ~ USMC 62~68*

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