



Walter Mathews Christopher Jr.

September 12, 2016

Walter Mathews Christopher Jr. fortified by the sacraments died on Monday, September 12, 2016 at the ripe young age of 90.

Loving son to the late Charity M. (née Roberts) and Walter M. Christopher Sr; beloved husband of 64 years to Carol M. Christopher (née McRae); loving father of Connie (Gary) Clifford, Kimberlee (Michael) Duda, Jeffry Christopher, David (Laura) Christopher, Daniel (Kelly) Christopher and Thomas (Paula) Christopher; dear "Papa" to 18 grandchildren; Richard, Kaitlin, John, Mikey, Kimberly, Daniel, Christopher, Matthew, Kerry, Grace, Stephen, Ben, Patrick, Emily, Aaron, Megan, Jessica and Alexandra; dear brother to Dr. Robert (Doreen) Christopher; dear "Great Papa" to 10 great grandchildren; Jack, Tyson, Taylor, Mark, Matthew, Cecilia, Verity, Tucker, Rory and Will. Dear uncle, cousin and friend to many. Walter loved his faith, especially devoted to Mary the Virgin Mother.

He was a proud veteran of WWII and honor graduate of the University of Notre Dame. Walt was, above all, a devoted husband and family man; an avid sailor, enthusiastic camper, accomplished businessman, card shark, athlete and a passionate Notre Dame Fan. GO IRISH!

Services: Memorial Mass 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, September 20th, at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, 7900 Bee Ridge Rd. Sarasota, FL 34241.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in his name to Fisher House Foundation @ donate.fisherhouse.org. Please provide the following email address for family notification X24family@gmail.com.

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“ *My sincere condolences to the family of Walter Christopher Jr. May you find comfort in your loving memories, and in God's promise to soon "swallow up death forever" and "wipe away the tears from all faces." (Isaiah 25;8) With deepest sympathy,*

v. thompson - September 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM