



William Bagot Searson III

April 28, 1937 - December 5, 2023

William Bagot Searson, III, 86, of Charleston, passed away on Tuesday, December 5, 2023.

He was the husband of Sharron Allen Searson and the son of the late William Bagot Searson, Jr. and the late Dorothy Rodgers Searson of Meggett, SC. He was born on April 28, 1937, at Riverside Infirmary in Charleston, SC.

Mr. Searson attended St. Paul's High School, Hollywood, SC but graduated from the preparatory high school of Georgia Military College, Milledgeville, GA. He completed his freshman year at The Citadel and graduated from the University of South Carolina in 1960 with a BS degree in Geology.

He retired as Maintenance Officer from the Charleston County School District after 25 years of service. He was a past member of the Hollywood Exchange Club, James Island Yacht Club, SC School Plant Management Assoc., SC Historical Society and the Charleston Elks. He served as vestryman at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Meggett, treasurer at St. Alban's Episcopal Church, Kingstree; junior warden and layreader at St. John's (Oakland) Episcopal Church, Charleston; senior warden, layreader and parish agent at Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Charleston. He also attended several Diocesan Conventions as a delegate. He began his service to the church as an acolyte at St. Michael's and All Angels Episcopal Church in Anniston, AL at the age of 6. Mr.

Searson was the author of the book "From the Land of Vikings", a genealogical record of the Searson family in South Carolina.

Mr. Searson is survived by his wife, Sharron Searson; four children: Andrea L. Searson of Charleston, Hope S. Picquet (LaMotte) of Hollywood, William B. Searson, IV (Sherry) of Ravenel, and Tracy S. Causby (Mike) of Charleston; six grandchildren: Travis Picquet (Ashley), Morgan P. Howell (Frank), Parrish Clontz, Dylan Searson (Kristi), Kole Searson, Caroline Searson; Great-grandchildren: Trayce Picquet, Riley Picquet, Skyler Picquet, and Holly Howell; two step-children: Denice Ann Jones (Michael) of Williamsburgh, VA, David Allen Graham (Anna) of Beaufort. He was predeceased by his first wife, Llewellyn Donaldson Searson, on July 16, 2012.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend his funeral service at Christ-St. Pauls Church, 4981 Chapel Rd., Hollywood, SC, on Friday, December 8, 2023, at 1 o'clock. Interment to follow in the church cemetery. Friends may call at James A. Dyal Funeral Home Summerville from 6 to 8 o'clock on Thursday, December 7, 2023.

Flowers will be accepted, or memorials may be made to: Christ-St. Paul's Anglican Church Cemetery Fund, PO Box 426, Hollywood, SC 29449.

Cemetery Details

Christ St. Paul's Church Cemetery

4981 Chapel Road
Yonges Island, SC 29449

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

James A. Dyal Funeral Home
303 S. Main Street
Summerville, SC 29483
(843) 873-4040
<https://www.jamesadyal.com>

Funeral Service

DEC 8. 1:00 PM (ET)

Christ St Pauls Episcopal
4981 State Rd S-10-1160
Hollywood, SC 29449
(843) 889-2820

Tribute Wall



“ James A Dyal Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of William Bagot Searson III



James A Dyal Funeral Home - December 07, 2023 at 02:01 PM

ES

I'm so sorry for your loss. May your Daddy rest peacefully in paradise and you all find peace and comfort through this very difficult time. Love you all. English & Chris Sieber

English & Chris Sieber - December 08, 2023 at 05:40 PM

JM

“ *Loved playing poker with Bill for many years. Those were some good times. Pretty good player too. Took some cash off me. Miss his humor and poker style. RIP*
Julian Miller

julian miller - December 08, 2023 at 02:45 PM

TS

Thank you so much for commenting. We will miss him forever.❤️

Tracy searson - December 12, 2023 at 10:40 PM

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Biffy, Trey, Brandon & Bailey - December 07, 2023 at 02:43 PM

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Bosie and Ivy Picquet - December 07, 2023 at 01:45 PM



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