



Douglas B. Craig

July 2, 1935 - September 15, 2019

Douglas (Doug) Butler Craig, formerly of Cincinnati, Ohio, departed to join the Lord on Sunday, September 15th at Carriage Court Senior Living facility in Marysville, Ohio. He was born on July 2, 1935 in Cincinnati, the son of Dorothy Butler Craig and Albert Edward Craig and brother to Patsy. He attended Hyde Park Elementary and Withrow High School, and served our country in the U.S. Air Force before graduating from the University of Cincinnati in 1960. He was employed by the University of Cincinnati Alumni Office. Doug was an avid sports fan and participated in Tennis, Baseball and Golf with his many dear friends throughout his life. He was also an avid ice cream fan.

Doug is survived by his wife of 57 years, Holly; his sister Pat Walling; daughters Lisa and Chrissy; his son David (Beverly Dvorkin); his nephews Craig Walling (children—Nicole, Brittany, Morgan and Andrew) and Kit Walling; and close loved one Taylor Welch (Megan).

Visitation will be at Rutherford Funeral Home in Powell, Ohio on Saturday September 21st from 1pm–3pm. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital or Cincinnati Children's Hospital.

Previous Events

Calling Hours

SEP 21. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Douglas B. Craig*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *Paul and I were heartbroken to hear of Doug's passing. He was such a dear friend who was loved by so many and who returned that love in such beautiful and bountiful ways. He was a gentle, thoughtful and generous man whose love and devotion to his family, friends and church was both admirable and unfailing.*

During the course of our friendship we spent many wonderful times with Doug sharing ice cream at Graeters, attending shows, or dining at favorite restaurants. However, our fondest memories were of those times playing cards with him and Holly and laughing and joking together. Doug's card and game playing skills were remarkable and although he taught us much, there was never any doubt who at evening's end, would persevere as the reigning champ. Those are the times that we will cherish and hold in our hearts forever. The last time we visited Doug, he thanked us for being there and reminded us that there is no greater joy in life than sharing time with and giving of ourselves to our family and friends. Doug lived that everyday and was an inspiration to our lives.

Our prayer for Doug's family is that they find peace and comfort knowing that Doug rests with God and that his presence is never more than a thought or heartbeat away. He will remain in mine and Paul's hearts forever.

Darryl Hake - September 19, 2019 at 12:44 PM