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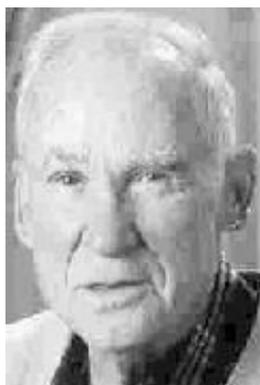


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Timothy Joseph Harrington Sr.



HARRINGTON, Timothy Joseph Sr., went to be with the Lord at 83 years of age April 16, 2009. He is survived by his wife of almost 60 years, Betty Gore Harrington; two sons, Timothy Joseph Harrington Jr. and his wife Michele P. Harrington, and William Gore Harrington, MD and his wife, Sandra N. Harrington; two grandchildren, Heather C. Harrington, and Christine L. Hyde and her husband, Stuart T. Hyde; two sisters, Jeanette H. Callahan and Margaret H. Vicknair and her husband, Warren P. Vicknair; and numerous nieces and nephews. The middle child with six sisters, Tim was born at home in Atlanta on November 16, 1925. He was an Eagle Scout and graduated from Marist High School. In the Army Air Corp he was stationed at Hickam Field in Hawaii where he was a military policeman and served in radar countermeasures. He attended Georgia Tech before his education was interrupted by military service and later

finished at Emory University. He graduated with a General Science major and a minor in Philosophy and Political Science. He worked 39 years for Wyeth Laboratories with territories in Spartanburg, S.C., Columbia S.C., and Richmond, Va. He was a member of the Sertoma Club, and served on the public housing board in Spartanburg. He directed the polio eradication program for South Carolina and two adjoining states. He served as a deacon, Sunday School teacher, was a founding member of the Bon Air Baptist Prison Ministry, and he introduced Caritas Ministries to Bon Air Baptist Church while he served on the Caritas Board. He led volunteer restoration work after Hurricane Hugo in South Carolina and made multiple mission trips to Tanzania, Africa with the Baptist International Mission Board. A memorial service will be held at Bon Air Baptist Church on Monday, April 20 at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be given through Bon Air Baptist Church, 2531 Buford Road, Bon Air, Va. 23235 for Domestic or International Missions or The [Alzheimer's Association](#), 4600 Cox Rd., Glen Allen, Va. 23060. A reception will follow at church.



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