



## Anthony J. Cristoforo, MD

March 19, 1935 - April 4, 2010

Anthony J. Cristoforo of Lumberton died Sunday April 4th, 2010 at Medford Leas in Medford after a courageous battle with cancer. He was 75. He was born and raised in Burlington, graduating as valedictorian from Burlington High School in 1952. He received BA degree from Johns Hopkins University in 1956 and a Doctor of Medicine from Temple University in 1960. After an internship at Philadelphia General Hospital and Military Service as an Aviation Medical Officer in the US Army, he returned to Temple for residency training in Internal Medicine and Rheumatology. He practiced medicine with Moorestown Medical Associates and Moorestown Internal Medicine until retiring on March 31, 2000. He was voted best physician by readers of the Burlington County Times in 1995. He and his family lived in Burlington Twp. until 2000. He served for three years on the Burlington Twp. Board of Education and was board president for 2 years.

He was a member of the Friends of the Burlington County Library, Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, Burlington Country Club, the Medical Society and a past member of the Red Dragon Canoe Club. He was predeceased by his parents, Antonio and Santina Cristoforo, a brother Felix and a sister Catherine Littleford. He is survived by his loving wife of 50 years, Barbara (nee Kite); two sons: Steven L. (Caroline) of Slidell , LA, Andrew (Christine) of Patchogue, NY ; two daughters, Nancy Cristoforo MD and her husband Jonathan Bellush of Sayreville, NJ and Carol Irons and her husband Timothy of Lumberton. He is also survived by five grandchildren: Anthony, Lauren, Timmy, Nicholas and

Logan; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral Services will be held Saturday at 2:30PM at the Perinchief Chapels, 438 High Street, Mount Holly. Interment will be private. Friends may call from 12:30-2:30PM at the funeral home. Contributions in his memory may be made to The Burlington Presbyterian Church, 300 Mill Road, Burlington, NJ 08016 or the Make a Wish Foundation of NJ 1034 Salem Rd., Union, NJ 07083.

# Tribute Wall



“ Anthony J. Cristoforo, MD

October 29, 2022 at 11:57 AM



“ Anthony J. Cristoforo, MD

October 29, 2022 at 09:53 AM



“ Barbie: Buck and I just became aware of the passing of Chris. We're so very sorry and had we known sooner, we certainly would have been there to express our condolences in person. Our sincere sympathy to you and the children. Know that you are in our thoughts and prayers and don't hesitate to call if you need us.##imported-begin##Mary Lou & Buck Kloss##imported-end##

April 11, 2010 at 07:29 PM



“ We are very sorry to hear about Doc. You are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Philip and Nicole Hiller##imported-end##

April 09, 2010 at 07:46 AM



“ I have such fond memories of visiting my 'other' family in New Jersey. Doc always made me feel at home, as did all the Cristoforos. My love and warm wishes to everyone. Clare##imported-begin##Clare Payne Symmons##imported-end##

April 07, 2010 at 01:37 PM



“ Dear Cristoforo Family,  
We are so sorry about the loss of "Doc". Andy, we know how much you loved and respected your dad. Our thoughts and prayers are with your mom and your siblings at this time.  
Gretchen and Steve###imported-begin###Gretchen and Stephen Elfreth###imported-end###

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April 07, 2010 at 12:22 PM



“ Dr. Cristoforo worked at Zurgrugg Memorial Hospital when I was assigned on middle shift. He was always a teacher and mentor, showing staff members "why" and "how" he wanted things done. His patients had the highest respect and trust in his care. Dr. Cristoforo surely stands next to Jesus, completely understanding all of God's mysterious ways. Rest in Peace, Dr. Cristoforo.  
I hope this short poem will help to ease your burden:  
"God Hath Not Promised  
Skies Always Blue,  
Flower-Strewn Pathways  
All Our Lives Through;  
God Hath Not Promised  
Sun without Rain,  
Joy without Sorrow,  
Peace without Pain.  
But God Hath Promised  
Strength for the Day,  
Rest for the Labor,  
Light for the Way,  
Grace for the Trials,  
Help From Above,  
Unfailing Sympathy,  
Undying Love."###imported-begin###Ginger & Chester Mankowski###imported-end###

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April 06, 2010 at 09:44 PM



“ Barb,

*We are so sorry to hear of your loss, we know it has been a long struggle. He is in good hands now, and no longer in any pain. I know God will bring you peace in time.*

*Much Love*

*Alan & Kathy##imported-begin##Alan & Kathy Kite##imported-end##*

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April 06, 2010 at 09:59 AM