



## Dr. Marion Francis Weaver

November 21, 1926 - October 11, 2018

Marion Francis was born on Nov. 21, 1926 to John Candler and DeEtta Todd Griffith Weaver in Decatur, GA. He died at CRMC Hospital (Cullman, AL) on Oct. 11, 2018. He is survived by his wife of 67 years, Doris Crawford Weaver; his five children, Hank, Rebecca, Sally, Casey and Winston; their grandchildren, Heather, Jennifer, Sarah, Ben, Caroline, Lizzy, Christina, Tyler, Troy, Travis, Todd; and great-grandchildren, Addison, Benjamin, Jordan, Abby, Eli, Max, Auggie, and Ellis.

Marion had two brothers and a sister (all deceased). When he was nine years old, his mother died and his father married, Harriet Camp. Upon graduating from Decatur High, Marion received a football scholarship to attend the University of Georgia as a punter. However, his education was interrupted by World War II as he was called into the US Navy as a radio operator. After the war, he returned to Erskine College (SC) once again on football scholarship where he played until graduation in 1950.

After college, Marion married Doris and they resided in Atlanta for one year until he decided to attend Palmer Chiropractic school in Iowa. He graduated from Palmer in 1953 and began his practice in Jacksonville, FL before settling in Gainesville, FL one year later. He had a successful practice in Gainesville for 30 years and during that time, served as president of the Mid-Florida Chiropractic Association and the Lions Club of Gainesville.

Marion was an avid sports fan, enjoying college football, golf and fishing. He was a wonderful father, loving husband and beloved grandfather and great grandfather. He will be sorely missed until we see him again.

# Tribute Wall

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“*Sorry to read about dad. The Paynes would love to reconnect with the Weavers.*”

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