

William Schaffer Smith

Died: September 11, 2002

Bill died on Wednesday, September 11, 2002, at age 62 in Mt. Lebanon, Pennsylvania, a suburb of Pittsburgh.

Bill went to Mt. Lebanon High School where he grew up, and was in the honor society there. Little more is known about Bill, as he left Dartmouth sometime after entering the college. An unattributed obituary for him filed in college archives states that he graduated with an A.B. degree from Allegheny College, and received a J.D. degree from the University of Pittsburgh School of Law. He thereafter served as a lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force.

He practiced law in Pittsburgh and became a partner in the firm of Pietragallo, Bosick & Gordon. The obituary refers to him as a “highly regarded attorney” who practiced his profession “with fairness and integrity,” and “treated everyone — clients, peers, family and friends — with dignity and respect.”

Bill was active in St. Paul’s Episcopal Church in Mt. Lebanon and served on the board of the diocese’s summer camp.

He had a son, William, and two daughters, Tracey and Nicole.