Christ Episcopal Church Cemetery Inventory Lot Number: 108 Space: J (formerly G144)

State and Water Streets, Dover DE 19903

Find A Grave # 11900195

Name: Barrell, Lt. Col. Edgar Alden III (Ted)

Birth date: June 11, 1928 Death date: September 6, 1984 Burial Date: September 10, 1984 Age: 56

b. in Landsdowne PA; confirmed Christ Church, Woodbury, NJ

Spouse: 1st wife Elizabeth (Libby) Lee McLaughlin Barrell Adams (m. Jan. 14, 1950); 2nd wife Georgia Putnam Barrell

(1922-1984)

Children: Davis S. Barrell, Samantha Barrell Weidemaier, Mrs. Anne Barrell Vazquez (1951-2016); Mrs. Susan

Barrell Powell; Mrs. Kathi Barrell Hite

University of DE Yearbook, 1952

Parents: Edgar Alden Barrell Jr. and Alice *Dorrance* Barrell (1906-1969)

Siblings: Barbara Barrell Holly: Dorrance Alden Barrell (1930-2001)

Residence: Dover, DE

Cause of death/Burial/Obituary: Heart attack, see next page

Service/occupation information: Received from St. Margaret's, Lawton, OK, December 10, 1971 Lt. Col US Army, WW II. Korea, Vietnam; DE Community Affairs Dept., Conklin Co. Distributors

Officiate: Rev. Gregory Howe

Lot Owner: Estate of E. A (Ted) Barrell; I & J; September 26, 1984

Inscription:

LTC Edgar Alden Barrell

June 11, 1928 Sept. 6, 1984

Duty, Honor and Country

DIMENSIONS: H 5" x W 37" x D 13"

STYLE: headstone

No repairs needed



Inventory date: May 5, 2020 Recorder: Ellen Richardson

MISS ELIZABETH L. M'LAUGHLIN MR. EDGAR A. BARRELL III

The Rev. Dr. Willard Glenn Purdy officiated at the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Lee McLaughlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. McLaughlin, 601 West Twenty-third Street, and Mr. Edgar Alden Barrell III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar A. Barrell, Jr., Dover, Saturday at 4 p. m. in First and Central Presbyterian Church.

Miss Joanne C. Potts attended the bride. Mr. Dorrance Barrell was best man for his brother.

After a wedding trip the couple will reside at 601 West Twenty-third Street. Both attend the University of Delaware. The bride also attended Goucher College. Mr. Barrell served in the Army for two years.

Military Register, retrieved from ancestry.com on January 14, 2021

BARRELL Edgar Alden 3d 066683 B-Pa 11 June 28 A-Del BS in BA Univ of Del 52 Enl 19 Sep 46 to 10 Feb 48 2lt Arty USAR 3 June 51 to 1lt AUS 14 Dec 53 RA 2lt Arty 15 June 52 D/R 31 May 52 to 1lt 31 May 55 PL 19016

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## **Obituaries**

## Edgar Barrell III, 56, decorated Vietnam vet

DOVER — Edgar A. Barrell III, a retired Army lieutenant colonel and Dover businessman, died Thursday of a heart attack in Hahnemann Hospital, Philadelphia, where he had been a patient for the last three weeks. He was 56.

Mr. Barrell, of 10 E. Loockerman Court, was born in Lansdowne, Pa. He was in the Army in Germany at the end of World War II. After his discharge, he attended Wesley College in Dover for a year, then transferred to the University of Delaware, where he graduated in 1952

He rejoined the Army in the mid-1950s, serving in Germany and with NATO in Belgium. He served in the Korean and Vietnam wars, and was decorated for valor for his service in Vietnam.

While at Fort Sill, Okla., he married Georgia Putnam Barrell, a former U.S. State Department representative in Belgium and Saigon.

Mr. Barrell retired from the Army in the mid-1960s as a lieutenant colonel at Fort Sill.

He and his wife moved from Fort Sill to Dover, and for the next two years he was head of the Delaware's Community Affairs Department in Dover. At the time of his death, he was a representative and distributor for Conklin Company Distributors, a Dover chemical firm.

He ran for Dover City Council's 2nd District seat in 1974 and 1976 but was defeated by incumbent Francis R Weyandt

Francis R. Weyandt.

He was an active member of Christ Episcopal Church in Dover, where he was a licensed lay reader.

He was a member of Dover Rotary Club, Central Delaware Chamber of Commerce and Community Singers Inc. in Dover. He performed in several of that group's plays.

He was the 1983 chairman for the

He was the 1983 chairman for the American Cancer Society's auction committee in Dover.

Mrs. Barrell died in February. He is survived by a son, David S. of Wilmington; four daughters, Samantha Weidenmaier of Moore, Okla., Anne Vazquez and Kathi Filer. both of Lawton, Okla., and Susan Powell of Nobleboro, Maine; his father, Edgar Alden Barrell Jr. of Dover; a sister, Barbara Holly of Oklahoma City; a brother, Dorrance of Gainesville, Fla.; and six grandchildren.

A Requiem Eucharist will be



Edgar A. Barrell III

offered Monday at 11 a.m. in Christ Episcopal Church, State and Water streets, Dover. The viewing will be private. Burial will be in Christ Church Cemetery, Dover. The family suggests contributions to the Christ Church Endowment Fund, P.O. Box 1374, Dover 19903, or to the Likoff Cardio-Vascular Institute. Hahnemann Hospital, 230 N. Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa., 19102.