



Dr. John B. Fitzgerald

May 26, 2011

John (Jack) Barnard Fitzgerald, M.D., 80, died on May 26, 2011. Memorial Service and Reception will be held at St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, 5308 Buffalo Speedway, Houston, Texas on July 23 at 10:30 am.

He was born in Indianapolis, Indiana on May 19, 1931 to Anna Barnard Fitzgerald and Donald D. Fitzgerald. He is survived by his beloved wife of 55 years, Roma Nelle Fitzgerald; daughter, Kathleen Fitzgerald Garant and husband David; sons, John Edward Fitzgerald and wife Julie, William Patrick Fitzgerald and wife Kim; grandchildren Anna Jones and husband Stan; Sarah, Katie and Mary Clare Garant; Ethan, Johnny, Patrick, William, and Emma Fitzgerald.

He graduated from Wabash College and entered Indiana University School of Medicine where he received his M.D. in 1956. He moved to Houston and completed his residency in Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery at Baylor University College of Medicine in 1964. He practiced surgery at St. Joseph Hospital for 30 years where he was Director of General Surgery Residency Program, Academic Chief of Surgery, Chief of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery. He served on many committees and received numerous honors including Distinguished Houston Surgeon of Houston Surgical Society. Dr. Fitzgerald published extensively and was active in various professional groups.

His military service included Seaman, United States Naval Reserve; Captain, United States Air Force, Medical Corps; Lieutenant Colonel, United States

Army Reserve, Medical Corps; Thoracic Surgeon 351st Surgical Hospital.
In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Dr. Fitzgerald's memory to
Wabash College, 301 West Wabash Ave, Crawfordsville, IN 47933 or to the
charity of your choice.

The Addison Family and Staff extend our heartfelt condolences to the
Fitzgerald family in their time of loss.

Tribute Wall



“ *Dr. John B. Fitzgerald*

July 20, 2022 at 05:14 PM



“ *Mrs. Fitzgerald,
My prayers are with you and yours on the loss of such a great man.
He was an amazing surgeon with a gift of caring for his patients and
saving many lives. I was truly blessed to have worked for him for so
many years and have often thoug*

Myriam G. Ramirez - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Kathleen, I was so sorry to read that your Dad had passed
away.
I've thought about you often over the years. Love, Libbie*

Libbie Lattimore Nelson - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *He was a great man and a wonderful neighbor. He will be missed by
all.*

George & Theda Conner - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Jean And Harvey Caupp lit a candle in
memory of Dr. John B. Fitzgerald*



Jean and Harvey Caupp - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM