



Alvin C McCuistion

March 23, 1929 - June 9, 2022

Ivins, UT - Dr Alvin C McCuistion MD, age 93, passed away on 9 June 2022 at the Retreat at Sunbrook in St. George, Utah. He was born 23 March 1929 in Montello, Nevada to Delmar McCuistion and Florence Carlson. He married Marilyn Thorpe in Salt Lake City, Utah on 19 August 1953 and they were sealed in the London LDS Temple on 6 June 1983.

Dr McCuistion graduated from the University of Utah in 1954 and did his internship at Boston City Hospital the following year. He completed residencies at the University of Utah Hospital, the Wadsworth Veterans Hospital in Los Angeles, and a Fellowship at the University of Utah in 1960.

From 1961-63 he was head of the Pulmonary Function Laboratory at the Veterans Hospital in Salt Lake City, Utah, as well as instructor in medicine at the University of Utah. From 1963-1975 he had a private practice of internal medicine in Oakland California.

From 1975 -77 he took a position as internist at the LBJ Hospital in Pago Pago, American Samoa. He returned to California and worked at the Rossmore Clinic in Walnut Creek. From 1978-1983, Dr McCuistion served as Chief of Medicine at the MODA Hospital at Khamis Mushayt, Saudi Arabia. From 1985-1988 he served as an internist with the rank of Lt Colonel at the Kirtland Air Force base in Albuquerque NM. He then consulted for Social

Security on Health Insurance in Sacramento California.

Alvin and Marilyn loved to travel. They visited nearly 100 countries. They also collected seashells from nearly every ocean around the world. He loved to be on the water and had a sailboat which he took out on the Oakland Bay Area whenever he could. He loved woodworking and made 2 dozen clocks. He had nearly 100 varieties of roses at his home in California.

He was an accomplished pianist. He found great relaxation in playing classical piano. His children remember falling to sleep hearing him playing Chopin and Beethoven in the evening.

He is survived by his Wife Marilyn; his three sons Mark, Craig, David. He has 8 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his brother Alan and his sister Jane.

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