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ALEXANDRIA, VA. - Col. John Brown Bell, 89, died March 5, 1998.

Services were held Tuesday, March 17, 1998 at Fairlington United Methodist Church in Alexandria, Va. Burial followed with full military honors in Arlington National Cemetery March 18, 1998.

Born in Blackstock, July 7, 1908, he was the son of the late Robert McMaster Bell and Anna Carson Bell. Col. Bell served as an Air Force Pilot in World War II in the European Theater and during the Korean War. He completed his service career at the Pentagon. He attended school in Chester County and Erskine College.

Surviving are his wife of 53 years, Madie Hill Bell; a son John Brown Bell Jr. of Maryland; daughters Dorothy Ann Boyd of Virginia and Carolyn Rutherford of Texas; and grandchildren, Eva and Susan Dice, Ricky, Rollie and Dr. Tina Boyd.

He was predeceased by brothers Tom Bell of Winnsboro and Ralph Bell; and sisters Rachel Chappell and Mary Lee Douglas (Mrs. Harold Douglas Sr.).