



## Dr. Otis Glenn Beck, Sr.

September 14, 1924 - April 1, 2016

Dr. Otis G. Beck, age 91, passed away Friday, April 1, 2016, surrounded by his loving family. He was born September 14, 1924 in Andalusia, Alabama son of the late William Braxton and Mattie Elizabeth Beck.

He moved to Quincy, Florida at a young age and graduated from Gadsden County High School in 1942. He attended the University of Florida and was then accepted into Northwestern University School of Dentistry in Chicago, Illinois. After graduation in December 1948, he moved back to Tallahassee.

On November 9, 1949 he married Jimmie Paulina Gray in Quincy, FL.

Otis soon opened his dental practice in Tallahassee. A few years later he proudly served his country as a captain in the United States Air Force in San Antonio, TX and Panama City, FL. After practicing for many years in Tallahassee he decided he wanted to further his education. In 1963 he moved his family to Philadelphia, Pa. to attend the University of Pennsylvania School of Dentistry and graduated with a degree in orthodontics in 1964.

Otis was an amazing person who enjoyed a rich and fulfilling life. He had a positive and outgoing personality that endeared him to his patients, his friends, and his family. His family was always his top priority and he delighted in supporting his children's athletic and scholastic events. His wife, Jimmie, was his rock and he could always count on her support when life's challenges occurred. The Beck household was always filled with friends, fun, laughter, and endless debates about sports and politics. He was a spiritual person and was a lifelong member of Trinity United Methodist Church.

In his spare time Otis loved to play golf with his many friends at Capital City Country Club. He followed professional golf very closely on television. He was blessed with a sharp intellect and amazing memory that he never lost even at the very end. He stayed sharp with daily word jumble and Sudoku.

He is survived by his wife of 67 years, Jimmie Gray Beck; three sons, Dr. Glenn Beck (Marci), William Marcus Beck (Polly), David Gray Beck; a daughter, Paula McAnallen ( Larry) Raleigh, N.C.; four grandsons, Brian and David Beck, Grant Beck, and Ryan Mc Anallen; three granddaughters, Amelia Beck, Emily Beck, and Lauren McAnallen.

Visitation will be from 6-8 p.m. on Wednesday April 6, 2016, at Bevis Funeral Home, 2710 North Monroe St., Tallahassee, Fl. Services will be held on Thursday April 7, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. at Trinity United Methodist Church, Park and Duval, Tallahassee, Florida with reception to follow at Capital City Country Club. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Trinity United Methodist Church ([www.tumct.org](http://www.tumct.org)).

The family wishes to thank all of the superb doctors, nurses, and healthcare personnel at Tallahassee Memorial Hospital for their care and support during this difficult time.

# Cemetery Details

## Roselawn Cemetery

815 West Piedmont Drive  
Tallahassee, FL 32308

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 6. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bevis Funeral Home & Crematory  
200 John Knox Rd  
Tallahassee, FL 32303  
(850) 385-2193

## Memorial Service

APR 7. 2:00 PM (ET)

Trinity United Methodist Church  
120 West Park Avenue  
Tallahassee, FL 32303

## Reception

APR 7. 3:30 PM (ET)

Capital City Country Club  
1601 Golf Terrace Drive  
Tallahassee, FL 32301



# Tribute Wall

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“ I did wonder about an orthodontist with patients who claimed he had done their crown and bridge work. But they insisted!

*Eric Amundson*

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**Eric Amundson** - April 07, 2016 at 02:28 PM

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“ I have seen a number of patients who had been treated by Dr. Otis. Each time I was compelled to inform these patients of the exceptional dentistry they had received. And that is a sincere compliment coming from a University of Southern Cal grad. Crowns that lasted 30+ years along with glowing reports of the caring treatment they had received.

*Truly remarkable and a tribute to his contribution to the dental profession and the community he so positively effected.*

*Warmest regards and condolences to Glenn and Marci and your families,*

*Eric and Sherri Amundson*

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**Eric Amundson** - April 07, 2016 at 02:18 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dr. Otis Glenn Beck, Sr..



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April 06, 2016 at 11:13 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Dr. Otis Glenn Beck, Sr..*



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April 05, 2016 at 12:01 PM



“ *Dear Beck and McAnallen Families:*

*Please accept our condolences for your loss. While we did not personally know Dr. Beck, we know, love and respect the McAnallen family and feel confident that Dr. Beck's wonderful personality is reflected well in that family. Also, know that each of you are in our prayers.*

*May the peace of God be with you during this difficult time and forevermore.*

*Brent, Mary, Brittany, Sheridan, Graylyn and Campbell Wood  
Cary, North Carolina*

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**Brent Wood** - April 05, 2016 at 08:41 AM