



Joseph Dillard Neikirk

ID Number: T06687

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

Basic Identification

Gender:
Ethnicity:
Immigration:
Attributed Race: white
Free or Enslaved:

Birth & Family

Birth Date: 1911/08/06
Birthplace:
Mother:
Father:
1st Spouse:
2nd Spouse:

Age Details

Age: 78
Age Group: elder adult (60+)

Life Details

Occupation(s):
Last Church:
Military Service:
Last Residence:
Last Address:

Death

Death Date: 1990/04/20
Death Note:
Place of Death:
Cause of Death:

Burial & Undertaking

Burial Date: 2010/05/24
Funeral Home:
Diuguid ID Number:
Indigent?:

Gravesite and Grave Marker Data

Grave Marker or Marker Fragment: yes
Section: COLUMBARIUM
Confirmation Source for Location:
Grave Marker Erector(s):
Confirmation Source for Interment: SMA

Others In Same Plot (T0283)

| FULL NAME | BIRTH DATE | DEATH DATE |
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| Susan Glass Vaughan Neikirk | 1917/01/02 | 2009/12/15 |

Obituary and Biographical Details

Joseph Dillard Neikirk (1911-1990)

Retired executive vice president, VMI Foundation. Was first full-time director of the

Foundation and was credited with funding the construction of the Marshall library and museum at VMI.

Class of 1932, VMI. U.S. Army during World War II, graduated from the Command and General Staff College, top rank, major.

Taught Spanish one year at VMI.

Member: Mason, Kappa Alpha, board of Mary Baldwin College. Was responsible for VMI Foundation's involvement in trying to preserve memorabilia and alumni records of Augusta Military Academy when the school closed.