## **Fred Austin Bee**



Fred is remembered by his 4<sup>th</sup> Company classmates as an avid soccer player and as the designer of the 1960 Class Crest. After graduation from The Naval Academy, Fred married Theo Sammis. Fred went on to Flight School and became a photo reconnaissance pilot, flying F8s.

After leaving the navy, Fred went to law school at Stetson University in St. Petersburg, Florida. Upon graduation, Fred and his family moved to Marathon in the Florida Keys, where Fred practiced law.

After a successful career, the family moved to Harrodsburg, Kentucky, where Fred became a sheep and cattle farmer and he and Theo had a bed and breakfast for 15 years on a farm they

called Canaan Land.

In retirement, Fred and Theo moved to Mexico Beach, Florida where they enjoyed 10 years of beach life before moving in 2022 to Leipers Fork, Tennessee, just outside of Franklin, to be close to family.

Fred and Theo have five children, Ellen Bee Morlote (Florentino), Sarah Bee Yann (Todd), Austin Bee, Jr (Jennifer), Molly Bee Britto (Jair), and Amanda Bee Underwood (Brad). They also have 14 grandchildren, and 4 great grandchildren.