



## William "Bill" Franklin Dalke III

June 24, 1944 - May 21, 2026

The staff of Heishman Funeral Home Inc., Heishman Funeral Service sends condolences to the family of William "Bill" Franklin Dalke III

William Franklin Dalke III, 81, of Woodstock, passed away Thursday, May 21, 2026 at his home.

Mr. Dalke was born June 24, 1944 in Woodstock, son of the late William Franklin Dalke

Jr. and Kathryn Shaffer Dalke. Bill was a United Church of Christ minister. He was

ordained at St. Paul's UCC in Woodstock and served churches in Maine, Colorado,

Wyoming and Utah for 35 years.

He is survived by his wife Sylvia Shepherd Dalke whom he married on July 27, 1968;

two daughters, Kathryn Pafunda (Matthew) of TN, and Kara Dalke (Ravi Emani) of

Stafford; two brothers, Jeffrey Dalke (Anne) of Edinburg and Peter Dalke (Kathleen) of

Oregon; two grandsons, Nicholas Pafunda and Mason Pafunda and sister-in-law, Cathy

Dalke of Woodstock. He was preceded in death by a brother Timothy Dalke.  
In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to The MHD  
(Miller,Hoffman,Dalke) scholarship fund at St. Paul's Church, UCC,  
Woodstock, VA.

Online condolences may be left at [www.valleyfs.com](http://www.valleyfs.com)

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