

Thomas Dickey

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Thomas Jefferson Dickey, 88, of St. Simons Island died Thursday at the Brian Center Inn.

A memorial service will be held at Christ Church Frederica, at a later date.

Surviving are his wife, Mary Lois Dickey of St. Simons Island; a daughter, Frances Dickey Blott of Gaithersburg, Md.; two sons, Thomas Jefferson Dickey of South Lake Tahoe, Colo., and Edward Dickey of San Rafael Calif.; a stepson, James William Newman of St. Simons Island; four grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

A native of Fitzgerald, Mr. Dickey moved to Brunswick as a young child and lived most of his life on St. Simons Island. He was a graduate of Glynn Academy and received a law degree from the University of Georgia. Mr. Dickey served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He practiced law in Glynn County for more than 50 years, retiring from the Dickey Whelchel, Brown and Readdick law firm in the early 1990s. Mr. Dickey was a member of the American Legion and a lifetime member of the American Bar Association. He was a member of St. William's Catholic Church.

Edo Miller and Sons Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.