Archbishop Timothy P. Broglio, J.C.D. Condolences and Prayers for General Haig's Family (22.II.09)



The Archdiocese for the Military Services joins the Nation in remembering General Alexander Haig. His multi-faceted service to the United States included many years dedicated to the Army, at the command of SHAPE, in the administrations of three Presidents and finally as Secretary of State. However, the clergy and faithful of the Archdiocese remember his constant support of the Church. In particular, the generous contribution of his family to the Capital Campaign assisted greatly in the completion of the present AMS headquarters building in Washington.

On behalf of the Auxiliary Bishops, the clergy, the chaplains, the staff, and all of the faithful, I express my heartfelt condolences to Mrs. Haig and to Alexander, Brian, and Barbara and assure them of our prayers. We believe that death is the threshold of eternal life and we pray that General Haig might enjoy that lasting peace. Most Reverend Timothy P. Broglio Archbishop for the Military Services, USA