



Harry Richard Byrd

November 16, 1939 - May 27, 2017

Harry R. Byrd, age 77, of Sweetwater, went home to be with his Lord and Savior at his home on Saturday, May 27, 2017, surrounded by his loving family.

He attended Union McMinn Baptist Church. Harry was a retired member of the National Asbestos Workers Local 46 Heat and Frost Insulators. He had just received his 60 year membership recognition.

He was preceded in death by his parents: Lillian and Hagan Byrd; wife: Charlotte K. Byrd; son: Brian K. Byrd; daughter: Nancy S. Byrd; brother: Carl M. Byrd; sisters: Deloris McDaniel and Shirley Stephens.

He is survived by his wife: Patsy Farmer Byrd; daughter and son-in-law: Rebecca Byrd Reed and David; sisters: Margaret McKee, Butchie Gibby and husband, Henry; grandchildren: Katie and Jeremy Hanley, Heather and Hector Jaramillo, Chris Gibson and Serena, Erik Byrd and Tasha, Jon Reed and Kendall, Dustin Reed and Katie Reed; great-grandchildren: Chloe, Emma and Adam Hanley, Shelby Byrd, arriving soon Harrison Jaramillo; several nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews.

Bonus children: Greg and Lisa Allen and family, Marty and Robin Allen and family, Lucretia Allen and Jamie Knight and family, Candy and Dan McGuffey and family.

The family will receive friends at Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater from 5P.M. until 8P.M. on Wednesday, May 31, 2017 with the funeral service to follow at 8P.M. with Rev. Doug Alexander and Rev. Tony Rutherford officiating.

Family and friends will meet at Kyker Funeral Homes at 11A.M. on Thursday, June 1, 2017 and will proceed to the Sweetwater Memorial Park for the burial service. Pall Bearers will be: Steve Byrd, Charles Heron, Tim Gibby, Jason Gibby, Doug Nipper, and Tommy Ingram. Honorary Pall Bearers: Christopher Gibson, Erik Byrd, Hector Jaramillo, Jeremy Hanley and Jon Reed.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **31**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

MAY **31**. 8:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kyker Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Harry Richard Byrd*



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“ *Sending prayers and sympathy to your family. I know you loved him dearly and that he loved you! My daddy passed away a few months before Christy was born. I know the special way that Harrison will help your hearts to heal. With love, Janice.*

Janice Frazier - June 01, 2017 at 07:44 AM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Harry Richard Byrd.*



May 31, 2017 at 07:22 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Harry Richard Byrd.*



May 30, 2017 at 07:59 PM



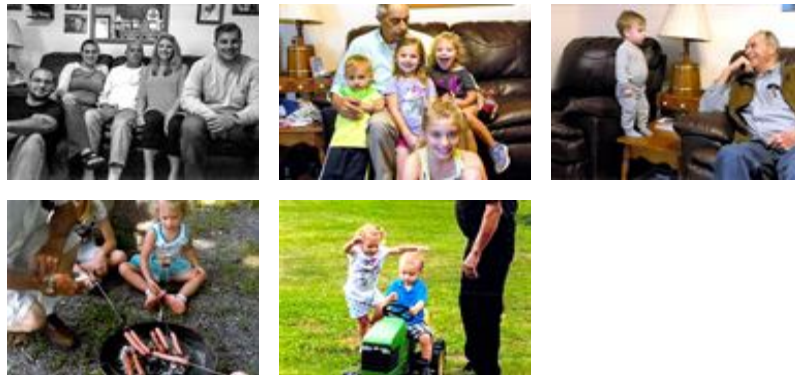
“ *Barbara Touchton lit a candle in memory of Harry Richard Byrd*



Barbara Touchton - May 30, 2017 at 03:07 PM



“ *33 files added to the album LifeTributes*



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