



Breece Caldwell Nesbitt Jr.

July 8, 2014 - July 8, 2014

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(June 19, 1943 - July 8, 2014)

Breece Caldwell Nesbitt, Jr, of Mooresville went to join our Father in Heaven on July 8th, 2014, peacefully and surrounded by his family at Presbyterian Hospital in Charlotte. He was preceded in death by his Mother and Father, Josephine Nesbitt and Breece Caldwell Nesbitt Sr, and his Daughter, Kim.

He was born in Lincolnton on June 19th, 1943. He served in the United States Air Force, and after an Honorable Discharge, attended NC State. Breece was employed by Duke Energy for 41 years as a Civil Engineer. His greatest joy in life was taking to the skies with his two Grandchildren. His pride and joy was the airplane he built with his own two hands, and time spent friends and family. He was loved by so many in the aviation community as well as by his work family. He leaves behind a loving step-mother, Linnie Nesbitt, of Enochville; his cherished Grandchildren, Alex Nesbitt, and Mackenzie Moore, both of Mooresville; A brother, Ronald Nesbitt and wife Ruby, of Millers Creek; A sister, Peggy Clark and husband Thomas, of Asheville; as well as Joe Clark, Chris Clark, and Cody Nesbitt, and many other beloved nieces and nephews.

There will be a Celebration of Life at his home on July 12th at 1 PM, accompanied by a fly-over. All participants for the flyover are requested to meet at the Lake Norman Airport FBO at 12:30 on Saturday. In lieu of flowers, donations in Breece's Honor may be made to the Commemorative Air Force, Midland, Texas.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Breece Caldwell Nesbitt Jr.*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *Breece Caldwell Nesbitt Jr.*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Breece Caldwell Nesbitt Jr.*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM

LW

“ I worked with Breece for 25 years. I don't know where to start. McGuire Nuclear Station has lost a dedicated engineer, technically knowledgeable, and always willing to do his part to make McGuire a success. Those of us who knew and worked closely with Breece lost a dear friend. He was a compassionate man with an off-the-wall sense of humor. He was hilarious. You couldn't help but love him. Early on most Monday mornings, he would stroll by my cube, coffee cup in hand, and ask me if I had rode my horse over the weekend. I'd ask him if he flew over the weekend. Most pretty weekends, he had flown. He built the RV airplane. It took him quite a while, but he stuck with it and finished. I'm not an airplane person, so initially I was excited for him when he finished the plane. Then I was horrified to think he would actually fly it the first time! He did fly it. I shouldn't have worried. He took his flying and safety seriously. A couple months before he went into the hospital, he told me he had grounded himself from flying. That's when I knew he was extremely sick because I knew how he loved the planes. I don't guess I will ever look at an airplane again and not think of Breece. My heart aches. More than the planes, Breece loved his family with all his heart. He went the extra mile and beyond for them. He was so proud of any success Alex or Mackenzie had. He talked to me about his brother, Ronnie, and Ronnie's wife, Ruby, and their mountain place. He talked to me about his sister, Peggy and her family. I could tell when he talked about Peggy, how he truly loved her. He was so happy to have his nephew, Joey, and Joey's family living near him in Mooresville.

Lisa Wilkinson - October 06, 2017 at 10:39 AM

ES

“ I only knew Breece from work at Duke, but also new of his love of flying. It took him a long time to build his plane. We had a standing joke. When I would ask him if his plane was done, he always said it would be done on Wednesday. Every week he said it would be done on Wednesday. I'm glad that Wednesday finally came and he got to enjoy his baby! Breece, our friend John flew with you once and you took pictures of his home in Mooresville. He loved it. He wanted to fly with you again, but unfortunately his life ended too soon also. All I can think to say is goodbye to a good guy! You will be missed. Ed Schumacher

Ed Schumacher - October 06, 2017 at 10:39 AM

MH

“ We are so sad to lose such a wonderful mild mannered man. He was a joy to work with and everyone loved him like a dad.

Mark Hunt - October 06, 2017 at 10:39 AM

JM

“ So sorry for your loss. He will be truly missed by everyone that knew him. We will keep the family in our prayers during this time of sorrow.

Jim McPhatter - October 06, 2017 at 10:39 AM

ML

“ I worked with Breece (literally beside him @ McGuire) for many years. I still expect to see him at his desk when I get to work & then realize he is really gone. The void he left cannot be filled. Every time I view a calculation that he touched, I stop & think about this mild mannered guy. Breece once took photos of my mountain property so that I could estimate its size. My niece, Anna, met him at the Mountain City airport when we brought him some fuel. Breece quickly realized that Anna was a flier & he took her up for a flight. When they returned to the airport, we saw that he let Anna fly his champ. Anna has not forgotten this exhilarating experience. Anna went on to fly jets and a recently P-51 Mustang. I kept Breece keep updated with her flying progress. His touch of people, even if only once for a short time, keeps him in their memory. McGuire will not be the same w/o this dedicated & competent flying engineer.

Michael F Langel - October 06, 2017 at 10:39 AM

JR

“ I can remember all the good times we had as little children! I use to come and visit your family when Uncle Breece was stationed in other cities! Ater my Dad died I always wanted to be around Uncle Breece because he and my Dad looked like twins! I came to visit you at the hospital but you didn't know it! I prayed for you every night that God wiould heal you and that you could stay with your family a little longer, but God had other plans for you ! I know that you are in Heaven now with all the Nesbitts and your Mom ! What a great reunion that must be !you will be missed but never forgotten! Much love your cuzin Jackie???

Jackie Nesbitt Russell - October 06, 2017 at 10:39 AM

SS

“ Alex and Mackenzie, I am so so sorry. I love you.

Sue Spivey - October 06, 2017 at 10:39 AM

YO

“ I send my deepest condolences to the family and friends of Mr. Nesbitt. Although I don't know the family personally, I'd like to offer some consolation from God's Word, the Bible. John 5:28, 29 talks about the hope of seeing our loved ones again when they are resurrected back to life. Once resurrected, they can enjoy the promise found at Revelation 21:4: "And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain by anymore. The former things have passed away." May this beautiful promise bring hope for the future and peace of mind now!

Yolanda - September 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ We are so sorry. Just take pride in knowing that Breece was a wonderful person, a great Father to Kim and a wonderful Grandfather to Alex and Mackenzie. Sue Rice Spivey and Archie Spivey

To All The Family - September 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM