



David McKinley Beam, Jr.

April 6, 1935 - March 4, 2023

David McKinley Beam, Jr., 87, of Mooresville, passed away on Saturday, March 4, 2023 at Abernethy Laurels in Newton.

He was born on April 6, 1935 in Iredell County, NC, to the late David and Blanche Stevenson Beam. Mr. Beam was a member of McKendree United Methodist Church in Mooresville, where he was a church treasurer and a member of the UMC Men's club. He was retired from Duke Energy. He was a founding member and captain with the Mooresville Rescue Squad and was a retired captain with the Mooresville Volunteer Fire Department. He was also on the board of directors with Bandy's Volunteer Fire Department. Mr. Beam enjoyed gardening, farming, livestock, fishing, hunting, and carpentry. He loved NASCAR, bluegrass music, eating, and spending time with his family. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Doris Proctor Beam; and brother, Dennis Beam.

He is survived by his children, Ray Beam and wife, Michelle, Nolan Beam and wife, Karen, Donna Mayes and husband, Ray; sister, Carolyn Simpson and husband, Bill; eight grandchildren, nine great grandchildren, and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

The family will receive friends on Sunday, March 12 from 1:00-2:00 PM with a service following at 2:00 PM at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Bill Gerhardt officiating. Burial will follow the service at Glenwood Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, memorials of sympathy may be made in David's name to

McKendree United Methodist Church, 291 McKendree Road, Mooresville, NC 28117.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home & Crematory, Mooresville, is serving the Beam family. Condolences may be made to the family at www.cavin-cook.com.

Cemetery Details

Glenwood Memorial Park

273 Glenwood Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAR 12. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home
494 E. Plaza Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Funeral Service

MAR 12. 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

Cavin-Cook Chapel
494 E. Plaza Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Graveside Service

MAR 12. 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

Glenwood Memorial Park
273 Glenwood Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of David McKinley Beam, Jr..*



March 09, 2023 at 09:20 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of David McKinley Beam, Jr..*



March 07, 2023 at 03:41 PM



“ *Prayers and condolences for all!*

William D Bumgarner - March 07, 2023 at 09:49 AM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of David McKinley Beam, Jr..*



March 06, 2023 at 05:37 PM

JN

“ *Joan Newton purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of David McKinley Beam, Jr..*



Joan Newton - March 06, 2023 at 05:12 PM

MD

“ *Many many fond memories of Uncle David*

Mandy Beam Davus - March 06, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of David McKinley Beam, Jr..*



March 06, 2023 at 02:29 PM