

Jack Edgar Moore

December 20, 1931 - April 11, 2025

Jack Edgar Moore, 93, of Mooresville, passed away on Friday, April 11, 2025, at his home surrounded by his loving family.

He was born on December 20, 1931, in Mooresville, NC, to the late Flate and Hattie Griffin Moore. Jack was a 1952 graduate of Mooresville High School. He was a veteran serving in the US Navy. He was the proud owner and operator of D.E. Turner Hardware in downtown Mooresville. His passion for the hardware started at the early age of 14. He proudly served the Downtown Mooresville community for over 79 years. He loved telling his stories and showing his customers around. He called them his friends! When he wasn't sharing stories at the hardware, he loved spending time with his family, especially his adored grandchildren and great grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Barbara "Bobbie" Shields Moore; brothers, Johnny Moore, Fred Moore, and infant Billy Moore; sisters, Ellen Clark and infant, Sylvia Moore; brother-in-law, Arnold Clark; and sister-in-law, Mildred Moore.

He is survived by his loving children, Donna Lane (Tommy), Nancy Davidson (Jeff), Jackie Justice (Ronny Williams), Danny Moore; brother, Jim Moore; sister, Linda Earley; sister-in-law, Cheryl Moore; grandchildren, Jessica Stanley (Tee), John Patrick Justice (Allison), Daniel Moore, Alyssa Moore;

great-grandchildren, Jack, Emma, Grace, James, Sam, Charlie, and Maggie; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends on Tuesday, April 15, from 5:00-7:00 PM, at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM on Wednesday, April 16, at the Heritage House of Cavin-Cook Funeral Home. Burial will follow the service at Glenwood Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to Mooresville Museum, P. O. Box 186, Mooresville, NC 28115.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home & Crematory, Mooresville, is serving the Moore 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

Receiving Friends

APR 15. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

APR 16. 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

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

Graveside Service

APR 16. 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

Glenwood Memorial Park
273 Glenwood Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Tribute Wall

RP

“ We were unaware Jack had passed away, but wish to extend our condolences to Danny and the rest of the family. Jack was an institution, one of those rare treasures that only the most blessed small towns are lucky enough to call their own. He will be greatly missed.



Ray & Denise Pausback - January 13 at 05:52 AM

RT

“ We met Jack 4 or 5 years ago when we entered his hardware store and he extended his hand out and says "Hi, I'm Jack Moore" He told us stories about working there as a young teenager and knew all the phone numbers of the local shops which were only 2 or digits. He also showed me glass fuses that are still in use in local houses for electric stoves. He then handed me a yardstick that I had to leave in South Carolina with the grandkids as I didn't think I could board the plane back to California with the yardstick. We bought some T-shirts and coffee mugs to remember our hardware experience. We will always think fondly of our memorable meeting with Jack Moore. Condolences to his family and to all of Mooresville for their loss.

Rando and Debbie

Rando Thyr - October 27, 2025 at 11:27 PM

BD

“ My condolences to the Moore family over Jack's passing. I have good memories of time spent with him laughing and trash talking each other. He was a good man and I respected him a lot. I have missed him and will continue to. Rest in Peace, Jack.



Billy M Dickerson - April 30, 2025 at 01:01 PM

RB

“ Absolutely one of the finest!! Grew up in Mooresville and privileged to sit with him on the “liars bench” multiple times. He will be missed.

Rob Baker - April 28, 2025 at 02:00 PM

JH

“ Jay Howard lit a candle in memory of Jack Edgar Moore



Jay Howard - April 15, 2025 at 07:05 PM

KC

“ Kevin Cervantes purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of Jack Edgar Moore.



Kevin Cervantes - April 15, 2025 at 01:33 PM

CH

“ *An absolute legend. Love you all for what you do for Mooresville.* ”

Cliff Homesley - April 14, 2025 at 06:31 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jack Edgar Moore.* ”



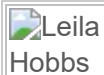
April 14, 2025 at 01:49 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jack Edgar Moore.* ”



April 14, 2025 at 09:40 AM



Leila Hobbs

“ *Leila Hobbs lit a candle in memory of Jack Edgar Moore* ”



Leila Hobbs - April 14, 2025 at 08:26 AM

OI

“ *Mooresville has lost an icon, and all of us that knew him lost a great friend. Thank you Jack for being part of our lives!* ”

Ottis Columbus Stonestreet IV - April 13, 2025 at 10:19 PM

PB

“ He always had a smile on his face and an interesting story to tell you
He made you feel welcome all the time
You will be very much missed

Patricia Bartlett - April 13, 2025 at 07:12 PM

BT

“ Jack had a real gathering spot there at the hardware store - you'd be forgiven if you thought it was a "liars bench". It was really a gathering of community minded geezers offering the benefit of their life experiences for those unfortunate lost souls that didn't know any better. Jack was the consensus choice of the group as the unofficial mayor of Mooresville. Jack felt the weight of that responsibility and did his absolute best to see that downtown Mooresville was front and center for anyone visiting the area - successfully so. May he rest in peace as he so richly deserves. God's blessings to his family.

Bill Thunberg - April 13, 2025 at 06:00 PM

JK

“ Joe Knox lit a candle in memory of Jack Edgar Moore



Joe Knox - April 13, 2025 at 02:53 PM

JK

When I was very young, I would go to town with my Aunt Ruth Newton and always stop at the 5 & Dime and then the hardware store. Mr. Turner would always take me back to his safe and show me his knife collection. Jack would always take me and explain all the contraptions a 5 or 6-year-old boy did not understand. You know I had to look at everything in there and the ladder amazed me. Great memories.

Joe Knox - April 13, 2025 at 03:06 PM

RB

“ Jack was a kind, compassionat person. He always had a smile on his face. I will miss going to the store and talking to other old men who gathered to talk and laugh at on another's stories... I will miss him.

Randy Benfield - April 13, 2025 at 09:20 AM



The local's will continue together for stories. Come by any time but Sunday. Always nice to see you!

Nancy Davidson - April 13, 2025 at 05:00 PM

BM

“ Brian and Kim McGee purchased the Serene Ret
reat for the family of Jack Edgar Moore.



Brian and Kim McGee - April 13, 2025 at 09:03 AM

KS

“ Mr. Jack was a fixture in downtown Mooresville my whole life. We are all lucky to have known such a fine man. Prayers to all the Moore family.

Kevin Scruggs - April 13, 2025 at 08:12 AM

DC

“ donna,nancy,jackie and danny,so sorry to hear about your dad.i been knowing and talking with jack for about65 years or more.always enjoyed talking with jack and shareing jokes. great guy and we will miss him.thinking of all of you. dave cook

dave cook - April 13, 2025 at 07:25 AM

DC

“ Dennis Cowardin lit a candle in memory of Jack Edgar Moore



Dennis Cowardin - April 13, 2025 at 06:57 AM

BW

“ We are from Hermiston Oregon and our daughter, Lacey, lives in Mooresville. Our grandsons, Bodhi and Bobby, loved visiting Jack whenever downtown. For 9 years Bodhi loved seeing Jack and he would give him a bag of popcorn. We always loved to buy a Red Ryder wagon or trike from Jack at the hardware store! They were always assembled and ready to go! He was always a highlight on our yearly visits to NC. We will miss him 🥺

Bob & Rachelle Walchli - April 13, 2025 at 12:58 AM

WB

“ Prayers and condolences for all! Such a sad loss for so many!

William Durant Bumgarner - April 12, 2025 at 08:45 PM

CM

“ Jack was a gift to all of Mooresville.



Cynthia McLaurin - April 12, 2025 at 07:59 PM

DM

“ Donna McDaniels sent a virtual gift in memory of Jack Edgar Moore



Donna McDaniels - April 12, 2025 at 06:26 PM

NS

“ Ned And Sandy lit a candle in memory of Jack Edgar Moore



Ned and Sandy - April 12, 2025 at 04:12 PM

DB

“ Nancy, my prayers and thoughts are with you and your Family over the loss of your sweet Daddy. He was always there with a helpful smile for all customers. D.E. Turner Hardware will not be the same without him. Mooresville has lost a true treasure. May God comfort each of you during this time.

Dawn Brotherton - April 12, 2025 at 03:12 PM

TN

“ Great Man who knew God. A good friend and Brother in Christ. Dear Family. Jack loved me so well he always said “Hay Buddy” everyone I came in. Mooresville lost a piece of great humanity when jack was called home to Heaven. I am praying for family & friends.

Tom Nixon - April 12, 2025 at 01:07 PM

TN

Every time I came in ... not everyone I came in - typo - but Jack's laughing and shaking his head.

Tom Nixon - April 12, 2025 at 01:12 PM

SB

Jack will be missed a legend in the town. Norm Brittain (he passed away 7th April) remembers going to the hardware store with his Dad and Grandpa as a young boy. RIP Sue Brittain

sue Brittain - April 12, 2025 at 05:32 PM

LC

Jack was a gentleman, he had a way of brightening your day with that easy smile and quick wit. I will miss him. We all will.

Lisa C - April 12, 2025 at 08:35 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jack Edgar Moore.*



April 12, 2025 at 12:47 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jack Edgar Moore.*

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