



Marshall Rhyne Howard

May 15, 1922 - March 22, 2020

Marshall Rhyne Howard, Senior Master Sergeant Retired Air Force, 97, of Mooresville, passed away on Sunday, March 22, 2020 at Levine & Dickson Hospice House in Huntersville.

He was born on May 15, 1922 in Mooresville, NC, to the late Jay and Annie Thompson Howard. Mr. Howard served our country for 22 years in the US Army and Air Force. He also saw service with the Navy, Marines, and Coast Guard personnel. His duties took him to Panama, England, and France during WWII. He later served in the US, Japan, and Korea. During his military service, he earned many decorations, awards, and citations.

After military service, he worked in sales for a communication company in Charlotte. Marshall belonged and was active in the Central Methodist Church of Mooresville for most of his life until he transferred his membership to St. Mark's Lutheran Church in Charlotte to be with his wife, Helen. Marshall enjoyed traveling, woodworking, reading, and his stamp collection.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his loving and devoted wife, Cecilia Holloman Howard, of 54 years; daughter, Paula; sons, Marshall Jr. and Bryan; sisters, Helen H. Sloop and husband, Ralph Sloop and Margaret H. Spencer; brother, William "Mac" Howard; brother-in-law, Richard Wright; and sister-in-law, Gelene Lineberger.

He is survived by his loving wife, Helen Lineberger Howard; children, Marsha Cornelius, Phillip Howard, Jon Howard, and Eric Howard; stepsons, Derek, Drew, and Justin Smith; brother, Jay, Jr. and wife, Gerry; sister, Doris Wright; and sister-in-law, Sara Howard.

A private graveside service will be held at Triplett United Methodist Church Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Mark's Lutheran Church Parlor Fund, 1001 Queens Road, Charlotte, NC 28207 or Triplett United Methodist Church Cemetery Fund, 838 Mazeppa Road, Mooresville, NC 28115

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

Cemetery Details

Triplett United Methodist Church

838 Mazeppa Road
Mooresville, NC 28115

Tribute Wall



“ *Marshall Rhyne Howard*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *Marshall Rhyne Howard*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Marshall Rhyne Howard*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *Uncle Marshall was on of the most kind and heart felt person you could ever want to meet!*

He "always" thought about the well being of the people around him.

God Speed.

Chuck Wright

Chuck Wright - March 28, 2020 at 05:14 PM

CP

“ *Marsha/Preston, families/friends*
My thoughts & prayers to you in the passing of your loved one, Marshall. May your memories bring you comfort now & in the healing days ahead. May God bless you & keep you in His care always.

Care & Concern
Carol Jordan Phillips

Carol Jordan Phillips - March 27, 2020 at 06:56 PM

MR

“ *1 file added to the album Grave side Service*



Michael Roberts - March 27, 2020 at 03:33 PM

AH

“ *So blessed to have such great memories of Granddaddy. He's in heaven with Mimi as God has added another Angel*❤️



Amy Howard - March 25, 2020 at 05:50 PM

BG

“ Marshall was a welcome addition to our Robinson Family descendants gatherings. he was always pleasant and partipatory. Our Helen was lucky to have him and we shall all miss him. Rest in peace Marshall. Beth Cuthbertson Gooden and Jean Wandel Cuthbertson

Beth Gooden - March 25, 2020 at 04:29 PM

BS

“ 1 file added to the album Marshall Rhyne Howard



Brooke, Mark and Will Schmidt - March 25, 2020 at 10:39 AM

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Brooke, Mark and Will Schmidt - March 25, 2020 at 10:37 AM

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“ Brooke, Mark And Will Schmidt lit a candle in memory of Marshall Rhyne Howard



Brooke, Mark and Will Schmidt - March 25, 2020 at 10:34 AM

BS

We love and miss you Granddaddy! - Brooke, Mark, and Will Schmidt

Brooke, Mark and Will Schmidt - March 25, 2020 at 10:35 AM

RH

“*Robin Moore Howard lit a candle in memory of Marshall Rhyne Howard*



Robin Moore Howard - March 25, 2020 at 10:30 AM



“*Heavenly Light was purchased for the family of Marshall Rhyne Howard.*



March 25, 2020 at 10:02 AM

GK

“*A very honest, talented, loyal, gifted man. Marshall could teach, manage, fix almost anything, and fill his “barn” with his collected “stuff”. My God bless my treasured friend of so many years.*

Gene King

Gene King - March 24, 2020 at 11:41 AM

KL

“*Uncle Marshall was a wonderful uncle he was always there to guide or listen when needed. A good man always enjoyed my visits and talks with him. He will be truly missed.*

Kathy Logsdon - March 24, 2020 at 10:05 AM

KG

“ *My sweet Granddaddy, I rejoice in knowing you are with Mimi again but saddened your kind presence has left this earth. You will be greatly missed. I love you!*

Kasey Gorrondona - March 24, 2020 at 07:56 AM

KB

To my dearest friend, Helen, as well as to Derek, Drew and Justin, our thoughts are with you at this time. We regret that the times keep us from being with you.

Keris Brown

Keris Brown - March 25, 2020 at 09:56 AM