



## Oren Eugene Byers

June 3, 1951 - March 13, 2019

Oren "Gene" Eugene Byers, 67, of Mooresville, passed away on Wednesday, March 13, 2019.

He was born on June 3, 1951 in N. Wilkesboro, NC, to the late Oren Zeke Byers and Frances Hight Byers. Mr. Byers was a veteran serving in the US Navy and was a retired pilot for UPS. He was very adventurous and always seeking new opportunities. He loved to travel the world, play golf, music, and being on the water. Gene never met a stranger and was always trying to better himself. He loved his family and spending time with his grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Larry Byers.

He is survived by his children, Chris Byers and wife, Tracie, Jennifer Lieske and husband, Charles; mother of his children, Deborah Huntley James; brother, Steve Byers; grandchildren, Jordan and Caden Byers, Morgan Lieske; and special friend, Dr. Lee Beth Lindquist.

The family will receive friends on Sunday, March 17 from 2:00-3:00 PM with a service following at 3:00 PM at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home Chapel.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to The Hope House Foundation of Huntersville, 15604 Northcross Drive, Huntersville, NC 28078.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home & Crematory, Mooresville, is serving the Byers family. Condolences may be made to the family at [www.cavin-cook.com](http://www.cavin-cook.com).

# Previous Events

## Receiving Friends

MAR 17. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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

## Memorial Service

MAR 17. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home Chapel  
494 E. Plaza Drive  
Hwy 150  
 Mooresville, NC 28115

# Tribute Wall



“ *Oren Eugene Byers*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *Oren Eugene Byers*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Oren Eugene Byers*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *You will be missed by the Eddie's on Lake Norman Family - there is always a spot for you at the bar.*

**Ann-Margaret Wagner** - March 17, 2019 at 11:41 AM



“ *Loved our many long conversations on every subject under the sun. Will miss you Gene! Prayers for your family and all whom youve touched.*

**Dr Mike Heinen** - March 16, 2019 at 10:41 PM

DF

“ Gene will be missed by his classmates of the West Mecklenburg High School Class of 1969. He is remembered as a sweet, friendly, all-around nice guy. His passing will be recognized at the 50th Class Reunion to be held in June.



Deb Kenley Freed - March 16, 2019 at 12:51 PM

JB

I am one of Gene's Class of 1969 Classmates. We had kept in touch sporadically over the years through Facebook. He is one man that loved God, his family, friends and life. I am continuing prayers for the family and friends but am thankful that he is no longer in pain and is whole again. Jill Geddings Blackwelder

Jill Blackwelder - March 16, 2019 at 02:35 PM

DW

“ My sincere condolences to your family. God promises to fortify you and hold your hand during this difficult time Isaiah 41:10,13. Continue to rely on Him for comfort and strength.



Darnell Williams - March 16, 2019 at 07:01 AM

MB

“ I am so sorry to hear of Gene's passing. I remember visiting Aunt Frances with Mom, (Annie Lee) and enjoying listening to Gene and his band practicing. May God comfort and keep you all during this difficult time.



*Melessia Burgess Baker*

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**Melessia Baker** - March 15, 2019 at 06:54 PM

MT

“ I had the pleasure of flying with Gene at UPS. It saddens me to know he has passed so soon. Tailwinds my friend.

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**Mike Trammel** - March 15, 2019 at 06:24 PM

LR

“ I will always remember Gene as friendly and caring. He always had a smile for everyone. Some of my fondest memories are from many years ago when he had a band and Larry and I would go to watch him perform. It was always so much fun.

*My thoughts and prayers are with his family.*

*Rest in peace and thank you for bringing smiles into so many lives.*

*Linda Kyaw Roberts*

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**Linda Roberts** - March 14, 2019 at 09:26 AM

SC

“ Gene’s brother Larry was my best friend growing up. Gene was always with us. He was a regular golf partner and was always a joy. We spent many hours roaming the neighborhood as kids, doing everything boys do. I loved Gene and his whole family. Steve Cude

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**Steve Cude** - March 14, 2019 at 02:17 AM