



Richard Gray Beaver

July 17, 1938 - September 15, 2018

Richard Gray Beaver, son of late Carl Everet Beaver and Annie Reid Lowrance Beaver, died on September 15th, 2018. Richard (Rudy) was born in Mt. Ulla on July 17, 1938. After attending Mt. Ulla School from first grade through graduation, Rudy worked as a machinist until he was drafted and sent to Arlington, VA as a military policeman. When he returned home, he worked at Carolina Rubber Hose and Reeves Brothers for 10 years until he and Thad Linker became business partners and owners of Port City Transfer & Storage Co. Rudy was a lifelong and active member of Prospect Presbyterian Church as deacon, elder, Sunday School superintendent, usher, cemetery/historical keeper and in whatever way he was called. As a quiet strong man, he followed his Christian beliefs. Rudy was a Mooresville Mason for over fifty years. He helped begin Centenary (West Rowan) Fire Department and was a fireman for over forty years and participated in the annual fund raisers all his life.

Rudy was preceded in death by his oldest brother, Harold; his sister-in-law, Barbie Bolmer Whitener.

Richard is survived by his wife of 54 years, Pam Bolmer Beaver; children, Allen Robertson (Sharon), Rodney Beaver (Adriana), Annie Heglar (Dwayne); grandchildren, Teshia Robertson Vickery, Garrett Robertson (Megan), Tyler Robertson (Jessica), Nolan Beaver, Anna Leigh Beaver, Madison Beaver,

Nick Heglar (Joanna), and Mackenzie Heglar (Dylan); great grandchildren, Riley and Harrison Vickery, Josie Heglar, and Zander Robertson; brother, Wallace Beaver (Peggy) and their family; sister, Carol Wilson and her family; brother-in-law, Bill Bolmer; sister-in-law, Sonja Beaver; and brother-in-law, Chris Whitener and their families. The entire Linker family were great friends along with his “shop” and church buddies. Many other relatives and friends were part of Richard’s life and he dearly loved everyone.

The family will receive friends on Tuesday, September 18 from 2:30-4:00 PM with a service following at 4:00 PM at Prospect Presbyterian Church with Rev. William "Will" Gipe officiating. Burial will follow the service in the church cemetery. The body will lie in state Monday, September 17 from 2:00-5:00 PM at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to Prospect Presbyterian Church, 9425 W NC 152 Hwy, Mooresville, NC 28115.

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

Previous Events

Public Viewing

SEP 18. 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Prospect Presbyterian Church
9425 WNC 125 Hwy
Mooresville, NC 28115

Funeral Service

SEP 18. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Prospect Presbyterian Church
9425 WNC 125 Hwy
Mooresville, NC 28115

Graveside Service

SEP 18. 4:45 PM - 5:15 PM (CT)

Prospect Presbyterian Church Cemetery

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Gray Beaver*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *Richard Gray Beaver*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Richard Gray Beaver*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



Susan Lambert

“ *Brother Richard, I am going to miss you so much and your sister (Carole) I will be with you one day soon and also with momma and daddy and our older brother (Harold),, I love you sis.....*



Susan Lambert - September 18, 2018 at 08:26 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Richard Gray Beaver.*



September 17, 2018 at 08:29 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard Gray Beaver.*



September 17, 2018 at 02:58 PM



“ *Our condolences go out to Pam and Rudy's entire family. He was a good man and will be missed by all who knew him. May he rest in eternal peace.*

Dennis and Ellen White

dennis white - September 17, 2018 at 12:43 PM



“ *We are going to miss you so very much Richard , we remember your laugh and smile and caring person and he was a very hard worker and loved his all of his family members from his our family to his brothers and sister fa*

Susan Lambert - September 16, 2018 at 08:39 PM



Mily , we will be there for you all has a family members,, Carole Wilson and family members and all of the Love,,

Susan Lambert - September 16, 2018 at 08:43 PM

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“ *Susan Hinson lit a candle in memory of Richard Gray Beaver*



Susan Hinson - September 16, 2018 at 08:33 PM

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Adriana - September 16, 2018 at 10:47 AM

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Anna and Madison loved spending time with Pop.

Adriana - September 16, 2018 at 10:48 AM

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“ *When I think of my Uncle Rudy, one of my favorite things to remember is his voice. He had a rich, velvety tone that made you want to listen, and a laugh to match. I loved to listen to him tell stories. It didn't even matter what the story was about, he just had a way of telling it. He will be missed. Lots of love to my Mooresville family.*

Meg Whitener - September 15, 2018 at 04:06 PM