



Richard Lee Whitlow, Sr

March 10, 1943 - March 19, 2023

Richard "Dickie" Lee Whitlow, Sr., 80, of Mount Mourne, NC, went to be with his Lord on Sunday, March 19, 2023.

He was preceded in death by his parents, F. W. Whitlow and Ella Whitlow; son, Kenneth E. Christy and sister, Karen Jenkins.

Dickie loved to travel and especially going on cruises. He enjoyed going to Cherokee. He enjoyed working in the woods. He loved being around the water and was great at water skiing in his younger years. His favorite time was family time at Carowinds and taking his grandchildren for a ride on his tractor. Dickie worked at FXI in Cornelius as a machine operator for 45 years before his retirement.

He is survived by his loving wife of 50 years, Barbara B. Whitlow; son, Ricky Whitlow (Beth), of Statesville; grandchildren, Brandon Christy of Hickory, Melissa C. Fillben (Jason) of Lexington SC, Ben Christy of New Mexico, Genesis, Bentley, and Austin Whitlow of Statesville; great-grandchildren, Jace, Brooke, and Jacob Filliben of Lexington, SC, and Luke Christy of New Mexico; brother, Bill Whitlow (Bev) of Mooresville, and a host of nieces and nephews.

Services for Dickie will be on Thursday, March 23, at 2:30 PM at Community Baptist Church. Visitation for family and friends will be from 1:00-2:30 PM.

Burial will follow the service in the church cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Mt. Mourne Fire Department, P. O. Box 32,
Mt. Mourne, NC 28123 or American Cancer Society, P. O. Box 6704,
Hagerstown, MD 21741.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home and Crematory, Mooresville, is serving the Whitlow family.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.cavin-cook.com.

Cemetery Details

Community Baptist Church

274 Langtree Road
P.O. Box 202
Mount Mourne, NC 28123

Previous Events

Receiving Friends

MAR 23. 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

Community Baptist Church
274 Langtree Road
P.O. Box 202
Mount Mourne, NC 28123

Funeral Service

MAR 23. 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

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Graveside Service

MAR **23**. 3:30 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Barbara, you have our deepest sympathy and our prayers. I worked with you at Custom Products years ago. You was one of my special friends. My husband just told me he worked with Dickie at FXI. A very small world because I think you attended our wedding reception in 1981. I would love to talk to you again. My husband said Dickie was one of his favorite people. We would have attended his services but I didn't read the obituary until this morning. We are sending our love to you and your family...Carollyn "Mise" and Herbert "Hub" Harris ❤️❤️

Carollyn McCall-Harris - March 24, 2023 at 06:47 PM

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“ Dearest Barbara! Dickie will be greatly missed. When Richard Ervin and I got together. Which has been 34 years ago. Dickie's Mom Ella and you guys were the first people that he introduced me to. You all meant the world to him and he cared deeply for you all. In all those years together, I have come to care deeply for you. I'm very saddened by passing of Dickie. I have those fun memories of us together and hearing about you all growing up together. I will always cherish those memories and our friendship. May God bless you and your family with peace, love and strength during your loss..... which I know for a fact will never go away or be forgotten. God bless you and your family dear friend. Love you always! Susan Ervin



Susan Ervin - March 22, 2023 at 01:39 PM

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“ Dickie my friend will miss you over years a great co-worker leader times spent with you lots of memories at Reeves, Foamex and FXI for all you touch God got you now so just cruise around.
Deacon Alvin Rivens

Alvin Rivens - March 22, 2023 at 11:34 AM

Leila Hobbs

“ My sincere condolences to the family.



Leila Hobbs - March 22, 2023 at 11:23 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Richard Lee Whitlow, Sr.



March 21, 2023 at 11:29 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Richard Lee Whitlow, Sr.



March 21, 2023 at 07:11 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Richard Lee Whitlow, Sr.



March 21, 2023 at 05:19 PM