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Russell Lee Hinton, 87, of Mooresville, NC, formerly of Henderson, NC, passed away on Sunday, February 1, 2015, at Brian Center Health and Rehabilitation, Mooresville. Born March 7, 1927, in Roanoke Rapids, NC, he was a son of the late Ollie Mask Hinton and Mae Holland Hinton. Mr. Hinton was retired from the US Department of Health, Education and Welfare Center for Disease Control having over 30 years of service. He was a long time resident of Villa Hills, Kentucky. Mr. Hinton was a WWII veteran having served in the US Navy and enjoyed sharing his stories from the war. He liked to make wine, was a Hamm Radio Operator and enjoyed gardening and his family. Mr. Hinton was preceded in death by his wife, Lorraine Schaefer Hinton; brothers, Joseph T., Ollie M. Jr. and Robert E. Hinton; sisters, Irene Stainback and Virginia Rose. He is survived by nieces and nephews, Jo Anne S. Doyle, Paul Schaefer, Sandra Fuller, Gloria Chorey, Nancy Caloz, Richard Hinton, Audrey H. Tippett, Lynn Schaefer and David Mumm. A graveside service will be held at 1:00 PM on Sunday, February 8 at Elmwood Cemetery, Henderson, NC, with Reverend Keith Benze officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the John Hopkins Cancer Research Hospital, 750 East Pratt Street, Suite 1700, Baltimore, MD 21202 and/or First Presbyterian Church

Henderson, 222 Young St, Henderson, NC 27536.

Tribute Wall



“ *Russell Lee Hinton*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *Russell Lee Hinton*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Russell Lee Hinton*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *Russell Hinton was my wife's Uncle, and we were honored to visit with him in Mooresville on Sunday, February 1st, a week prior to his passing. At that time, we had no earthly idea he'd be gone in less than a week, but that visit was truly a blessing! We took him some "fresh Carolina BBQ" from a local restaurant and he ate "a ton" along with some hushpuppies and cole slaw! He was smiling, joking, making "wise cracks", and was his normal self, but I could tell his body was "tired". Those pictures I took are now incredibly special! Russell was a good man who we shall miss, and we'll have a void in our lives from his passing, but we should all remember that each day is a gift from God, and we never know when we will pass into eternity! God blessed him when He took Russell in his sleep, and now he is reunited with his relatives with peace and happiness.*

Billy Chorey - February 23, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Uncle Russ has always been my favorite "uncle". He was just so special. Maybe it was because he and Lorraine never were blest with kids if their own. I'm not really sure... But I do know that even as a very small child he made me feel "important". He always took time out to talk to me and listen to what I said. We would take a walk around the yard and just talk. I'll always love him and never, ever forget him. It's a blessing to have had him in my life. ??

Gloria Chorey - February 23, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Worked with Russ for many years and visited with Loraine and Russ about a year ago and was disappointed to learn that both have passed. He was a great addition NIOSH and was very well respected for his work.

Vivian Morgan - February 23, 2015 at 12:00 AM